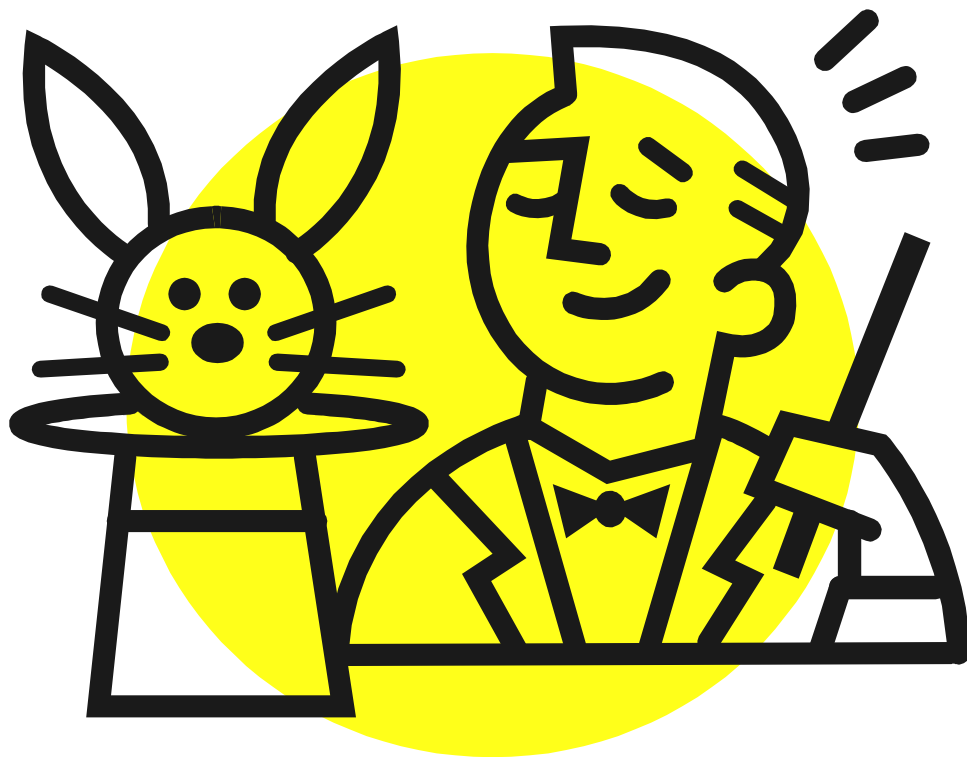


GFWC Illinois 10TH DISTRICT
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 26TH
PROGRAM BUREAU

ARBORETUM Club
401 HALF DAY Rd.
BUFFALO GROVE, IL.60089



President's Message

Fortunately, the weather was not too severe on Wednesday for the January district board meeting and Arts & Crafts Exhibit at Midlane Golf Resort in Wadsworth, at which 52 members were present, bringing with them many, many beautifully created mediums of artwork. The quality of the items exhibited was impressive. A huge "Thank you" to all who brought their artwork and especially to Judy Haga, Arts and Crafts Exhibit Chairman, and her committee members Judy Schieck and Jean Wilson. While the number of attendees and items exhibited were down from last year, it is my hope that this annual event will be continued in the years to come; we have so much talent within our membership and this event is an excellent way to share the fruits of our hobbies and talents.

Betty Chornoby, Program Bureau Chairman, has been working diligently to put together a great line-up of performing artists and entertainers who will be showcasing their talents at our upcoming Program Bureau on Wednesday, February 26, at The Arboretum Club in Buffalo Grove. As emphasized at the meeting on Wednesday, please notify Betty of any talent act (of any kind) that your club has employed, or someone you've heard of, so that Betty can invite them to participate in this showcase. We will start promptly at 10:00 AM. I am hopeful for a great turn-out at this event, so please invite a guest to attend with you. Also, please use the registration form (included in this newsletter), indicating your menu choice, and mail with payment by the stated reservations deadline. I cannot underscore enough the importance of this request. A brief business meeting will precede the Program Bureau.

District club presidents, earlier in the year, received letters from the GFWC Illinois Convention Committee asking for donations for door prizes with a minimum value of \$25 (cash or gift, such as a gift basket) for

awarding at Convention. Anyone wishing to make a monetary donation should mail the check, prior to April 1 -- for recognition in the Convention program -- to: Terri Soehrmann, 127 S. 3rd Ave., Lombard, IL 60148. Make the check payable to GFWC Illinois. Please indicate donor name, individual or club donation and a brief description of the donation. I will gladly transport any non-cash donations when I attend the February 28-March 1 State Board meeting, if arrangements can be made for getting the item to me, such as bringing it to the Program Bureau event.

Remember to wear red on *National Wear Red Day*®, Friday, February 7, to call attention to women's heart health. Too often, we women ignore serious warning signs, putting our own health needs behind the needs of other loved ones. And, since it's also the month of Valentine's Day, my wish for each of you is that you enjoy good health and that you have a wonderful Valentine's Day

with someone you love.

In Federation friendship,

Marty

Special Request!! Cube Tissue Boxes Needed For Centerpieces!!

Cube-style tissue boxes (those used for pop-up tissues) of any brand are needed by Wednesday, February 26. I need 30 (uncrushed) boxes which will be used for creating centerpieces for the GFWC Illinois Convention Unity Luncheon. Please bring them to the February District Board Meeting/Program Bureau.

Many thanks!

Marty

President-Elect's Message

Linda Anne Valentino

WE NEED SUGGESTIONS

Many of our favorite restaurants have closed recently. It is so difficult to find restaurants that would be amenable to every club and every event. We are desperate for suggestions that would accommodate our District and fulfill our requirements. When making your suggestions we would ask that you stay within the perimeters of our District. In fact, it would be great if you would suggest restaurants that are at least 20 miles from our borders towards the center of the District making it easier for members to drive. The restaurant must have a private room which closes from other areas, be on the first floor or have an elevator, have a restroom on the first floor or accessible by elevator, accommodates at least 60 women, and will serve a luncheon or a breakfast brunch. Please give your suggestions to Carol Behm or Linda Anne Valentino by email or bring your suggestions to the next meeting. We will be making reservations soon for next year and we really would appreciate your input. Please ask your club women for suggestions.

Corresponding Secretary

Please keep me informed of any changes to you contact information.

Thank You

Audrey Lyle Alyle39@comcast.net

Vice President ~ Membership

Please let me know if a member of your club passes away. I would then be able to include her in the memorials at the meetings.

My contact information is:

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Director of Junior Clubs

Building Blocks of the Future

**2012 ~ 2014 GFWC Illinois Juniors are
dedicated to community improvement by
enhancing the lives of others through
volunteer service.**

Ewe make a Difference

Margaret Cole

Parliamentarian: Phyllis Cossarek

Subjects:

Your Bylaws

Your Officers

Your Tools

Your Committees

The Fundamental principles of

Parliamentary Law are:

“Courtesy to all

Justice to all

One thing at a time

The rule of the majority

The rights of the minority

Partiality to none”

It is designed to:

Expedite business

To maintain order and

To insure justice and equality.”

Education Jo Galassini-

Quotations From Famous People

Things do not change; we change.
-Henry David Thoreau

The ultimate value of life depends upon awareness and the power of contemplations rather than upon mere survival.
-Aristotle

There comes a time when the mind takes a higher place of knowledge but can never prove how it got there.
-Albert Einstein

True life is lived when tiny changes occur.
-Leo Tolstoy

Every now and then a man's mind is stretched by a new idea or sensation, and never shrinks back to its former dimensions.
-Oliver Wendell Holmes

Knowing is not enough; we must apply. Willing is not enough; we must do.
-Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

Success is the ability to go from one failure to another with no loss of enthusiasm.
-Winston Churchill

From: Brain Changer by David DiSalvo

World of GFWC

By: Karen Erb

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Newsletter Publishing Deadlines

February 28th for the March Meeting

March 28th for the April Meeting

Newsletter News

By virtue of their office, the following receive the newsletter District Officers and Committee persons: Club Presidents; Past District Presidents and Past Directors of Junior Clubs.

Subscriptions for the print version are \$5 per year (September to May issue). Send check made out to GFWC IL District 10 and mail to Margaret Cole; 285 Chestnut Street; Antioch IL 60002 (phone 847-395-0172)

If you have an email address you may receive the eVersion of the newsletter at no charge. Just send an email to GFWCILD10@yahoo.com requesting to be added to the email list.

Just think – all of your members with an email address would be able to get the newsletter.

GFWC ILLINOIS 10TH DISTRICT

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22ND, 2014

ARBORETUM CLUB

401 HALF DAY RD. ~~ BUFFALO GROVE, IL.60089

REGISTRATION 9:30 A.M. ~~ MEETING 10:00 A.M. ~~

MEETING CONTINUES AFTER LUNCH AS NECESSARY

MENU

MIXED GREEN SALAD

CHOICE OF ENTREE:

CHICKEN PICCATA WITH ROASTED ROSEMARY RED POTATOES

PAN SEARED SALMON WITH WILD RICE PILAF

PASTA ITALIANO (PASTA WITH VEGETABLES IN A PARMESAN CREAM SAUCE)

SAUTEED GREEN BEANS

ROLLS & BUTTER

CHOCOLATE MOUSSE

COFFEE, TEA AND SODA INCLUDED

RESERVATIONS DUE TO CAROL BY WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 19TH

COST IS \$21.00 PER PERSON

MAIL RESERVATIONS TO: CAROL BEHM, 2509 N. AUGUSTA COURT, WADSWORTH, IL 60083

FOR INFORMATION CALL: 847-625-6993

ALL RESERVATIONS MUST BE PAID IN ADVANCE

PLEASE USE THE RESERVATION FORM