WCDB WHISPERINGS

GFWC WOMAN'S CLUB OF DEERFIELD BEACH MAY 2018

Marti's Message,

Dear Members:

You really made me SMILE. I am very proud to serve as your President for 2018-19. All our Officers and Committee Chairwomen are dedicated to preserving our club's history and implementing all kinds of activities for our 100th Birthday in 2019. They will need your help, so when they ask I know you will be there for them with your talents and experiences in hand.

Our Officers' Installation Dinner was a WOW event with thirty-seven members attending. District 13 Director, Marie Ambrisino, swore us all in with a Garden Theme and gifts of flowers and pinwheels to correlate with our theme, <u>Pinwheels for Prevention</u> (Child Abuse Awareness Month). Also attending was Dist. 13 Presidents' Project Chair, Carol Johnson.

The Deerfield Beach Café, provided us with a gourmet dinner, and the Key Club Students from Deerfield Beach High School helped serve. Décor was festive in Blue & White and our Pinwheel Garden and outdoor plantings welcomed everyone to our club house.

Toula Amanna was awarded an appreciation plaque for "ALL" she does for our club and others in our district. Other members received their Years of Service Pins. New members received Star Fish Pins. Katy Freitag, Volunteer of the Year, and Ellyce Plotkin, Beach Clean Up, were awarded certificates and gifts of appreciation. Outgoing Officers, Verna Rosensweig, & Fay Swalley, and Newsletter Writer, Bett Willett, & Newsletter Distributer, Pat Pollotta received gifts/certificates, all serving over 4 years in their positions. Outgoing Officers, Sue Casanover & Pam Militello , and Social Chair, Sally Brinkworth received certificates of appreciation. Outgoing President, Mary Mc Kenna was given a lovely heart necklace and certificate for her service. I want to personally thank Director, Denise Bogner and 1st V.P., Phyllis Mavrikis for "All" they do! They are always there to pitch in when the need arises. Remember, when you stand alone on one foot, the task is very difficult, but when you reach out and touch the person next to you, you become balanced and can stand a long time. Working together as a team makes great things happen easily. We have lots of work to do and many volunteer contributions to make in our community. Our membership is growing, and we truly are showing Unity in Diversity as new members with many talents join and strengthen our club.

Thanks for all you do! Future generations depend on it!

Marti

DAYTIME MEETING TUESDAY, MAY 8TH 1:00 PM

DAYTIME SPEAKER:

Marlene Jupiter, who has written a book, "Savvy Investing for Women". Marlene was with a prominent Wall Street brokerage firm and in this book, she provides expert advice on how to invest, how to buy stocks, bonds, cash instruments, along with other tips. Currently, she works as a realtor In Boca Raton.

EVENING DIVISION MEETINGWEDNESDAY, MAY. 16TH 7:00 PM

Discuss ideas to celebrate 100 year anniversary. Need members to serve Evening Division and all Departments and Committees.



Our club will be 99 years old in May. Come to either the daytime or evening meeting to celebrate !!!!!



May -

Sally Chase - 5/10
Kitty Cole - 5/31
Frieda Day - 5/8
Dorothy Dunn - 5/13
Susan Hines - 5/10
Pat Hyde - 5/9
Mickey Rosenkranz - 5/30
Verna Rosenzweig - 5/2
Mary Unterbrink - 5/5



JACKIE VIEGAS

GERRY COVITZ



SOCIALS:

Sally Brinkworth announced that, because there are no

meetings during the summer, we will be doing interesting activities, at our usual meeting times.

Instead of the regular day meeting in June, we are having a social lunch at Two George's at the Cove in Deerfield Beach, June 12th, at 12 noon. Call Sally ahead to make reservations - 954-427-2175

July 10, we will take a bus trip to Hutchinson Island, by motor coach, a tour of Elliott Museum, lunch at Kyle G's on the Beach, and a personal guided tour of the island, all-inclusive for only \$70 per person. Call Sally at 954-427-2175 and send your check to Susan Casanover.

The next activity will be a tour of Miami on August 14. Again, we will catch our motor coach in the parking lot of the clubhouse at 9:00 am. We will visit the Holocaust Museum, Little Havana, Coconut Grove, and South Beach, then a visit to Bayside Marketplace for lunch on your own. All for only \$47.00. Call Sally for reservations, and mail check to Susan.



Annual membership dues of \$40 are payable by May 1. This is for the 2018 - 2019 year. If you have not paid your dues yet, please mail your check to:

Eleanore De Boo 253 NW 42nd Way Deerfield Beach, FL 33442



BRING BOX TOPS TO MAY MEETING SO DENISE CAN GET THEM TO TEDDER BEFORE THE LAST DAY OF SCHOOL Many thanks to this year's Phone Tree callers: Sally Chase, Barbara Gardner, Ellie Mills, Pat Pollotta, and Bea Williamson, for all of your help and time. It was



very much appreciated! We may need more callers for next year, 2018-19.

We want to start having a Phone Tree for the evening group of members. If you are interested in doing this, please let Phyllis know by email, or (954) 798-4916.

Installation of Officers



At the Officer's Installation Dinner, the following members were acknowledged for their Woman's Club membership anniversary. Since this is the first year we awarded these pins at the Installation Dinner, we announced member anniversaries for both 2017 and 2018 years. Pins were awarded to those present at the dinner. Some 2017 pins were given previously at the general meetings.

2018 25 years: Patricia Pollotta

15 years:
Kitty Cole
Irene Wesstrom
Barbara Gardner
Marge Hilton
Rita Masi
Barbara Moriarty
Bett Willett

10 Years: Fay Swalley

5 years:

Toula Amanna
Jackie Castro
Angelina MacIlwreith
Pam Militello
Ellie Mills
Verna Rosenzweig
Delores Sharer
Mary Unterbrink
Pauline Di Noto
Susan Hines
Mickey Rosenkranz

In addition, the following new members for 2017 and 2018 were acknowledged and starfish pins were given to the members present.

Members who joined in 2017:

Andrea Cardinalli Christina Fink Yvette Nieves Louise O'Gorman Janie Owens Josephine Smith

Members who joined in 2018:

Jean Days
Sophia Deutsch
Catherine (Kay) Hurley
Jody Nelson
Melissa Armstrong
Jacobede (Jackie) Viegas



Member Christina Fink has been named to the Deerfield Beach Education

Advisory Committee (she joins Bett Willett on the committee). They meet the 1st Wednesday of the month at 7:00 pm at Hillsboro Community Center, 50 Hillsboro Technology Drive. Please mark your calendar to attend and show our support to this newly developed committee.



This year's Relay for Life has been rescheduled until September 22

The brick at the Headquarters Walkway has been purchased for \$100



It will read:

LEGACY BRICK WALK GFWC WOMAN'S CLUB OF DEERFIELD BEACH

Women's History Hall of Fame Marti McGeary Bett Willett









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"ONE Club,
ONE Purpose,
MANY Branches!"

From Marti

The annual Surfers for Autism event was held at the Main Beach in Deerfield on Saturday, April 7th. Several members attended and helped. Christina Fink was there all day, with some of her students from Deerfield Beach Elementary. It was so much fun to see the participants enjoying themselves on the surfboards, while being provided with assistance.









Jackie Castro is a Woman's Club member – please contact her if you would like to try this:



Help Us Rent Our Clubhouse



Help Support Our Club; tell all your friends what a great place it is to have an event for up to 100 people at our club house.

Contact Marti McGeary at 954-421-4700

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