GFWC Illinois 10th District October 25, 2017 Reflections Restaurant

(On the east shore of Deep Lake)

Presidents Message

Happy Fall! Happy Rain for all you gardeners! The trees are turning colors and pumpkins are seen all over. As you ready your schedules for fall and cooler weather don't forget that

October is Breast Cancer Month. Have a mammogram to protect yourself and give everyone you know who is a survivor or going thru treatment a big hug.

Notes from the Great Lakes Region Conference:

Is your club planning on reviewing your bylaws??? Here is an idea to incorporate into your bylaws:

Electronic Meetings

 In order to have electronic meetings, these meetings must be adopted in your bylaws.

In an emergency an electronic meeting can be held but it must be ratified at the next meeting.

There is a free app—magic gavel—which can help you with questions regarding

Roberts Rules of Order. You should refer to the latest book-Roberts Rules of Order, 2nd edition, if you are using a book as a reference.

Custom (its always be done that way) does not hold if it not stated in the bylaws.

A thought for the day--"if you live in the past, you will die in the future".

Happy Halloween!!

Your Tenth District President

Carol Johnson, 630-696-6385

Recording Secretary

GFWC DISTRICT 10 MEETING SEPTEMBER 27, 2017

Call to order: 10:38
A guorum was present.

President Carol Johnson led the pledge.

Past District Presidents attending: Lynn Fletcher, Marty Butler, Margaret Cole, Evelyn Dill, Lou Halfpap, and Jackie Victor; and Past Junior

Director Margaret Cole

Guest attending: Andrea Connor, Sandy Lambert, Marilyn Corbett and Judie Ziethlow.

Thought of the Day: Lynn Fletcher

Collect: Luella Halfpap; Junior pledge: Patti Rische.

Minutes read and approved.

Treasurer's report: \$5454.35. Accepted and filed. Golf Outing: A motion was made to rescind rule 3a from the standing rules. Motion carried. Luella led Memorials for the following: Nancy Morici, Mary Kay McNeil, Pam Brown, and Betty Smouse all from Antioch. Mary E. Myers from Gurnee. Pat Orlow and Mary Egbert from Morton Grove. Mary Jane Sterbenz from Zion.

Lynn Fletcher asked if anyone needed a district book and if there are any corrections to be made.

Junior Report: Mary Lou Williamson will be the next Director of Junior Clubs.

Proposed Budget: Evelyn Dill said income was much less, so cuts have been made to the budget. Budget was passed.

President' Report: Summer Seminar had a program on self-defense. Convention: It was stated that GFWC has lost more members. Island Lake won a award for Make A Difference Day, and K-9 Companions. Wauconda took first place for a decorated pig.

International convention. The state of Illinois received many awards.

Great Lakes Region sent \$615.00 from GFWC to hurricane relief.

Marty Butler's husband will speak at our October meeting about the Marine Core.

The November meeting is about report writing. Shelly Fehr will be our quest speaker. Baskets form the golf outing will be raffled off.

Club Presidents reports: Zion, Waukegan, Antioch Juniors, Morton Grove, Gurnee, and Wauconda are having fund raisers. Please contact the clubs for more information.

The October Meeting will be at Reflections on Deep Lake. \$21:00. Reservation must be in by October 18th

Program ideas: Local police, estate sales, gun safety, Veterans Closet, Lake County Farm Bureau, and Lake County Forest Preserve District. Grace was said. We recessed at 12:00 noon. Meeting resumed at 1:20.

We had a 50/50.

Having no further business meeting adjourned at 1:23.

Respectfully submitted, Darlene Rayner Recording Secretary

Home Life ~ Willa Dietrich

HOUSEHOLD TIPS

- Separating bananas from the bunch makes them last longer.
- Best way to reheat a pizza to keep it crispy base is warm in a frying pan.
- If you seal an envelope and realize you've forgotten to include something inside just place it in the freezer for an hour or two and the envelope will unseal without a trace.
- If you have an ant problem, put a small pile of polenta where you see the ants and they'll gobble it up, return home, and won't be able to digest it. Your ant problem soon will be dead.

Dates & Locations for 2017 ~ 2018

All meetings start with registration at 10:00 a.m. and meeting starts at 10:30 a.m., unless otherwise indicated. Break for lunch about noon. Meeting continues after lunch as necessary.

Wednesday, October 25

Reflections Restaurant on Deep Lake 38564 N. Edgewood Street Lake Villa

Wednesday, November 29

Arboretum Club 401 Half Day Road (IL Rte. 22) Buffalo Grove

Wednesday, January 24, 2018

White Deer Run Golf Club 250 West Gregg's Parkway Vernon Hills

Wednesday, February 28

Bonnie Brook Golf Club 2800 N. Lewis Avenue Waukegan

Wednesday, March 28

Dover Straits 890 US Hwy. 45 Mundelein

Wednesday, April 25

Hawthorn Woods Country Club 1 Tournament Drive North Hawthorn Woods

Newsletter News

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