

## **January Newsletter 2022**











## THE BUZZ from BOBBI JO

I hope everyone enjoyed a Happy Hanukkah. a Merry and Blessed Christmas and a very Happy New Year. I am praying you are a well and doing a good job hiding from Covid.

Kudos for our dedicated member, Toula Amana, and the Staff at Flashback Diner in Boca. Raton. She special ordered our entrée's for our perfect meals & gave us a private setting for our Holiday Party, She gave us her ALL with so many extra surprises: Champaign & Apple Margaritas, a very talented piano player, a sing-along with Santa & Mrs. Claus. Plates of Gingerbread Ladies topped off the dessert. Her generosity is just phenomenal, the BEST EVER Restauranteur! When you see her, thank her and have your next special dinner at the Flashback or the Deerfield Beach Café on the beach.

As a club we remain busy and are looking forward to new projects and events. At both January meetings we will be collecting children's books which will be donated to children who might not have access to books. Much less having one to call their own. We thank Abby Bargloski for spearheading this project. We plan to put a small basket of books at several local laundromats where children can read them while they are there or "borrow" one to take home. please donate one book or several. Thank you.

It is time to recommend a member of our club to run for Volunteer of the Year and to be considered for the District 13 Volunteer of the Year. District Volunteer of the Year will then be considered for GFWC Volunteer of the Year. This is a big honor so choose wisely and write a letter to support someone. It is O.K. to speak for yourself if you think you might deserve to be chosen. Just submit a letter stating all you did for our club and community for the 2021 year. (no more than two pages This needs to happen right away for the Executive Board to review all nominees.

Happy New Year, Bobbi Jo







# DENISE BOGNER.

#### **EVENING DIRECTOR/TREASURER**

Members had a GREAT TIME at the Holiday Party. Delicious snacks and Katy did a fabulous job for us to have a fun time playing games and winning prizes.

We are very sorry more members did not attend – please keep in mind we would love for members to attend both day and evening meetings when they are available.

Mark your calendar for Wednesday, January 19<sup>th</sup>, 7:00 pm to attend the Evening Meeting. Abby Bargloski, 23d V.P. is going to present a wonderful program for Education and Library Month. Bring a favorite children's book to discuss "Theme" those attending will bring their favorite book and discuss the theme of the book. Children's Books may be donated to needy children's groups

#### Free Elderly Transportation Deerfield Beach –

The City of Deerfield Beach Parks and Recreation Department's CDBG transportation service operates 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. These services are for residents 62 years of age and older and are provided hourly to and from the Center for Active Aging, the Palm, B'nai B'rith, Praxis and Highland Gardens. Destinations are the Festival Flea Market and Deerfield Mall on Mondays, Walmart on Tuesdays, Winn Dixie and Aldi on Wednesdays, Bravo Supermarket on Thursdays. The city's beach and pier and the Ideal Food Basket on Fridays. Wearing masks/facial coverings on the bus is required. Call 954-480-4442 for more information.

**Evening Holiday Party Pics** 













#### **NEWS FROM Sally Brinkworth, 1st V.P.**

**Christmas Luncheon Party on December 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021** was a wonderful, fun party. Tulla Amana outdid herself—providing sumptuous appetizers, a wonderful variety of entrees and the desserts were to die for . Toula also provided a Concert Pianist who played throughout the entire luncheonall Christmas songs, hymns and at one point, a "Sing-Along" that got everyone in a very festive holiday moon. Santa and Mrs. Claus gave out all the exchange gifts which was a big crowd pleaser.

#### **PARTY PICS**























<u>DAY MEETING, January 11</u>: Abby Bargloski shall present a wonderful program for Education and Library Month. Each member attending will bring their favorite book and discuss the theme of the book. Also, we are asking our members from both Meetings to bring any Elementary Children's Books that they are willing to donate. These books will be greatly appreciated and will be donated to needy children's groups.

Senior Bus Trip Information—Not available NOW.

We are watching the new strain of the Covid pandemic before re-booking. Warmest regards. Sally Brinkworth



We love to socialize, but we are not a Social Club! Helping those in need is a strategic part of our Club's Mission and GFWC Worldwide! Keep track of your hours and report them by email or at any meeting to our President Bobbi Jo or Evening Director, Denise Bogner.

The club is a 501c3 organization, all donations are tax deductible. Help raise \$ for a much needed roof! Do you order from Smile.Amazon.com? Choose our club when you check out for us to receive % of sales. Marti McGeary, Auditor/Director



**NEWS FROM Debbie Rollo, ART CHAIR:** Get those Art Projects completed. Just one month until our **February Meeting** when we have our Art Competition. We are looking forward to seeing all the beautiful crafts, paintings, and photography works you have completed! So many categories. Not sure where yours belong contact me or Marti Mc Geary for help.

### FOR Suggestions, information, & to volunteer for the following Departments

CONSERVATION: Ellyce Plotkin; HOME LIFE/Health & Wellness: Claire Riccardi HOSPITALITY, R.S.V.P. Meetings/Phone Tree: Marie Ettlinger, Corr. Secretary



Eleanore De Boo, Financial Sec.

Membership Chair

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MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS CAN BE DOWNLOADED FROM THE WEBSITE www.dbwc.org



Vivian Jeffers 1/5, Our Matriarch, Celebrating 98 yrs. Young
Pam Militello 1/11 Melissa Armstrong 1/13
Pauline Di Noto 1/13 Mae Gerrish 01/22
Adrienne Shaw 1/27

### **CLUBHOUSE NEWS— Katy Freitag, 2nd VP**



The Clubhouse under went an inspection required by the state for all buildings 40+ years. It passed with flying colors! However, it still needs that new roof!

The club relies on rental meetings and events to pay our bills, support our scholarship fund and other club fundraising projects. **YOUR HELP IS NEEDED!** Promote our club to those you do business with, your friends and family.

Fundraising Projects are in the works and you shall be called on to VOLUNTEER! The club is a long way from the estimated \$20,000 needed for the new roof.



For any questions or RENTALS, please contact me, Katy Freitag 954-421-4700 press 1

We were there!

# <u>Deerfield Beach Historical</u> <u>Society "Santa's Breakfast"</u>

Susan Cassanover, Pauline Di Noto, Katy Freitag, Marti McGeary, Carolyn McNamara, Pam Militello, Mickey Rosenkranz









<u>Deerfield Beach Toy & Book Holiday Project,</u> B.S.O., J & M, Kiwanis & GFWC Deerfield Beach WC. Katy Freitag, Marti Mc Geary, Ellie Mills, Claire Riccardi





Gateway Holiday Outreach Toy Project: Carolyn Mc Namara, Pauline Di Noto, Katy Freitag, Marti Mc Geary, Mickey Rosenkrantz



Thanks everyone for your dedicated service during this busy holiday season!



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#### **DISTRICT 13 NEWS & VIEWS**

District Clubs throughout the state just completed their Remittance Forms and updated their membership lists to GFWC. \$23/pp was sent to GFWC out of the \$60 dues for 2021-22. (80 members).

Next business at hand is to choose a Volunteer of the Year 2021 for each club and then for District 13. See Bobbi Jo's Buzz for explanation.

Your officers can't do it all alone! If you have not done so already, please give Bobbi Jo your 2021 volunteer hours and in kind donations A.S.A.P (yesterday if possible) These will be submitted in our Annual Report to GFWC. Deadline for your reports is January 15. If you chaired or initiated a special project please write a narrative (paragraph) explaining the details.

First place winners from our club Art Competition in February will be entered into the District 13 Art Competition. GFWC Plantation Acres Woman's Club will be the hosting club. Details forthcoming. Carol Johnson is our District Art Competition Chair.

Thanks for all you do!



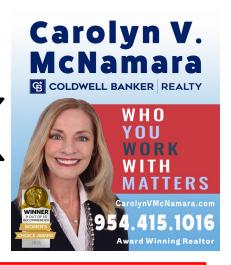
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Friends in Federation, Marti Mc Geary DD13



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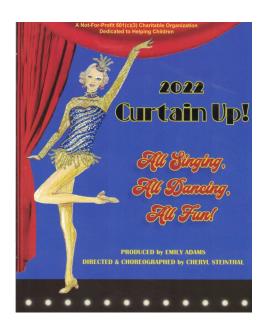
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Renewals are due September 1st. Please provide your digital artwork (nonpdf) to Katy Freitag at Katyfreit-



## **JANUARY 2022**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	47 PM Rescheduled EX. Bd.	5	6	7	8
9	10	11 1 PM  Day Meeting	12 Human Trafficking Awareness Day	13	14	15
16	17 MLK Day	18	19 7 PM Evening Meeting	20	21	22
23	24 International Day of Educa- tion	25 Executive Board Meeting	26	27	28	Festival of the Arts DF Beach
30 Festival of the Arts	31			STICK YOUR NECK OUT	With KIND	NESS



**Supporting Disadvantaged Children** 

Through the Art of Dance & Song! Contact Vivian Jeffers for dates and locations. First show is January 23.

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