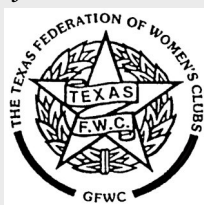


Woman's Wednesday Club

GFWC
Granbury, Texas

Organized in 1897

A Member of the
General Federation of Women's Clubs



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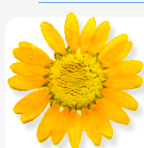
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President's Corner

Hi Everyone,

Hope your summer has been going well. Unfortunately it is almost over. Many of you have been doing WWC work most of the summer. My thanks to you for putting in many extra hours to keeps us running smoothly.

WAYS AND MEANS has been working continually since the spring. They have got a wonderful fund raiser lined up for us! A huge thank you to all of the committee, and especially to Cathey Briscoe and Pat Flatt, co chairman . And thanks to our members who have agreed to model.

Thanks to Cathey Briscoe and her office staff for setting up a terrific web site for WWC. LOOK it over at womanswednesdayclubgranbury.com. You will be impressed!

SCHOLARSHIP has been working to find applicants and select winners, so our scholarships can be awarded at our fund raiser November 1st. Thank you to Lori Kaspar and her committee.

YEARBOOK AND PROGRAMS have got some great programs lined up for us to enjoy this next club year. Thank you to Lisa Koiner and the many ladies on her committee who have put in lots of time on this.

CONSTITUTION AND BYLAWS have put in unbelievable hours making these new changes for us to consider. I am sure they all need new glasses after the many rewrites. Thank you to Bobbie Brownlee, Joyce Vardeman, and Ann Schmidt, our writer.

CLUBHOUSE COMMITTEE. I am sure the ladies on this committee can't believe they said yes to this . Since our May meeting they have cleaned and reorganized, had a new HVAC installed, had a new back door installed, had a new threshold installed, had new attic stairs

September 4
Meeting and
Program
1:00 p.m.

Time:

1:00 p.m.

Location:

WWC Clubhouse

Program:

Honoring Past Presidents

Invocation:

Bobbie Brownlee

Hostesses:

Tommie Hicks, Diane
Schumann, Linda Somervill,
Ann Schmidt, Mary Lynn
Martin

Pledges:

Kay Crain

Introduction of Program:

Mary Lynn Martin

Other Business:

Federation Counselor Report
- Ernestine Shugart

Dismissal:

Melinda Charbonnet

Remember to bring \$
for your tickets for our
fund raiser!

installed (the new HVAC would not fit in the old opening) and they had a roof leak repaired! They have been busy! A huge thank you to Peg Harding, Ernestine Shugart, and especially Linda Somervill who lives across the street from the clubhouse. Needless to say, much of that was hers to handle.

BUDGET COMMITTEE met this summer and planned out our year financially. It is looking good Many thanks to Melinda Charbonnet and her committee.

MEMBERSHIP has also been busy getting organized for September voting on new members and members changing status. Many thanks to Pat Flatt and her committee.

The AUDIT COMMITTEE met and all is fine . Thank you to Dora Moffitt and Diane Schumann.

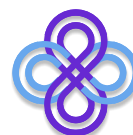
As you can see it has been a busy summer! Looking forward to seeing all of you back on September 4th. At that meeting we will honor our Past Presidents, hear from Carolyn McLeod and the ladies who attended the international convention in June, vote on bylaws , new members, and hear from our committees.

Hugs to all! See you on the 4th.

Cheryl Troxel

President

NEWS



notes

Rockin' the Runway!

Get ready for the G.F.W.C., Woman's Wednesday Club of Granbury's Fundraiser Fashion Show and Luncheon on November 1, 2019 at

DeCordova Bend Estates Country Club. Mark your calendar now for the 10:30 a.m. annual event.

Again, this year we are going paperless. Each member is responsible for purchasing four (4) seats.

Members are asked to pay \$160 for the seats at the September 4th meeting. Should members not need all the four tickets, they may sell them to fellow members or contribute them to the "bank." Members may purchase extra tickets from the "bank" if needed.

Drawing for the table assignments will occur at the October 2nd meeting. The 30 tables with seating for eight (8) will have the names of designers and table numbers.

It is our objective that this major fund raising will allow us to continue to contribute to our community charities, our scholarships and to our other club activities.

We will highlight local stores at our fashion show. Our club members have volunteered to walk the runway.



October Newsletter Deadline

September 15, 2019

Miranda's Law

Call your congressman or
senator in support on
September 23, 2019

3D Printed Gun Safety Act

Call your representative or
senator in support on
October 23, 2019

Rockin' the Runway

DeCordova Bend CC
November 1, 2019

100th Anniversary of Women's Right to Vote

August 26, 2020

Before our September meeting, you can expect phone calls from the Telephone Committee, reminding you to bring payment for the event seating.

"We will. We will rock you!"

Hang on as the best is yet to come!

Submitted by Pat Flatt

GFWC History Lesson

The General Federation of Women's Clubs was founded in 1890 but traces its roots back to 1868 when an accomplished newspaperwoman, Jane Cunningham Croly, was denied admittance to a banquet honoring Charles Dickens at the all-male New York Press Club. She organized an all-woman club (Sorosis) and held another banquet honoring Mr. Dickens. The Sorosis Club members soon learned of other women's clubs and proposed a conference. In 1889 the delegates from 61 clubs met in New York City and the new constitution and organizational plans were adopted in 1890. The US Congress chartered the GFWC in 1901. The national headquarters is now located in Washington, DC. See the organization's web site at www.gfwc.org for more information.

GFWC's emblem depicts a circular band signifying eternity. In the



center of the circular band, the crusader's shield emerges from a darkened world (represented by the field of darkness), which represents enlightenment. The enameled colors—red, white, and blue—are the colors of the United States of America. The red implies courage, the white equals purity, and the blue stands

for constancy.

GFWC

Three Brand Initiatives

Support Miranda's Law

Members are asked to make 1,000 contacts through phone calls or emails to their United States Legislators to support passing Miranda's Law on September 23, 2019.

The bipartisan Miranda Vargas School Bus Driver Red Flag Act (Miranda's Law) was formally introduced in the House of Representatives to ensure real-time driver background checks and that states receive the information in a timelier fashion.

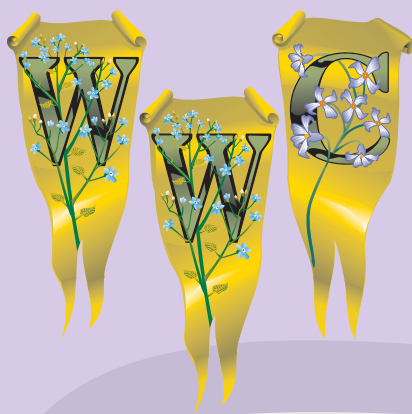
The bipartisan Miranda Law would require automatic notifications of driver violations to school districts and school bus companies within 24 hours, so they can take immediate action to keep unsafe drivers off the road.

3D Printed Gun Safety Act

Members are encouraged to make 1,000 contacts to Senators or Congressmen themselves or to urge their friends to participate on October 23, 2019.



The Act includes a bill to amend chapter 44 of title 18, United States Code, to prohibit the distribution of 3D printer plans for the printing of firearms, and for other purposes.



2018-2020

Officers

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Cheryl Troxel

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Carolyn McLeod

Recording Secretary

Ann Schmidt

Corresponding Secretary

Joyce Garrison

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Sally Timmons

Federation Counselor

Ernestine Shugart

The Woman's Wednesday Club is a 501C3 charitable organization. We do not discriminate in our membership, activities or operations on the basis of race, color, religion, gender, gender expression, age, national origin, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, or military status.

Celebrate the 100th Anniversary of Women Winning the Right to Vote



Clubs throughout the Federation are asked to plan 1,000 community service projects to celebrate August 26, 2020.

Meeting Minutes

GFWC WOMAN'S WEDNESDAY CLUB

GRANBURY, HOOD COUNTY, TEXAS

May 1 2019

Luncheon Meeting - 12:00 p.m.

President Cheryl Troxel called the meeting to order and welcomed all members and guests.

Donna Roessler brought the invocation reading a poem about friendship by Helen Steiner Rice.

President Troxel thanked the hostesses Cheryl Patterson, chair, Lisa Koiner, Melinda Charbonnet, Cathey Briscoe.

Shirley Capps led the Pledges of Allegiance to the United States flag and the Texas flag.

Carolyn McLeod introduced our speaker, South Texas District President Lonnie Matthew who brought the Federation Program,

"Carney Kid to District President". She challenged members stereotype of carnival people. She went to college and became an accomplished RN and businesswoman. She highlighted how her work in the family carnival business led to her developing the leadership skills of responsibility, accountability, standing up for oneself, thinking on your feet, and dealing with people. These skills are useful in her role as District President and have allowed her to be successful in her service to the GFWC Texas Federated Women's Clubs.

Officer and Committee Reports:

Recording Secretary Ann Schmidt reported 41 active members, 1 honorary lifetime members and 5 guests for a total of 47 present. Minutes were filed as presented.

Cathey Briscoe is taking dues today for Treasurer Melinda Charbonnet. If you have not paid please mail Melinda a check as soon as possible.

Membership Chair Pat Flat announced the recommendations for membership of Diane Boucher by Nancy Priddy and Brigitte Eichler and Robin Trantham by Lori Kasper and Melinda Charbonnet. The membership committee reported an irregularity in the voting process with more ballots cast than eligible voters present. The committee recommended holding the nominations until September.

Ways and Means Co-Chair Cathey Briscoe announced that she and

Meeting Minutes, Continued

Pat Flatt will make calls and send emails this summer to connect with committee chairs for meetings. They are looking forward to an exciting fund raiser and fashion show next fall.

Clubhouse Chair Linda Somervill reported that many of the clubhouse keys were not working so a locksmith was hired to repair the lock. A new vacuum cleaner has been purchased for the clubhouse.

Courtesy chair Bobbie Fallin sent a card to Peggy Harding after her carpal tunnel surgery and will send a card to Jimmie and Wynn Stanton to let them know we are thinking of them.

Cheryl Troxel called for volunteers to be added to the communications committee. Three new committee members are needed to be in charge of HCNews communications, our club web site, and communications with the GFWC magazine. One more photographer is also needed to help take pictures at club events.

Federation Counselor Ernestine Shugart announced that WWC received 24 certificates at the Spring GFWC Texas Convention. We received 10 1st place awards and 6 2nd place awards. Carolyn McLeod receives a 1st place for the poem she entered and Ernestine Shugart for a 2nd place for her photo for Volunteers in Action in the photography contest. In addition, Pat Flatt got a 1st place for her chairman report on Legislation and Public Policy, Linda Somervill got a 1st place for her chairman report on Education and Ernestine Shugart got a 1st place for her chairman report on International Outreach. Carolyn McLeod gave her 2nd Vice President Report and Ernestine Shugart announced the acceptance of Patricia Troell from Alamo District as a new GFWC Texas State Life Member. Carolyn McLeod served as hostess for GFWC 2nd Vice President Suellen Brazil who spoke to the convention. Club members from all over the state are busy working on

hosting the GFWC Convention beginning June 28th in Austin. Remember that Carolyn needs help with the Texas night festivities. Let her know that you are planning to help.

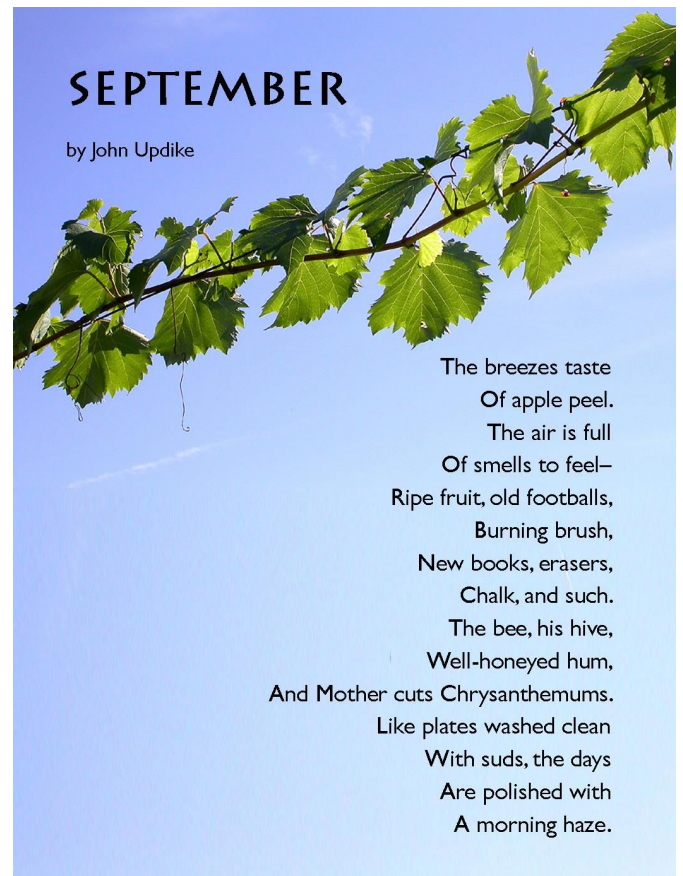
Cheryl Troxel presented her President's Report in which she thanked all members of each committee by name for their diligent work all year. Each member contributed to our very successful club year. Cheryl wished everyone a great summer and thanked the committees that will continue their work into the summer.

Patsy Newsom dismissed the meeting with the "A Collect For Club Women" found on page 13 of the yearbook.

Meeting adjourned at 2:15 PM.

Submitted by:

Ann Schmidt, Recording Secretary





Picture Perfect!

Photography by: Pat Flatt

Photos from our May Meeting



Our Speaker



Pat and Cheryl



Ernestine



A great turn out!



Joyce



Three lovely ladies!



Carolyn, Cheryl, Ernestine