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A Message from the President:

WHAT A GORGEOUS TIME OF THE YEAR WITH YELLOW, ORANGE AND RED LEAVES FALLING ALL OVER OUR COMMUNITIES. SO WE HAVE FALLEN BACK TO STANDARD TIME AND IT IS ALMOST THANKSGIVING AND CHRISTMAS. FEDERATED SISTERS, WE HAVE A LOT TO BE THANKFUL FOR THE YEAR OF 2018. I ADMIRE THE WAY THAT WE ARE DISPLAYING OUR VOLUNTEER SPIRIT! WE HAVE SO MANY EXCITING EVENTS TO LOOK FORWARD TO DURING THIS SEASON OF THE YEAR.

JUST TO GIVE ACCOLADES TO THE GFWC WOMAN'S CLUB OF HOLLYWOOD, THEY WERE THE HOSTESS WITH THE MOSTEST. NOT TO MENTION OUR CAST! THE CAST INCLUDED OUR GFWC PRESIDENT, DORI KELSEY, ALONG WITH 1ST VICE-PRESIDENT PAM AMENT, 2ND VICE-PRESIDENT BARBARA BRILEY BEARD AND AREA "C" VICE -PRESIDENT DEBBIE PIETRESKO. THANK YOU GUYS, YOU WERE QUITE ENTERTAINING, INFORMATIVE AND HANDS ON.

THE PARAMOUNT WOMEN'S CLUB RECIPROCITY WAS WELL ATTENDED IT WAS BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED AND THE FOOD WAS TASTY. CONGRATS TO PARAMOUNT.

FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER, WE WILL HAVE RECIPROCITIES HELD BY THE FOLLOWING CLUBS: THE LA PHILIPPINE WC, NORWALK WC, AND BELLFLOWER WC. WHAT AN EXCITING MONTH,

ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2018 THE LOS CERRITOS DISTRICT WILL SPONSOR THE FESTIVAL OF TREES AND LUNCH AT 10:00 AM AT THE CITY OF SOUTH GATE AUDITORIUM. THE ADDRESS IS 4900 SOUTHERN AVENUE. SOUTH GATE 90280. LUNCH IS 15.00.

WITH THIS BEING SAID LADIES, I WISH YOU ALL A BLESSED AND HAPPY THANKSGIVING AND A HAPPY HOLIDAY SEASON!!!!!!

IT IS A PLEASURE BEING YOUR PRESIDENT.

FROM MY DESK TO YOUR HOME
ROBBIE HICKLIN, PRESIDENT
LOS CERRITOS DISTRICT WOMEN'S CLUB

DECEMBER CALENDAR



Sun 2-Mon 10 HANUKKAH

Mon 10 District Exec. Comm 8:30

Festival of Trees & Lunch 10:00

Setup, Coffee & Goodies 8:00

South Gate Auditorium \$15.00

4900 Southern Ave., South Gate

Wed 12 Norwalk WC 10:30

Federation/Reciprocity

Masonic Lodge, 12345 Rosecrans

Norwalk 90650

Sat 15 Bellflower

Federation/Reciprocity

9402 Oak St., Bellflower 90706

Sun 16 LA Philippine WC 1:00

Federation/Reciprocity

St. Columban Catholic Church

135 Loma Dr. LA 90026

Tues 25 CHRISTMAS

1st Vice President, Dean of Chairmen

- On October 7th, I attended L.A. Philippine Installation of Officers at Church of Scientology in North Hollywood.
- Paramount Mayor Ms. Diane Martinez attended District October luncheon, she welcomed our ladies and talked a little bit about the City’s latest accomplishments. Districts’ October Luncheon was attended by 61 members.
- Thank you South Gate for having me on your Reciprocity, it was great and Lasagna served for lunch was delicious. I bring home a lot of prizes and win the giant basket. Looking forward for next year.
- Approximately 150 attended the Area C Workshop hosted by Woman’s Club of Hollywood on October 20th. Thank you Everyone for your participation.
- A 3 minutes speech I delivered in L.A. City Hall on October 26th for L.A. Philippine Women’s Club was well received. I am humbled to be at the presence of L.A. City Officials.
- My apology for not attending the Parliamentary Class on January 29th but there are times that I need to tend some family business.
- All Club Deans should make reservation on our Festival of Trees Luncheon, December 10, 2018 – South Gate Auditorium. Cost for Luncheon is \$15.00.
- I am accepting suggestions/recommendations for Fine Arts Festival Theme. I am also in need of Judges for this event.

Elisa Trasoras, 1st VP - Dean

4th Vice Presidents, Fundraising:

Hello Ladies, Festival of Trees is Dec 10th at 10:00 am South Gate Auditorium, 4900 Southern Ave , South Gate. Please turn in money for Festival of Trees Tickets by Dec 7th. Lunch will be prepared by South Gate Woman's club. Cost is \$ 15.00. Please turn in money and count by Dec 3rd. Coffee hour provided by Paramount and Decorations by LA Philippines. Tables available for you to earn some extra Funds. Cost is \$15.00 per table . Please contact Sandy Richardson 562 866-8410 or Cathy Brassell 520 488-1588. Please reserve and pay by Dec 3rd. This is always a great time. So please come and enjoy the fun. 4th VP Fundraising Sandy Richardson and Cathy Brassell

Parliamentarian:

Thanks to all who attended and participated in the fun games at our Parliamentary Law Class. I hope everyone had fun and learned some new things and were reminded of some we already knew. Barbee Heiny, Parliamentarian

Writing Chairman:

I am looking for entries in writing and poetry. I know you ladies are very talented and have some great stories to write about. Please email them to me or mail or give them to me at District. Cathy.brassell@gmail.com

Care and Concern

On Wednesday Nov. 01, 2018, Paula Grimes experienced a fall at the gym and broke her hip. She was in surgery the next day and she is doing just fine after some blood transfusion. Paula is now at Southland Rehab. for physical therapy. Southland Rehab is located at 11701 Stidebaker Road in Norwalk.

DEADLINES

January Newsletter Articles
to Barbee Heiny
barbeeheiny@gmail.com
by.....**December 15**
or it may not get in

Theme for 2019 Fine Arts Festival is:
"MAGIC of COLOR"
Ask for student art, women's art, photography, needlework, sewing, treasure from trash, etc.

Chairman, Rae Holtzendorff, is seeking a committee of three more women club members. Call her at 562-677-5651

Leadership

Time Marches Forward CFWC

The month of October was a busy and fun-filled informative time for the Area meetings and your State Officers, Dori, Pam and I.

October 6 Pam Ament and I drove to Bakersfield and spent the day with Anna Dinter and Area B and 42 members.

We enjoyed the fellowship, meeting many of the Area members, and I enjoyed presenting my theme for the year of Tick, Tock, Stop the Clock on Membership.

From you as a member, to your club, District, CFWC and then GFWC we are united, and stronger being together, and moving forward in Membership with many projects, and including families and remembering to be kind.

October 13 Pam and I drove to Escondido for Area D with Jan Imonti, and with vendors and members selling items and baskets and drawings at all the Area meetings, we enjoyed the time spent with 128 members. Yes, I did break my wrist when I fell on the uneven platform on the stage and am still in a hard cast until the end of November. What a way to get out of cooking for Thanksgiving, right?!! We talked about attending Area meetings, and what do we learn, and how do we learn it!

November 20 found us at The Woman's Club of Hollywood for Area C, with appx. 143 in attendance, and we Chartered the Woman's Club of Hollywood, such a blessing to have them back in the fold of CFWC. Their clubhouse is beautiful, lots of History there, and I talked about Welcome letters for new members and how to get them.

The meals were lovely at all Area meetings, and I just wish more of you could have been with us to share the days!

Barbee, Pam and I flew to Sacramento on October 27, President Dori picked us up, then we drove to Corning to be with Linda Daniels Lima, your Area A V-P. What a fun and informative day we had and as we colored to get members, took as much toilet paper as we needed to get the job done; or ribbon; or string, (you have each member tear off a

piece of paper and tell us something personal about themselves; or wrap the string or yarn around their finger, wrist or waist, depending on how much they took, to tell you something personal about themselves. Everyone was a winner, and we all had candy and treats for participating. There were 142 plus members at Area A, next year we will have even more.

My clock had a 6 o'clock hour for anniversary certificates for 25 and 50 year members. We can do a nice certificate for the members to be honored and sell for \$5. a 25 year pin, and 50 year pins are free. Request them from me or the form is online at CFWC.org, officers, 2nd V-P.

Enjoy your holidays, may you be blessed and happy, and have a Merry Christmas to all and to all a good life!

See you in February at Boards for those of you who can attend.

Love in Federation, Barbara

The Newcomer

A long time ago there was a person coming to a new village, relocating, and he was wondering if he would like it there, so he went to the Zen master and asked: "do you think I will like it in this village? Are the people nice?" The master asked back: "How were the people in the town where you come from?" "They were nasty and greedy, they were angry and lived for cheating and stealing," said the newcomer." "Those are exactly the type of people we have in this village", said the master.

Another newcomer to the village visited the master and asked the same question, to which the master asked: "How were the people in the town where you come from?" "They were sweet and lived in harmony, they cared for one another and for the land, they respected each other and they were seekers of spirit," he replied. "Those are exactly the type of people we have in this village", said the master.

Moral: We attract the exact same people that we are!!!

Don't wait for your environment to change... be the change you want to see in others!

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