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A Message from the President:

What an exciting time of the year! I have just returned from the CFWC September board call that was held in Oakland California September 20th-22nd 2018 it was a dynamic conference.

Dori Kelsey, our State President. Her theme is "CFWC Keeping up with the Times." We had a packed agenda infused with fun and activities. The CFWC had a round-up on Saturday, September 22nd, for lunch. The Chuck Wagon had good eats for all. Square dancing was the highlight for the day and most of the federated sisters were dressed in cowgirl boots and hats. We looked really great and we are certainly keeping up with the times. By the way, yours truly was one of the winners in the hat contest. Several speakers were presented, but the most impressive one was "send a cup of Joe for a Joe!" It was motioned, seconded, and adopted that CFWC will support this program. For only \$2.50 you can brighten a deployed service members' day with a cup of coffee and a personal message. It will be delivered to them at one of their overseas cafes, and even give the opportunity to email you back!

District presidents reported on goals for their district. The reports were limited to three minutes. The goals that I reported on were the collect and membership. By June 2019, the Los Cerritos federated sisters will strive to begin all of our meetings with the collect. We will aim to comprehend, understand, and apply the collect in our meetings and transfer this learning experience to our everyday life with over 80% accuracy. By June 2019, the Los Cerritos District over all membership will have increased by 15-20 members by sponsoring teas, seasonal recruitment campaigns, increased publicity, and local community papers. We will also give incentives to enhance clubs. These incentives will help to improve our overall membership.

Ladies, we want you to know that anyone from the area is invited to attend the meetings. You pay dues, so come and see how your CFWC runs. It is your right!

Members, let's not forget our upcoming Area "C" workshop at the Woman's Club of Hollywood on October 20th 2018. The address is 1749 N. La Brea Hollywood, CA 90046. The district has provided a bus to take us to Hollywood. It is free and will be leaving from Progress Park at 7:30 AM on the 20th of October. We will leave Hollywood to return home at 3:00 PM.

There will also be a Pala Casino District bus trip scheduled for November 15th, 2018. The cost is \$20, so pay your money to Sandra Richardson or Cathy Brassell and reserve your seat. As you know my special project is Ronald McDonald. I am asking all clubs to bring toys, toiletries, socks, and etc. for going to our November meeting. These items will be given to the children at the Ronald McDonald House for Christmas and don't forget the month of September was childhood cancer awareness month.....

Now my federated sisters this is all about living in the Volunteer Spirit!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
Until next time, from the desk of your President,
Robbie Hicklin, Los Cerritos District

1st VICE PRESIDENT, DEAN OF CHAIRMEN

I am so grateful that our District Chairmen positions were filled. Hope to see everyone at our monthly Meetings, Special Events and Luncheons.

Talking about Luncheons, by now, Club Deans should have already submitted their Reservations for the October Council (October 8th-Progress Park Plaza), the cost remains \$15.

Club checks should be mailed to our Reservation Chairman Ms. Bobbie Thompson, her information is in our District Yearbook. City of Paramount Mayor, Ms. Diane Martinez will be there to welcome us.

Let's not forget the fast approaching Report Writing Workshop on Monday, November 19, 2018 (please note the date change). I am calling on all Club Chairmen to attend as the day is guaranteed to be a very special, informative and satisfying. What makes this different from other Report Writing Workshops? Because, we are fortunate enough to have a very special Speaker none other than GFWC State Vice President Ms. Pam Ament.

I would appreciate it if all Clubs can give me a head count, so we will be able to provide enough handouts, if there are any. Don't forget to share a sandwich, cut in fourths, for lunch. Our District will provide the drinks, chips and sweets. Of course, everyone is welcome to attend, let's make this workshop well populated!

LET THE FUN BEGIN! The Fine Arts Festival and Luncheon (February 25, 2019-South Gate Auditorium) and Garden Conference and Luncheon (May 6, 2019-Progress Park Plaza) is happening soon so please, submit your ideas for the theme to be use for these two events. The sooner we can announce the theme, the better preparation we will have. Judges are also needed, contact me if you know anyone that would like to donate their time to serve as one of our judges on these exciting events. The Luncheon cost is \$15.

Looking forward of seeing everyone on our October Council Luncheon!
Elisa Trasoras, Dean 2018-2020

CALENDAR

Monday 8

October Council &
Lunch

Wednesday 10

South Gate WC
Federation/Reciprocity

Tuesday 16

Lakewood WC
Federation/Reciprocity

Saturday 20

Area C Workshop
Woman's Club of
Hollywood

Monday 22

Alumnae

Monday 29

Parliamentary Law

2nd Vice President, Membership:

I had a very nice time at the paramount women's club reciprocity meeting. I was asked to speak about the history of our district, and was pleased to learn that at one point in time, the Catalina island women's club belonged to our district. They would attend our meetings and would host meeting for us on Catalina island. I enjoyed being able to read about other clubs that were a part of our large group of federated women. Our district will continue to grow with your help. Keep up the good work.

Judy Dessel, membership chairman.

4th Vice Presidents, Fundraising:

Pala Casino District Bus trip Nov 15, 2018.

Hello Ladies,

Reservations are being taken for the Pala Casino Bus Trip. \$20.00 per person.

The bus will depart Progress Park, 15500 Downey Ave, Paramount. You must check in by 9:15 AM. We will be at Casino 5 hours (11:30 am - 4:30 pm). We will return approximately 6:30 pm

You may send a \$20.00 check payable to Los Cerritos District and a note with your Name (same as Dr License), Address, Date of Birth, Phone Number and Pala Casino Card Number (if you have one) to: Sandra Richardson 6637 Dillman Street Lakewood , CA. 97013 Sisters in Federation, Sandra Richardson Cathy Brassell 4th VP's Fundraising



Parliamentarian:

“A prime value of parliamentary procedure is that it provides processes through which an organization, large or small, can

work out satisfactory solutions to the greatest number of questions in the least amount of time. It can do this whatever detail or complexity may be involved. It makes meetings go smoothly when everyone is in agreement, and allows the group to come to decisions fairly when issues are bitterly contested” Rules of Order in Brief It is my suggestion that each club have a copy of Roberts Rules of Order newly revised in brief at the very least.

Barbee Heiny, Parliamentarian

DEADLINES

October Newsletter Articles to Barbee Heiny
barbeeheiny@gmail.com
by.....**October 15**

I have a white loose weave table cloth that was left at Progress Park at one of the luncheon. I would like to return it.

Diane Deliz 562-429-5535. Thank you

Leadership

The activity of Leading a Group or an Organization or the Ability to do this.



This is Leadership!

Leadership involves:

Establishing a clear vision so that others will follow willingly, providing the information, knowledge and methods to realize that vision. Coordinating and balancing conflicting interests of the members involved in decision making.

- A Leader steps up in a time of crisis, and is able to think and act creatively in difficult situations.
- Unlike management, Leadership cannot be taught, although it may be learned and enhanced through coaching or mentoring.
- To be a good Leader people need to believe in you and know you are behind your message.
- It is not only what you say, but how you truly believe and feel that needs to be shown to your audience.
- Deliver your message face to face, eye to eye, and nose to nose.
- Example: If someone is nice to you, but not the server in the restaurant, are they a nice person?
- Think about that?
- And, on a last note,
- Please follow your chain of command in Leadership, it will save a lot of misunderstandings.

Thank you.

Blessings, Barbara Briley Beard, CFWC 2nd Vice President

Leadership Chairman

Los Cerritos District

To those of you who received the flowers with lanterns at Alumnae at Maggie's Pub, please return the lanterns to Barbara Briley Beard at the next LCD meeting. Thank you. They are centerpieces for my nieces MI wedding. Blessings, Barbara 562-708-0143.

Editor's Note

Members,

Thanks to Paulina for doing an excellent job on the newsletter the last two years. I really appreciate that she volunteered for the job when I took office as President.

I want to encourage all the officers and chairmen to write articles about your position

so the members are aware of your jobs and maybe can be encouraged to run for an office one day.

Also, any member may write an article if they deem it worthy of everyone's attention. We would like to hear from you too!

Barbee Heiny, Editor



**GFWC Woman's Club of
Huntington Park**

**Invites you to the Community Forum:
Relationships, Families and Violence**

Saturday, October 13, 2018

Salt Lake Park Social Hall

3401 E. Florence Ave.,
Huntington Park, CA 90255
9:30a.m. Registration
10:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. Program

Free Lunch for the first 100 people who Register.

**For more information please call Ivonne Correa, 323-449-7221 or
Liliana Arguello 310-228-0959.**



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