



CARROLLTON CIVIC WOMAN'S CLUB

September 2007 Newsletter

Next General Meeting
Wednesday, September 26, 2007
11:30 A.M.
Sunset Hills Country Club

The Education Department has invited Angie Acree to speak on developmental disabilities. She has several children with developmental disabilities and is a certified special education teacher.

The Fall District Meet is scheduled for Saturday, October 13 in Macon.

Club Concerns

The death of Nancy Jones' husband, Frank.

Officers' and Committee Reports

President: Salad Luncheon Information:

Our Salad Luncheon will be October 3 at First UMC. During the business meeting we will have signup sheets for the following teams: Drop off station for food; Greeters; Delivery; Prepare take out plates; Organize serving tables; Organize tea and water table; Clean up and support of other teams as needed.

General Information:

Serving time is 11:30 to 1 PM.

Team chairs need to contact team and divide the "work time".

Bring your salads, sandwiches, cookies, cakes, etc to the portico side of the church beginning at 8:30 AM.

Everyone needs to **prepare 2 large salads**. Please prepare **double recipes** of your two salads. (We ran out of salads last year.)

Mark your bowls and come back to get them.

On Tuesday, October 2, bring your card tables to the fellowship hall. Pick up your card table by 2 PM on Wednesday.

Please sell tickets. Gwyn has more if you sell your four. The more we sell the more we have for community projects.

Members are needed to help setup Tuesday, October 2 between 2 and 4 PM. Department chairs/representatives and officers are needed. Tables will be setup and decorated; serving dishes made ready, silverware wrapped in napkins; auction items displayed, etc.

Second Vice President: Start filling out your Activity Reports which are due at the November meeting. You can guess at the number of hours for December. Laura Miller collected \$3,528

worth of coupons in August which brings the year's total to \$37,428. Laura reported the Live Oaks Shelter is in need of volunteers to work with children doing schoolwork, arts & crafts, playing games, etc. Volunteers would need to make a three month commitment working after school for an hour once or twice a week. Contact Laura Miller if you would like to participate.

Treasurer: Janet Kiczek reported the club has a current balance of \$14,040.77, outstanding dues are \$1,710 and the final quarterly payment is due in October.

Department Reports

Arts: The soup bowl project will be the first week of November. Members will work with students to make soup bowls to be sold at the Empty Bowl fund raiser.

Education: The department is planning to participate in a new project called the Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl. We will support the initiation of the program at Carrollton Junior High and Central Middle School.

Home Life: Nominations for family of the year are needed by the October general meeting. Members are encouraged to participate in the Alzheimer's Association Memory Walk on Saturday, October 13 at the Lakeshore Park Track. Registration starts at 4 PM and walk begins at 5 PM. Walkers raise money with the goal of raising a total of \$30,000. Call 770-854-8642 for additional information.

Bake Sale – Plan to bring a cake, cookies, brownies, etc. to be sold at the Salad luncheon.

Fall Fundraiser and Silent Auction - If you can donate an item for the auction, please contact Nancy Tunnell (770-834-4419) or Sandra Law (770-834-9019).

Public Affairs: The Public Affairs Department plans to assemble "goody packages" for local military serving in Iraq or Afghanistan. Please bring the following to the September general meeting: handy wipes, tube socks, underwear in various sizes (may be purchased at Dollar Store), packaged candy, nuts, trail mix, dried fruit, cookies. No chocolate and no homemade goods. Also, names of service men and women will be taken at the meeting.

Committee Reports

Tallulah Falls: Jennifer Dandliker reported a trip to Tallulah Falls School is planned for October 16. Those joining the group will need to leave at 8:15 AM and will spend the day at the school. The Fred Hutchins scholarship fund has reached \$840.

Ferst Foundation: A Holiday Fashion Show is planned for early November. The Community Impact Grant money was received. 2149 books were sent out this month.

Upcoming Calendar:

General Meeting: Wednesday, September 26 at 11:30 a.m., Sunset Hills Country Club.

Anne Hill Book Club: October 4.

Board Meeting: Thursday, October 11 at 10:00 a.m., Carrollton Activity Center

Flag Days: October 8 – Columbus Day and October 27 – Navy Day.

Bridge/Salad Luncheon: October 3, First United Methodist Church

Sixth District Fall Meeting: Saturday, October 13.

Carrollton Civic Woman's Club
General Meeting
Sunset Hills Country Club
August 22, 2007
11:30 A.M.

Call to Order—Gwyn Chesnut, President, called the meeting to order and welcomed guests Daniel Jackson, Suzy McCorkel, Phoebe Swatek, Sherrie D'Hollosoy, Brenda Hodges, and Jan Hoyle.

Inspiration—**Gwyn Chesnut**

Program—Daniel Jackson with the Chamber of Commerce spoke on “Need for Mentors”.

Special Presentation—Suzy McCorkel with the Chamber of Commerce presented a check for \$1000 to Penny Ayers and Martha Ann Saunders for the Carroll County Ferst Foundation. This money was part of the proceeds from the recent Poker Run sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce.

Pledge of Allegiance—Jennifer Dandliker led the Pledge of Allegiance to the U.S. flag.

Minutes—The minutes of the July general meeting were approved as published in the August newsletter.

Old Business—

- Callaway Gardens Get-away—See Martha Ann Saunders for tickets. Cost is \$5 for one ticket and \$10 for three tickets. Drawing will be at the Sixth District meeting in October and the proceeds will go to Tallulah Falls School.
- GaFWC Institute will be held in Macon on August 26.
- The Sixth District Board will meet in Morrow on September 15.
- The Sixth District Fall Meeting will be in Macon on October 13.
- CCWC trip to Tallulah is scheduled for October 16.
- Nancy Tunnell reminded members that baked goods are needed for the salad luncheon fundraiser and proceeds from their sale will go to Ferst. Also, she reminded members that recipes for the dessert book to be sold at the salad luncheon are due by September 1. Proceeds from this book sale will go to Ferst. Foundation. Silent auction items are needed by the September general meeting; proceeds from the auction benefit CCWC.

New Business—The salad luncheon fundraiser will be held October 3 at the First United Methodist Church, 11:30 A.M. – 1:00 P.M. Bridge will be held upstairs in the Gathering Room with Idys Overton in charge. She will need help from our membership. Clancy Haslam is in charge of the carry-outs and needs 6-8 members to help. The silent auction will close at 1:00 P.M. Large salads are needed, two from each member. More meat salads and fewer jello salads are needed. Flyers are available for posting. The set-up at the church is to be done the day before the fundraiser. Members' tickets were distributed during the meeting by Georgia Simons.

Officers' Reports—

- **2nd Vice President**—Laura Miller reported that CCWC has thus far this year sent over \$33,000 worth of coupons to COMFLEACT for use by military families overseas.

- **Treasurer**—Janet Kiczek reminded members third quarter dues were due in July and final dues are due in October.

Department Reports—

- **Arts**—Penny Ayers announced that the Mecca Fine Arts/Fine Crafts Festival will be held on October 13 and 14 at the Cultural Arts Center. Patron purchase awards may be purchased, in increments of \$50, by contacting Penny Lewis at the Cultural Arts Center. With each \$50 donated to the Mecca Festival, patrons will receive an award ribbon and \$50 in Mecca Bucks for the purchase of artwork
- **Conservation**—Eleanor Hoomes announced that trash pickup for the 2007 Rivers Alive program is scheduled for September 8, 10 A.M. – Noon at McIntosh Reserve. Registration is at 9:30 A.M.
- **Education**—Priscilla Bennett announced that the Education Department will meet on September 4, 10 A.M. at her home.
- **International**—Frances Jackson reported:
 - A thank-you card with student comments has been received from the students attending the international picnic sponsored by CCWC recently. Also, Frances has received a thank-you letter from Sylvia Short regarding the picnic.
 - International Night at UWG is scheduled for January 31, 2008.
- **Public Affairs**—Diane Sharp announced:
 - Flag-flying Days for September appear in today's program.
 - The Public Affairs Department will meet on September 10, 2 P.M. at Marie Johnson's home. Christmas for Troops Stocking Drive will be discussed.

Committee Reports—

- **Leadership**—Helen Faye Lewis reminded members to keep records of all leadership roles in the community. This information will be needed at the end of the year for the annual report.
- **Ferst Foundation**—Penny Lewis announced that 2,150 books are being sent to children in Carroll County this month.
- **Legislative**—Martha Ann Saunders announced:
 - She has received a GFWC alert that the Violence Against Women Act and the Victims of Crime Act have passed the House of Representatives in Washington.
 - September 18—Election for Chair of the Board of Commissioners for Carroll County

New Member—Beverly Hammack is our most recent new member. Welcome!

Club Concerns—

- June Woodside is scheduled for surgery on Friday, August 24.
- Nancy Jones' husband, Frank, is still ailing.
- Nina Chaffin's shoulder is better, but she is still recuperating from the surgery.

Announcement—Vivian Miller announced that the Memory Walk is scheduled for October 13, 5 P.M., at Lakeshore Park.

The meeting adjourned at 1:15 P.M.

Edith Maxwell
Recording Secretary