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San Gabriel Valley District
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JANUARY

- Jan. 4 SGVD Executive Committee Meeting—9:00 A.M.--zoom
- Jan. 8 SGVD Board Meeting—9:30 A.M.—zoom, Photos of Craft Contest items due to Marianne Jennings, 3406 Rosemary Ave., Glendale, Ca. 91206-fajmlj@aol.com
- Jan.18 DVAC meetings will not resume until further notice
- Jan.19, Parliamentary Affiliate Group Meeting, Baldwin Park WC: 3817 Baldwin Park Blvd, Baldwin Park, 10:00 A.M.

FEBRUARY

- Feb. 1 SGVD Executive Committee Meeting -9:00 A.M.--zoom
- Feb. 12 SGVD Board Meeting--9:30 A.M.--zoom
- Feb. 15 DVAC meetings will not resume until Further Notice.
- Feb. 16 SGVD Past District Pres. Affiliate Group Marie Callender's Azusa 1175 Alostia Avenue, Glendora - 11:30 A.M.
- Feb. 26 SGVD Alumnae Affiliate Group Meeting Baldwin Park Woman's Club 3817 Baldwin Park Blvd. Baldwin Park - 11:00 a.m.
- Feb. 24-28 CFWC Winter Board—zoom
- Feb. 20 Fashion Show TBD

SGVD President . . . Rosette Clippinger ...909-525-8828...dbosette@aol.com

Happy New Year 2021!!! Welcome to a new beginning and a new chapter for us to write!

It has been a very challenging year - one that included lots of creative thinking and more "zooming" than we thought was possible. Somehow, we managed to get our tasks done and overcame all the obstacles in our way. Here we are, stronger than before and I know some of us are now much more tech-savvy.

Unfortunately, many programs were cancelled or postponed for the safety of our members and per government orders. I am certain that we will be able to catch up in 2021 and we will move towards better days.

Our January board meeting will be via Zoom on January 8th and I am looking forward to seeing you at the next District Board meeting.

Once again, I wish you all a very happy and blessed New Year!

"We will open the book. Its pages are blank. We are going to put words on them ourselves. The book is called Opportunity and its first chapter is New Year's Day." - Edith Lovejoy Pierce



SGVD 1ST VP/Dean ... Linda Koontz ...909-593-3906...luv2collect@gmail.com



REPORTS! REPORTS! REPORTS!

DUE DATE: FRIDAY January 8th or SATURDAY, JANUARY 9th **no later than 12:00 Noon**

Latest information regarding email of Club reports due to Covid.

NO TURN IN AT COVINA WOMAN'S CLUB!!!!

EMAIL ONLY

All Club reports (**exceptions in red**) will be emailed directly to Linda Koontz.

DO NOT EMAIL TO CFWC or GFWC!!!

Please email your reports anytime between January 8th or 9th **no later than 12:00 Noon:**

No exceptions please.

Club reports, including Best Club Newsletter, Communications/PR & Leadership. I will forward your reports to our District Chairmen.

Please send the following to those indicated: Kindness Angel: (**email to Pat Borchard**), Creative Writing: (**email to Laura Schano**), Statistical Report: (**email to Rosette, Linda & Luanne**), Affiliate form: (**email to Rosette & Linda**), **Membership Reports:(email to Luanne Arredondo)**.

DISTRICT CHAIRMEN:

Reports emailed to me by January 14th or January 15th

No later than 12:00 Noon. No exceptions please.

CLUB SIZE CATEGORY

Per CFWC Yearbook

These numbers are to be used on your reports

SMALL 1- 20

Azusa - 17

Charter Oak - 19

GFWC Federated East Valley - 12

GFWC La Puente Valley - 9

GFWC Rowland Heights - 14

Pasadena - 19

Santa Fe Springs - 15

Whittier - 18

MEDIUM CLUBS 21- 40

Woman's Club of Arcadia - 39

Diamond Bar - 34

Duarte - 25

El Monte - 28

GFWC La Verne-San Dimas - 29

Hacienda Heights - 29

Montebello - 33

Sunland - 39

Walnut Valley - 34

INTERMEDIATE CLUBS 41 - 70

Baldwin Park - 50

Highland Park Ebell - 47

La Crescenta - 56

Monterey Park - 41

Twentieth Century of Eagle Rock - 65

Woman's Club of Downey - 41

Woman's Club of South Pasadena - 53

Woman's Club of West Covina - 52

LARGE CLUBS 71+

COVINA - 82

PIO PICO - 112

SIERRA MADRE - 76

CLUB NEWSLETTERS: Please email me your newsletter if I am not on your list. Thank you to the following clubs: Diamond Bar, Duarte, Sierra Madre, Woman’s Club of West Covina, South Pasadena, GFWC Federated East Valley Woman’s Club, Baldwin Park, La Crescenta, Walnut Valley & Covina.

KUDOS TO YOU...FROM YOUR DEAN”

Due to Report information relating to COVID :

(1) Covina Woman’s Club: Two grants were written by the club to help them do major repairs and to furnish the club with new furniture. With no rentals of the clubhouse happening there were still things the club needed to do to maintain the safety and integrity of the club upon opening. New tables and chairs were received replacing existing "unsafe" and dirty items, and the clubhouse will be replacing wood siding (leaking into the walls) and new paint to make the club easier to keep sanitized and clean.

2) The GFWC Federated East Valley Woman's Club would like to thank Diamond Bar Woman's Club, their "sister club" for asking them to collaborate, along with Hacienda Heights Woman's Club and GFWC Rowland Heights Woman's Club, to complete their "Making Spirits Bright" military project. Each club pledged a certain amount in monetary donations and those funds were used to purchase items from wish lists of low-income Military families from Camp Pendleton and 29 Palms. GFWC Federated East Valley Woman's Club solicited funds, shopped and wrapped gifts for 13 families. It was a lot of work but they were glad their "sister club" asked them to help with the project. “It was wonderful to work with Sonja Reed, Chairman of "Making Spirits Bright" project. What a wonderful feeling it is to know that working together we have brightened the holidays for these military families”, stated Pat Borchard.

Remember I am close as your email or phone. Please don’t hesitate to contact me with any questions. We will all get through this new way of turning in reports together and hopefully only this year! Remember to wear your mask and social distance! In closing, I wish all of you a Happy, “Healthy” & most of all a very safe 2021! Hug, Linda



SGVD 2nd VP/Membership ... Luanne Arredondo...626-703-3041...rotarylu@gamil.com

Happy New Year Ladies and Gents. This is the time of year where people around the world are thinking about their New Year resolutions and club resolutions. A question I have been asked several times this past month is "What should we be working on this coming year in Membership?".

To answer that question I would like to ask you to go back to your Membership Kits and review the GFWC Membership priorities. Schedule time during your January and February meetings to share these priorities with the club members and your Executive Board. Ask them for their thoughts on how best your club can attain these priorities given the COVID19 restrictions. I would also ask you to research women's' groups in your community and talk with their leadership team about partnering with your club - you might be surprised how many women will want to join your group as well.

We will have a New Year Membership meeting scheduled in late January/Early February so we can work together on our plans and to share ideas. Look for an email about this meeting in your email soon.

As always, reach out to me and/or your district leadership to help you with your efforts, you are not in this alone - Strength United Is Stronger!



SGVD 3rd VP/Convention...Abbey Howell... (909) 348-3779...abbshowell@yahoo.com

Happy New Year's to everyone.
May this year bring to you all many wonderful returns of pure Joy and Love!

Well before we all know it the 65th SGVD Convention will be here. It was decided at the December 4, 2020 Zoom Convention Committee Meeting that we would move from a 3-day person to person convention, to a 2-day Zoom Convention this year. The dates will remain the same April 16-17,2021 - Information will be forthcoming.

A Zoom Convention Registration form will be required with a \$10.00 registration fee. Please refer to the District Bylaws & Standing Rule on page 35 for further details. All payments are to be made directly to SGVD-Convention with your Registration Forms attached and the Club Check. Cheryl Linnborn is the 2021 Convention Registration Chair. I am looking forward to making history at this years Zoom Convention. Let's have so Fun.

The "CALL" will be published and sent out along with the New Convention Zoom Credential Sheets. This information will be mailed to all Club Presidents, the Voting Delegate information deadline remains the same: February 12, 2021.

Clubs: We are planning some activities throughout the convention. Your help will still be required to support with a \$25.00-gift card of choice and/or a Check made payable to SGVD-Convention/Gifts.

Thank you so much, to each and every one that gave and supported all the 2021-Convention Fundraising Champagnes. We had a wonderful time at the last Live Auction Fundraiser for December. We raised a total of \$300.00

Convention Committee mark your calendars for: February 23, 2021 our next Convention Meeting that will be held on Zoom @ 10:30 AM

Stay safe and healthy - Hugs of Joy!



Convention Memorial Service



M E M O

**MEMORIAL
PRESENTATION**

**OF MEMBERS
WHO HAVE PASSED AWAY
IN THE YEARS OF**

2020, 2021

**65TH SGVD DISTRICT CONVENTION
APRIL 16-17, 2021**

Date: January 2021
To: Boards and Members of the San Gabriel Valley District
From: Petra Jimenez
Memorial Service Chair, 65th Convention, SGVD District

**PLEASE SUBMIT THE NAMES OF YOUR CLUB MEMBERS
WHO PASSED AWAY IN THE YEARS 2020-2021 FOR
INCLUSION IN THE MEMORIAL. CUT-OFF DATE IS MARCH 31, 2021.
(See SIDEBAR)**

Please include:

Name of Club _____

Name of Deceased _____

Date of Death _____ Years of Membership _____

Biography of Her Contribution to your club _____

Note

THE CUT-OFF DATE
FOR SUBMISSION
OF NAMES IS
MARCH 31, 2021

PLEASE E-MAIL YOUR
INFORMATION TO ME AT
jjjimz@yahoo.com

OR MAIL YOUR
INFORMATION TO:

PETRA JIMENEZ,
6718 LOCH ALENE AVE.
PICO RIVERA, CA
90660

OR CALL
ROSALIE BARCO AT
(626) 434-6143

AUNTIEROSEXX@GMAIL.COM

**65TH SGVD
DISTRICT
CONVENTION
APRIL 16-17
2021**

SGVD Recording Secretary...Terry Perkins...(909) 895-7711SGVD Recording Secretary...Terry Perkins...(909) 895-7710...perkinstlee@gmail.com

Tips on taking effective minutes.

Depending on the nature of the meeting, it could last from one to several hours. The attendees will be asked to review and then approve the meeting minutes. Therefore, you don't want the minutes to extend into a lengthy document. Capturing everything that people say verbatim is not only unnecessary but annoying to reviewers. For each agenda item, you ultimately want to summarize only the relevant points of the discussion along with any decisions made. After the meeting, cull through your notes, making sure to edit out any circular or repetitive arguments, and only leave in the relevant points made.



SGVD Corresponding Secretary..Betts Griffone.. (909) 342-3598...bgriffone@yahoo.com

Hi everyone. I hope your holiday season has been rich with family and friends. This year has been a challenge for all of us, so, I'm really looking forward to the new year. It will still test our patience, but it gives us hope that a vaccine is out there.

I was so glad to see all of those who were able to come to our toy drop off. I was able to pick up year books from four more clubs and several of the clubs that didn't come to our first yearbook distribution, picked up their copies. Thanks so much.

Please stay positive and stay safe. Hope to see you all in 2021.



SGVD Treasurer....Cheryl Linn ...c.linnborn@yahoo.com

Just a brief reminder that CFWC doesn't recruit new members in January and February, you should process them into your club. Then send me

there contact information and dues along with your other club dues in March or April. You will use the Club Information Form at that time. You will mark them as a new member. If you have any questions, you may text or call me at 951 790-6441. Happy New Year! May we be able to return to some kind of normal soon.



Birthdays, Care and Concern...Mavis Hansen...626-4416231...hansenmavis625@gmail.com



If you were born in January, your birthstone is the gorgeous Garnet. A semiprecious gemstone of various colors, mainly red and signifies glory, love, beauty and persistence. It intensifies life power, restrains anger, drives away gloomy thoughts, cheers spirits and grants friendships. Best known for healing properties. Your flower is the beautifully scented carnation, also in many colors.

CAPRICORN is the sign for those born between December 22nd and January 19th .

A Capricorn has plenty of physical strength, is realistic and materialistic, practical, reserved, persistent, serious, ambitious and patient. You have a sense of responsibility and a desire to work.

AQUARIUS is the symbol for those born between January 20th and February 18th.

An Aquarius is motivating, flexible and understanding, communicative, sociable, stubborn, unique, open minded and logical. You long for independence and freedom.

January celebration days are not only New Year's Day and Martin Luther King Day on the 18th, but you may also want to celebrate Bubble Bath Day on the 8th and Chocolate Cake Day on the 27th.

Celebrities with January birthdays are: David Bowie 8, Muhammed Ali and Betty White, both on the 17th and Oprah Winfrey on the 29th.

CAPRICORN or AQUARIUS HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

Academic & Returning Student Scholarships ...Diane Tovar...

(909) 909-860-7360...oma2inc@gmail.com

Happy 2021! It's time to leave 2020 behind and look forward to a happier tomorrow.

Although we have experienced many changes in the past year, the needs of our communities continue and the work of our Federation continues. The education of young people continues to be a priority and the need for financial assistance is perhaps even greater than ever. SGVD has again budgeted money for academic and returning student scholarships. It's time for the clubs to start the process for 2021. You can find all the information for requirements, applications, and deadlines on pages 43 - 46 in the SGVD 2020-2021 yearbook. The list of accepted forms to verify legal residence is on page 85.



Please read the information carefully. Failure to meet all of the requirements could result in the disqualification of your student. In some cases, the dates listed on the district calendar do not agree with those listed on pages 43-46. In that case, please adhere to the dates listed with the contest rules. I'm looking forward to the day when we can all meet together in person again. Stay safe!



Art & Photo Contests ...Terry Perkins...(909) 895-7710...perkinstlee@gmail.com and Sue Hogenaur...hogenaur@sue@gmail.com...909-379-8613

The contest will be virtual. The rules listed in the SGVD Yearbooks still apply and the categories are still in place during 2020.

Our three judges will be judging your talents through a photo that you are being asked to take of your photographs and paintings/drawings. The details are still being worked out and will appear in the February KEY.

Craft Contest ...Marianne Jennings...818) 398-7723.. fajmli@aol.com

I hope that all of you are now aware that our SGVD 2021 Craft Contest is being handled in a very unique way. As this is always a very popular event we are moving forward with the plans to bring it together over the Internet. The rules still apply and the categories are still in place and we are looking forward to seeing what our members have produced during 2020.

We have moved this event to February 2021 and your photos will be due to me by January 8, 2021. It is important that you send me an email letting me know that you plan on entering this contest.

Music Scholarship ...Terry Perkins...(909) 895-7710...perkinstlee@gmail.com

The contest will be virtual. The rules listed in the SGVD Yearbooks still apply and the categories are still in place during 2020.

Our three judges will be judging your talents through a virtual event.



The details are still being worked out and will appear in the February KEY.

Our three judges will be judging your talents through a photo that you are being asked to take of your item(s). The details are still being worked out and you will each receive an email as to how exactly to participate.

Club Member of the Year...Gina Morales ...626-371-4055 emwc.ginamorales@gmail.com,



HAPPY NEW YEAR! Hope each of you are doing as well as can be. Your club announcements for Club Member of the Year 2020 should be taking place. All submissions are due to me by **March 12, 2021**. Your narratives should be 50 words of how your candidate contributed to your club during the year 2020 only. I will be emailing the correct Application Form to Club Presidents.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions. Thoughts of health and peace to all,



CHIPS for KIDS Mary Matson ~909-418-0418

I want to thank everyone who donated to our Chips for Kids project this year. I did your shopping if you mailed me a check and to those who dropped off items at the Covina Women's Club. I don't have a total as yet but I feel that it was successful in our trying times. We made a lot of kids happy this Christmas. You are all a great bunch of ladies. I look forward too next year.

Have a very Happy New Year, stay safe!!

Domestic Violence ... Linda Vallejo...562-639-6546...linda.vallejo@aol.com

Please use the following website as a useful tool for finding domestic violence organizations in your community.

<https://www.cpedv.org/domestic-violence-organizations-california>



Have an idea? Email: christinacook1@mac.com

January 2021

Health and Wellness

San Gabriel Valley District Women's Club

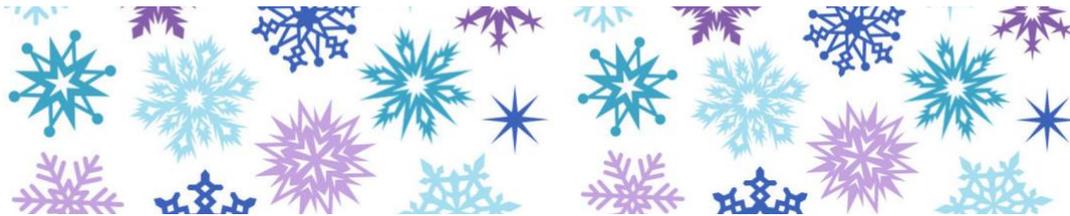
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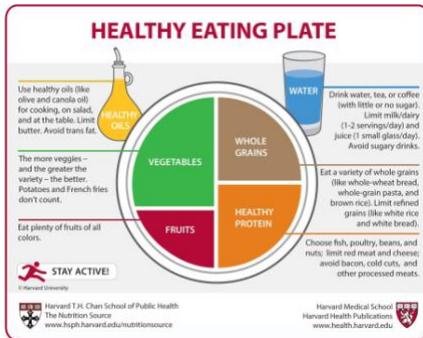
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January observes several Health Observances. One of the health observances to be aware of is Thyroid Health. Check out the link for tips on keeping your thyroid healthy. <https://www.health.com/condition/thyroid/healthy-thyroid-0>

**January 2021
Health
Observances**



Healthy Weight Week is coming up! According to Harvard's School of Public Health, keeping a healthy weight is important for all your vital organs in your body. Using the the Healthy Eating Plate as a guide, your daily intake of carbohydrates should never exceed your intake of protein or vegetables. Check the website for more information <https://www.hsph.harvard.edu/nutritionsource/healthy-eating-plate/>

Birth Defects
Prevention
Awareness Month

Blood Donor Month

Cervical Cancer
Awareness Month

Glaucoma
Awareness Month

Thyroid Health
Awareness

Healthy Weight
Week Jan 24-31

World Leprosy Day
January 31

CHEESY GREEN CHILE & CHICKEN CAULIFLOWER ENCHILADA CASSEROLE

Ingredients:

- 1 head of fresh cauliflower or, 20 oz frozen cauliflower florets (4 C.)
- 4 oz cream cheese, very softened
- 1 C. cooked chicken, shredded
- 1/2 C. green enchilada sauce (salsa verde)
- 1/4 tsp black pepper
- 1 tsp kosher salt
- 1/2 C. sour cream
- 1 C. shredded cheddar, separated (1/2 + 1/2)

Optional: chopped fresh cilantro, chopped green onions & sour cream

Instructions

- 1- If you are using fresh cauliflower, cut the base and cut the head into small florets. Place in a steamer tray; fill a medium saucepan with a few inches of water, place the steamer basket of cauliflower within the saucepan and steam the cauliflower for 4-5 minutes or until soft.
 - 2- While the cauliflower is steaming, combine the cream cheese with the chicken, salsa verde, salt, pepper, 1/2 C. sour cream and 1/2 C. cheese.
 - 3- Stir in the drained cauliflower, and pour into a casserole dish.
 - 4- Sprinkle remaining 1/2 C. cheese on top evenly.
 - 5- Bake at 350 for 20 minutes or until lightly brown
- Serve hot - top with sour cream, green onions or cilantro

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Kindness Angel...Pat Borchard ... 909-576-4382 ...peb1956@verizon.net

As was announced at the November SGVD Board meeting there will be no Fashion Show in 2021 but we will still be honoring our Kindness Angels. President Rosette and I have spoken and we would still like

to honor our Kindness Angels and plan to do that on February 20th. More information will be forthcoming. Remember you can only select one member from your club to be honored. With that being said, please send your Kindness Angel narrative to me via email or US mail, no later than January 9th. I have already received a narrative from Walnut Valley Woman's Club. Thank you!

Here are some ideas of what a Random Act of Kindness may be...

1. Let someone in front of you while standing in line, or waiting in line in traffic.
2. Help someone with their groceries.
3. In this time of COVID, help a neighbor, friend, club member order groceries on line.
4. Donate old clothes or toys.
5. Give someone a Starbucks Card or lottery ticket, just because
6. Smile at someone and say hello
7. Donate to a food bank, food pantry, or foster care facility
8. Bring a meal to a sick friend, neighbor, or club member.
9. Check in with a sick friend, neighbor club member
10. Bake treats and bring them to a local fire station or police station
11. Call a relative just to say hello
12. Give someone a compliment, especially, those at the front line
13. Clean a neighbor's walk, bring in their mail, or just check in with them
14. Check in with club members to see how they are doing
15. Forgive mistakes
16. Hold the elevator door/ or just a door for someone



Leadership/LEADS...Tami Miller...909-596-4084...tamgram8@yahoo.com

We have selected a LEADS candidate to represent San Gabriel Valley District.

She has been a club member for over thirteen years. During that time she was Club President, First Vice President, 3rd Vice President, Recording Secretary, Parliamentarian and Newsletter Editor. She also served the District as Resolution Chairman. She was voted Club Woman of the Year and chaired several fundraisers.

She is Civic minded and a member of several service organizations outside of club.

It is my pleasure to present our San Gabriel Valley LEADS candidate Patti Hennings Pierce.

CONGRADULATIONS PATTI!!

Legislation & Public Policy...Alice Slaughter...909-624-7456...kenalice2@earthlink.net

Legislative Action Center



The Legislative Action Center is a powerful tool for GFWC's public issues and advocacy efforts. Track bills, contact your local representative and take action on issues germane to GFWC Resolutions. This is where we can express our wishes to the US Congress and Senate. To sign up, go to GFWC web page and sign in as a member and then go to the Legislation Action Center. When you sign up then each time you want to use the Action Center you won't have to sign in again. You will receive action alerts from GFWC on your email. You may take action or not, as you wish.

Have a great New Year. I am sure it will get better than now pretty soon.

SGVD President's Scrapbook...Pat Borchard ... 909-576-4382 ...peb1956@verizon.net

Typically, President's scrapbook pages are given to each club at the Birthday Council but that will not be happening this year, since the COVID restrictions may still be in place. I was planning to give the pages out on January 9th, but that report turn in date has now been cancelled. I will have to speak with President Rosette as to how she would like to proceed so please keep your eyes open for an email as to what we are going to do this year.



Women's History & Resource Center...Kim Plater... (609)620-7235... kimplater@aol.com

Six Degrees of Separation

Two months ago I posed the following question to SGVD members: *What did WWII, The United Nations, JFK, Inga “Binga”, Eleanor Roosevelt, and the General Federation of Women’s Clubs have in common? In Part 1 I discussed what was taking place in Germany and the United States from the 1930’s and 1940’s. I talked about WWII, Hitler (Chancellor of Germany), Inga “Binga”, (President Kennedy’s “true love”), and introduced J. Edgar Hoover (Director of the FBI) into the story. The following month in Part II, I discussed the role Mrs. Roosevelt and the GFWC played in implementing numerous laws (Child Labor, Juvenile court, etc.) throughout the states, and how GFWC was granted a Federal Charter by the 56th U.S. Congress which stipulated that GFWC maintain its headquarters in Washington, D.C.. Eleanor (a club member) assisted GFWC in obtaining their headquarters. Now, In Part III I’ll bring our story to a close.*

Part III

In 1945 GFWC was one of the five women’s organizations chosen to participate in the conference to form the United Nations. At the conference, GFWC representatives supported the ratification of the United Nations Charter. GFWC served on the first U.S. delegation to the United Nations and Eleanor was chair of the UN Human Rights Commission.

Like JFK, Eleanor was also a political leader in her own right. She supported the [civil rights movement](#). After the death of her husband (President Franklin Roosevelt) in 1945, she started her career, as an author, speaker and spokesperson for [human rights](#). Like JFK and Inga “Binga”, she was an outspoken and controversial figure during her life, making many interesting friends and powerful enemies, including J. Edgar Hoover, and the FBI.

Eleanor has the distinction of having one of the thickest files compiled by the FBI. She was a vocal opponent of J. Edgar Hoover, calling him an “American gestapo”. Prior to her husband’s death she kept her silence, but in the years that followed she became increasingly strident in her complaints over Hoover and the FBI. In his personal files, Hoover collected data regarding Eleanor’s lesbian relationships, as well as male lovers during her marriage to FDR and her subsequent widowhood. Files referred to lovers, “both male and female, white and black” according to at least one scholar of Hoover’s files. Eleanor was supportive of some communist organizations and was an overly enthusiastic supporter of desegregation, both positions which Hoover found threatening to the country. Eventually Eleanor’s official FBI file grew to include over 3,000 pages,

In later years, JFK came to Mrs. Roosevelt asking her to support him in his bid for Vice President of the United States on the Democratic ticket. She refused because, as a Senator, he had not spoken against the tactics used by Joseph McCarthy in the investigation of communists in the United States.

When you look at the history of the United States and internationally you rarely see GFWC mentioned. As members we still say “GFWC (or our club) is the best kept secret”. Since 1898 **GFWC has** been involved but rarely do we find a mention of us.

It is time to write ourselves back into history. When was the last time you looked through the boxes of history at your own club? Look at old yearbooks, convention minutes and calls, club meeting minutes and the Club newsletter. Check at your local library – do they have files? I know there are women’s club histories at Pasadena, Ontario, Covina and Riverside public libraries.

2019 Report Writing Awards

Check at the Huntington Library – earliest GFWC resident, Mrs. Clara Burdette actually resided in a cottage at the Huntington Hotel, very near the Library. There are lots of files at the Huntington Library – they are on-line. Research archives of old newspapers. These too are on line. Our history and its relationship to our world history is there. We need to find it and write it back into existence.

As a challenge, pick a famous moment or person in history and see if you can “play” Six Degrees of Separation with your club or with the District. Ideas might be: Red Cross, the songs “America the Beautiful” or “The Battle Hymn of the Republic”, Helen Keller, William Randolph Hurst, Korean War, Rosie the Riveter, President Hoover, President Wilson, The Mission Bells, Red Light Districts, spitting on the sidewalk, municipal drinking cups, The Suffrage Movement, Motion Picture Regulations, Covid19, and so much more. Have fun with your history.

2019 Convention Awards

BALDWIN PARK WOMAN’S CLUB-----REFUGIO (CUCA) RODRIGUEZ
CHARTER OAK WOMAN’S CLUB-----FRAN FORTUGNO
COVINA WOMAN’S CLUB-----KATY PHILLIPS
DIAMOND BAR WOMAN’S CLUB-----JANICE GIARDINA AND LINDA HEADLEE
GFWC FEDERATED EAST VALLEY WOMAN’S CLUB-----TOBY KAHAN
EL MONTE WOMEN’S CLUB -----RITA CRUZ
HACIENDA HEIGHTS WOMAN’S CLUB-----LESLIE ANN PITTMAN
LA CRESCENTA WOMAN’S CLUB-----CATHERINE SULZBERGER
GFWC LA VERNE-SAN DIMAS WOMAN’S CLUB-----JENNIFER NUMMELIN
MONTEREY PARK WOMAN’S CLUB-----SANDRA HILDAGO
SIERRA MADRE WOMAN’S CLUB-----BEVERLY CLIFTON
WALNUT VALLEY WOMEN’S CLUB----SHARON ALTMAN
WOMAN’S CLUB OF SOUTH PASADENA----ELIZABETH (LIZ) CALVERT

Advocates for Children
Small Clubs 1-20

1st Place GFWC Federated
East Valley WC

2nd Place
3rd Place

Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40

1st Place GFWC Walnut Valley Women's Club

2nd Place GFWC La Verne-San Dimas Woman's Club

3rd Place Duarte Woman's Club

Honorable Mention El Monte Woman's Club

Intermediate Clubs 41-70

1st Place West Covina Woman's Club

2nd Place La Crescenta Woman's Club

3rd Place Arcadia Woman's Club

Honorable Mention Monterey Park Woman's Club

Large Clubs 71 +

1st Place Covina Women's Club

2nd Place Pio Pico Women's Club

3rd Place

Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40

1st Place Duarte Woman's Club

2nd Place El Monte Woman's Club

3rd Place GFWC La Verne-San Dimas Woman's Club

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Intermediate Clubs 41-70

1st Place Baldwin Park Woman's Club

2nd Place Woman's Club of West Covina

3rd Place La Crescenta Woman's Club

Honorable Mention

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2nd Place La Crescenta Woman's Club

3rd Place Woman's Club Of West Covina

Honorable Mention

Large Clubs 71 +

1st Place Covina Woman's Club

2nd Place Sierra Madre Woman's Club

3rd Place

Honorable Mention

Conservation

Small Clubs 1-20

1st Place Whittier Woman's Club

2nd Place GFWC Federated East Valley Woman's Club

3rd Place Pasadena Woman's Club

Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40

1st Place Duarte Woman's Club

Arts

Small Clubs 1-20

1st Place Whittier WC

2nd Place Pasadena WC

3rd Place Federated East Valley WC

Honorable Mention

Communication & Public Relations

Small Clubs 1-20

1st Place GFWC Federated East Valley WC

2nd Place

3rd Place

Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40

1st Place Walnut Woman's Club

2nd Place El Monte Woman's Club
3rd Place Diamond Bar Woman's Club
Honorable Mention GFWC La Verne-San Dimas Woman's Club

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place Woman's Club of Arcadia
2nd Place Baldwin Park Woman's Club
3rd Place La Crescenta Woman's Club
Honorable Mention The Woman's Club of West Covina

Large Clubs 71 + Covina Woman's Club
1st Place Pio Pico Woman's Club
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

1st Place GFWC La Verne-San Dimas Woman's Club
2nd Place GFWC Walnut Valley Women's Club
3rd Place Hacienda Heights Woman's Club
Honorable Mention Duarte Women's Club

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place Baldwin Park Woman's Club
2nd Place La Crescenta Woman's Club
3rd Place Woman's Club of West Covina
Honorable Mention Monterey Park Woman's Club

Large Clubs 71 +
1st Place Covina Woman's Club
2nd Place Pio Pico Woman's Club
3rd Place Sierra Madre Woman's Club
Honorable Mention

1st Place El Monte Woman's Club
2nd Place Diamond Bar Woman's Club
3rd Place Hacienda Heights Woman's Club
Honorable Mention GFWC La Verne-San Dimas Woman's Club

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place Baldwin Park Woman's Club
2nd Place Monterey Park Woman's Club
3rd Place La Crescenta Woman's Club
Honorable Mention Downey Woman's Club

Large Clubs 71 +
1st Place Pio Pico Woman's Club
2nd Place Covina Woman's Club
3rd Place Sierra Madre Woman's Club
Honorable Mention

Domestic Violence Awareness and Prevention

Small Clubs 1-20
1st Place Whittier Woman's Club
2nd Place GFWC Federated East Valley Woman's Club
3rd Place Pasadena Woman's Club
Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40

Education

Small Clubs 1-20
1st Place Whittier Women's Club
2nd Place Charter Oak Woman's Club
3rd Place GFWC Federated East Valley Woman's Club
Honorable Mention Pasadena Woman's Club

Medium Clubs 21-40

Fundraising

Small Clubs 1-20
1st Place GFWC Federated East Valley Woman's Club
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40
1st Place El Monte Woman's Club

2nd Place Diamond Bar
Woman's Club
3rd Place GFWC La Verne-
San Dimas Woman's Club
Honorable Mention Duarte
Woman's Club

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place Baldwin Park
Woman's Club
2nd Place La Crescenta
Woman's Club
3rd Place Woman's Club of
Downey
Honorable Mention Woman's
Club of West Covina

Large Clubs 71 +
1st Place Covina Woman's
Club
2nd Place Sierra Madre
Woman's Club
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

2nd Place GFWC La Verne-
San Dimas Woman's Club
3rd Place Diamond Bar
Woman's Club
Honorable Mention

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place Monterey Park
Woman's Club
2nd Place La Crescenta
3rd Place West Covina
Honorable Mention Baldwin
Park

Large Clubs 71 +
1st Place Covina Women's
Club
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

1st Place GFWC Walnut
Valley Woman's Club
2nd Place El Monte Woman's
Club
3rd Place Duarte Woman's
Club
Honorable Mention GFWC
La Verne-San Dimas
Women's Club

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place Woman's Club of
West Covina
2nd Place La Crescenta
Woman's Club
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Large Clubs 71 + Covina
Woman's Club
1st Place Sierra Madre
Woman's Club
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Home Life

Small Clubs 1-20
1st Place GFWC Federated
East Valley Woman's Club
2nd Place Whittier
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40
1st Place Duarte Woman's
Club

International Outreach

Small Clubs 1-20
1st Place Whittier Woman's
Club
2nd Place GFWC Federated
East Valley Woman's Club
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40

Leadership and Leads

Small Clubs 1-20
1st Place GFWC Federated
East Valley Woman's Club
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40

1st Place GFWC La Verne-San Dimas Woman's Club
2nd Place El Monte Woman's Club
3rd Place Duarte Woman's Club
Honorable Mention Walnut Valley Women's Club

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place La Crescenta Woman's Club
2nd Place Baldwin Park Woman's Club
3rd Place Woman's Club of West Covina
Honorable Mention

Large Clubs 71 +
1st Place Covina Woman's Club
2nd Place Sierra Madre Woman's Club
3rd Place Pio Pico Woman's Club
Honorable Mention

1st Place GFWC La Verne-San Dimas Woman's Club
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Large Clubs 71 + Covina Woman's Club
1st Place
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40
1st Place Duarte Women's Club
2nd Place La Verne San Dimas Woman's Club
3rd Place Highland Park Ebell Woman's Club
Honorable Mention Diamond Bar Woman's Club

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place La Crescenta Woman's Club
2nd Place Baldwin Park Woman's Club
3rd Place Woman's Club of Arcadia
Honorable Mention Women's Club of West Covina

Large Clubs 71 +
1st Place Covina Woman's Club
2nd Place Woman's Twentieth Century Club of Eagle Rock
3rd Place Sierra Madre Women's Club
Honorable Mention Pio Pico Women's club

Legislation and Public Policy

Small Clubs 1-20
1st Place GFWC Federated East Valley Woman's Club
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40

Membership

Small Clubs 1-20
1st Place GFWC Federated East Valley Woman's Club
2nd Place Pasadena Women's Club
3rd Place Charter Oak Women's Club
Honorable Mention

Newsletter

Small Clubs 1-20
1st Place
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40
1st Place Duarte Woman's Club

2nd Place Diamond Bar WC
3rd Place GFWC La Verne
San Dimas WC
Honorable Mention

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place Baldwin Park
Woman's Club WC
2nd Place La Crescenta WC
3rd Place Monterey Park WC
Honorable Mention West
Covina Woman's Club

Large Clubs 71 +
1st Place Sierra Madre
Woman's Club
2nd Place Covina Woman's
Club
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

2nd Place Charter Oak WC
3rd Place Pasadena WC
Honorable Mention

Medium Clubs 21-40
1st Place El Monte Women's
Club
2nd Place Duarte WC
3rd Place Diamond Bar WC
Honorable Mention

Intermediate Clubs 41-70
1st Place Monterey Park
Woman's Club
2nd Place West Covina
Woman's Club
3rd Place Baldwin Park
Woman's Club
Honorable Mention La
Crescenta Woman's Club

Large Clubs 71 +
1st Place Covina's Woman's
Club
2nd Place
3rd Place
Honorable Mention

Public Issues

Small Clubs 1-20
1st Place Whittier WC

Creative Writing Contest Winners

Clubwomen

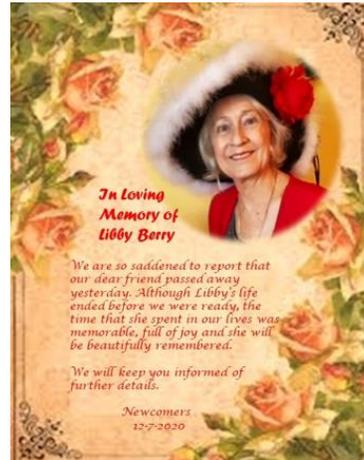
Prose Essay Esthela Torres Siegrist – Liberty in Danger – El Monte W C
Prose Inspirational Luz Palamiano – Prayer Shawl Ministry – Duarte WC
Prose Memoir Marilyn Cruz – A Wrong Number – Diamond Bar WC
Prose Whimsical Marie Montanez – You’re Such a Brat – Monterey Club WC
Prose Short Story Marilyn Cruz – Here’s to Apple Pie – Diamond Bar WC
Poetry Inspirational Esthela Torres Siegrist–Agree to Disagree – El Monte WC
Poetry Limerick Brenda Newbold–Shine – Covina WC
Poetry Whimsical Mavis Hansen–When Did I Get So Old–South Pasadena WC
Children's Story Jayne Thomas-Hello! - Pasadena WC

Student Writing Contest SGVD

Short Story 4th Grade Cassandra Jean Garcia–Mira’s Post–GFWC La Verne-San Dimas WC
Short Story 3rd Grade Lisette Parker – Under the Snow – Pasadena WC
Short Story 2nd Grade Isabella Quentin – Macaroni Buns – Pasadena WC

Messages from Clubs/Affiliates

El Monte Women's Club
Libby Berry, a member of El Monte Women's Club,
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