

CARROLLTON CIVIC WOMAN'S CLUB

September 2006 Newsletter

Next General Meeting Wednesday, September 27, 2006 Sunset Hills Country Club

The subject for our September meeting will be Adult Education. Dr. Jim Agan from the Continuing Education Department at the University of West Georgia will be our guest speaker.

Bring a book you have read to share or pass on to someone else.

Club Concerns

Nancy Tunnell's husband Jack has been ill. Joan Borders' husband Verne has been ill.

Board Meeting Notes

We received a letter from the IRS that informed us we are classified as a Public Charity, which makes us exempt from Federal income tax under section 501 [c][3].

The November meeting is moved up a week and will be held on November 15.

Helen Fay Lewis will now be the chair of the Leadership Committee and Jennifer Dandliker will be the chair of the Tallulah Falls Committee.

Dues

Reminder: For those paying their dues on the payment plan, the final payment is due in September to Janet Kizcek. Thank you for making the payment promptly and helping our treasurer keep the books straight.

Luncheon Fundraiser - October 4, 2006

Please deliver your two salad contributions to the church between 8:30 and 10 a.m. Someone will be available to pick it up from your car on either side of the church. Department Assignments:

Set up: Home Life and Arts

Serving and Greeting Guests: Education Takeouts: Conservation

Cleanup: Public Affairs and International

Please wear your nametag to the luncheon. Card tables are needed for Bridge and Bunco

players. Bridge will be played upstairs and Bunco in another location.

Department Reports

Arts: The CCWC Arts Department sponsored exhibit at the Cultural Arts Center, "For the Occasion" by Mathew McDaniel, Joey Durian, Adam Meder and Carole McDonald was a huge success. Eleven pieces were sold which is more than any other exhibit except the guild holiday sale. Heidi L. Lewis has an exhibit of stained glass and pottery in the Roush Family Gallery. In the Galleria is a "manipulated" photographic exhibit by Glenn Smith and guest photographer Charles V. Cash.

Local artist Alex McKibbin, who exhibited in June at CAC, is exhibiting in the Douglasville Cultural Arts Center.

Upcoming attractions at the CAC:

September 21-23 at 7:30 and 24 at 2 p.m. Carroll County Community Theater presents Radio T.B.S. October 6-13 The Guild will present the Finer Arts of Carrollton.

October 14-15 The Guild will host the Carrollton Fine Arts and Crafts Mecca Festival from 10-5.

October 18,25 and Nov 1 Helen Helwig will give a clay mosaic 3 day workshop "From Start to Finish" 6-8:45 p.m.

October 21 Make a personalized cement stepping stone 9-12

October 21 Origami with Dustin Ross 1-3 p.m.

In the Roush Gallery October 6-27 (opening reception on Oct 6) Morgan Bruemmer, Catherine Coe, Abby Bullock.

Education: The department is hosting the September general meeting. We are suggesting that each member bring a book you have read and would like to share with someone else. If you would like it back, put your name on it. If not, the reader can pass it on again.

Home Life: Home Life is coordinating the Silent Auction to be held on October 4 along with our Fall Salad Luncheon. We need your Help! If you can donate an item please contact Nancy Tunnell or Sandra Law. Some suggestions: Handcrafted items, antiques or other items of value. We are also going to have a mini Bake Sale with the proceeds going to Ferst Foundation. Cakes, Breads, cookies, Pies would be be welcome. Please help us make this the best Fall Fund Raiser yet!!

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Public Affairs: Public Affairs will host the October meeting and our topic will be Safety for Women.

We have a few reminders for all members:

Wear your seat belts for every trip in your car.

Check the battery in your smoke detector and replace it if needed.

Program your cell phone with an "ICE" (in case of emergency) number – someone you want called in case of an emergency.

LIFT: The Literacy is for Today and Tomorrow Program is continuing the Book Drive for Literacy. If you have any old textbooks, paperbacks or other books you would like to donate, please bring them to the monthly meeting, the Chamber of Commerce or call Laura Miller at 678-890-2357.

Upcoming Calendar

General Meeting: Wednesday, September 27 at 11:30 a.m., Sunset Hills Country Club.

Hands On Carroll County Day on September 29 and we will be responsible for Perry House.

Board Meeting: Thursday, October 12 at 10:00 a.m., Optimist Arts Room, Carrollton Activity Center.

TOPS: Mondays, 1:00-2:00 p.m., TMC

Anne Hill Book Club: Please contact Nancy Jones for meeting details.

Sixth District GaFWC meeting October 14 – reservations due September 23. Contact Gwyn

October is Domestic Violence Awareness month. www.dcadv.org

October is Cancer Awareness Month. www.nbcam.org

October 8-14 is National Fire Prevention Week. www.nfpa.org

October 21 is National Mammography Day. www.komen.org www.natlbcc.org

October 24 is United Nations Day

October 28 is Make a Difference Day. www.makeadifferenceday.com

The League of Women Voters will sponsor three **candidate forums** from 7 to 8:30 p.m. at the County Commissioner Chamber on College Street:

October 2 County Commissioners
October 16 State Legislature Candidates
October 23 County School Board

Carrollton Civic Woman's Club General Meeting July 26, 2006

Call to Order—Gwyn Chesnut, President
Inspiration—Martha Thurman
Pledge of Allegiance—Jennifer Dandliker
Introduction of Speaker—Johnnye Hutchins

Speaker—Mrs. Martha McElhannon, state officer with GaFWC, spoke on "One Nation Under God."

Minutes of June 2006 General Meeting—Motion (Jackson, Wilson) to accept minutes as published in July newsletter. **Passed**

Old Business—Gwyn Chesnut announced:

- Institute, August 26-27, Continuing Education Center, Athens; deadline is August 4 for registration.
- School supplies are being collected for Tallulah Falls students; these supplies will be carried to Institute.

New Business—Gwyn Chesnut:

- Announced that Helen Fay Lewis is replacing Helon Styles as Chair of the Leadership Committee. Helen has resigned due to her mother's poor health.
- Urged new members to join the Tallulah Falls Committee.
- Announced that the fall fundraiser is scheduled for Wednesday, Oct. 4, at the First United Methodist Church in Carrollton. Covered dishes and silent auction items are needed.

1st **Vice President**—Martha Thurman:

- Reported that 37 people attended today's meeting.
- Welcomed two guests: Martha McElhannon, speaker, and Gail Cantrell, member of the Junior Woman's Club.
- Welcomed June Woodside, new member, and Nancy Jones, who is returning after improvement in health.

2nd Vice President—Laura Miller thanked club members for excellent participation in the coupon clipping project for military families overseas (3250 coupons worth \$3650.70 were mailed in July.)

Treasurer—Janet Kiczek was away due to back surgery a week ago. Report will be given later. **Committee Reports**—Gwyn Chesnut called on committees for reports.

- **Sunshine**—Janet Kiczek had back surgery recently.
- Ferst Foundation—Martha Ann Saunders announced:
 - o "Bluegrass, Burgers, and Books" benefit, July 29, Ag Center, 5-9 p.m., hamburger meal included in \$10 price of ticket; cake walk, silent auction, Kroger providing food.
 - o Total of \$506.25 was raised for Ferst Foundation at the Horton book sale.
- Tallulah Falls School—Helen Fay Lewis announced:
 - o 250 Campbell labels were mailed recently to Tallulah Falls School.
 - o School supplies are needed for the school and can be brought to the International Picnic on August 8.
- **Legislative**—Martha Ann Saunders reminded members that August 8 is the runoff election.

Department Reports—Gwyn Chesnut called on departments for reports.

- **Art**—Clancy Haslam announced:
 - o Dorothy Roush exhibit, August 4-25; opening reception August 4, 5-7 p.m., Roush Family Gallery, Cultural Arts Center.
 - Young Artists from the Corner exhibit, August 4-25; opening reception August 4,
 5-7 p.m., Galleria, Cultural Arts Center.
 - o Mecca Festival, October 14-15, 10 a.m.–5 p.m., Cultural Arts Center.
- **Education**—Karen Hartley reported that over 400 children and parents were served refreshments at the reading program on July 13.
- **Home Life**—Nancy Tunnell announced:
 - o Cakes are needed for cake walk on July 29 at Ferst Foundation benefit.
 - o More copies of last year's CCWC cookbook will be available for sale at the luncheon fundraiser on Oct. 4. Proceeds will go to Ferst Foundation.
 - o Items are needed for the silent auction at the luncheon fundraiser.
- **International Affairs**—Frances Jackson announced that she is providing department representatives with a list of students together with their countries for the international picnic on August 8. Food and lending box items are needed.
- **Public Affairs**—Jackie Ward announced:
 - o Refreshments will be provided for a CASA training session on August 15.
 - o Tea, creamers, and sugar packets were carried to the Emergency Shelter recently.
 - o New Hope Boys' Home—
 - □ Natural stone kitchen countertops were donated recently by G&L Marble Co; installation was denoted by Malone Natural Stone.
 - ☐ The Friends of New Hope Committee has ordered 10 tables and 40 chairs for the dining room at the new home and plans to buy beanbags for the den.
 - ☐ Friends of New Hope recently purchased school shoes for 18 boys and a class ring for the senior student at New Hope.
 - □ Laura Miller is helping with school supplies through LIFT.
 - □ The Christmas Tour of Homes will be held on December 3.
 - □ Members are urged to go see the new building.