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## NOTICE

Every club who is presenting a candidate for office of the State Federation is to have the name of the candidate to the Chairman of the Committee on Nominations by November 1.

Consent to serve, if elected, must be obtained from candidate before name is submitted.

**Deadline for Winter Issue  
October 15, 1979**

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## Dates To Remember

### DISTRICT CONVENTIONS

<b>Sept.</b>		
15	Southerwestern District	Huntington
29	Northern District	Follansbee
<b>October</b>		
6	Southern District	Princeton
13	Central District	Belington
13	North Central District	Morgantown
20	Western District	Elizabeth
27	Eastern District	Moorefield
<b>November</b>		
3	Capitol District	Charleston

### JUNIOR CONVENTIONS

<b>Sept.</b>	
8	Eastern District Convention
22	Southwestern District
29	Capitol District Convention
<b>October</b>	
6	Northern District
20	North Central District
27	Western District Convention
<b>November</b>	
3	Southern District Convention

Oct. 7 —	Mallorcan Holiday Tour
Nov. 8-10 —	Southeastern Council-Washington, DC
Dec. 29 —	California & Rose Bowl Parade & Game
Feb. 18, 1980 —	Aloha Hawaiian Holiday

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## ESP Board Ready To Accept Applications

**Mrs. Harry L. Findley, Sr., Chairman**

During the second year of this administration, emphasis will be placed on the completion of the Educational Seed for Physicians (ESP) project and being prepared to accept applications for the 1980 school term. Sixty-six percent of the minimum \$50,000.00 goal was reached July 1. Once the trust fund has been established, it will not be necessary to continue the project through another administration. You, the West Virginia Clubwomen, will have planted a "SEED THAT GROWS" And one that will be "A GIFT THAT'S FOREVER." Your response and enthusiasm have been most gratifying.

**Guide Lines** for 1979-1980 will be found in the WFWC directory supplement. This is a reminder of the Southwestern District ESP project — The West Virginia Clubwoman Figurine and trading stamps/ or coupons. For more information concerning these projects, contact, Clara Woodrum President Southwestern District. All profits will be donated to ESP. What an easy way to help reach our goal! There will be an ESP REPORT FORM this year.

## A Gift That Is Forever

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## MEMORIALS

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Barboursville Woman's Club in memory of: Mrs. Lyle Clay, Mrs. D. C. McComb, Mrs. L.D. Cummings, Mrs. F. Estep Thompson, and Mrs. Beulah F. Toney—all club members.

Cross Lanes Woman's Club in loving memory of Libby Wells, a devoted member. Woman's Club of Cox's Landing for deceased members.

Guyandotte Woman's Club in memory of clubmember Mrs. Virginia Bates.

Huntington Mother's Club in memory of club members, Mrs. Willard Umstead and Mrs. Harry Mason

Kermit Area Woman's Club from Mrs. Fred Shewy in remembrance of her father, Dr. R. M. Akers, and Mrs. H.E. Delong, Mrs. E. P. Stepp, Jr. in honor of their late father, Dr. E. P. Stepp, Sr. Both doctors from Kermit area.

**Women's Civic Club** of Mullens in memory of Mrs. Gerald Snyder (Icy) club president.

Pratt Woman's Club in honor of Dr. A.K. Lampton for his faithful service to the Pratt area.

Wayne Woman's Club in memory of Mrs. Sy Crum (Louise) club member

**Weston Federated Club;** Mrs. S. M. McWhorter in memory of her husband Mrs. John Pine in memory of her husband

**Miss Marion Richards** in remembrance of her mother.

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The hostess clubs of Northern District 1978 convention, Chester Woman's Club, Newell Woman's Club, Chester Arts, and Chester Woman's Civic Club in loving memory of Mildred Clifford, past Northern District President and WFWC third Vice President 1972-1974.

Memorial Gifts for Mary Sypolts husband Don, have been received for ESP from clubwomen and friends from many areas throughout West Virginia.

### INCENTIVES AND AWARDS

1. HONOR POINT FOR ESP participation. Club will receive certificates of appreciation — framed certificates for amounts of \$100.00 and over.
2. Individual award to Clubwoman contributing \$100.00 or over at a special presentation party at the March convention.
3. Individual award — Two expense paid days at the Greenbrier for the WFWC convention (room and meals) to the clubwoman obtaining the largest amount of money from sources other than club projects. **Runner-up** will receive one day.
4. Club award for THE UNIQUE project regardless of amount.
5. Club award for selling the largest number of State Project items, cookbooks, coupons/stamps, or figurines.
6. Award to the District contributing the largest amount of money.
7. Club award for largest total contribution regardless of size of club.
8. Club award for outstanding overall two year participation.
9. An individual award for the outstanding District ESP Chairman.

All contributions are to be made to: EDUCATIONAL SEED FOR PHYSICIANS, INC. Mailed to: Mrs. Harry L. Findley, ESP Chairman, 1530 Huron Terrace, Charleston, West Virginia, 25311.

WEST VIRGINIA CLUBWOMAN

# The President's Message

The beginning of a new club year and there are so many opportunities for us to help our fellowman, improve our communities, and become better and healthier persons in our Federation clubwork.

The Stonewall Jackson Civic League is urging all clubs to participate in the Vial of Life Program. Are you taking any medication? If you became unconscious in your home, would a EMT or doctor need to know what medicines you take? Do you know of elderly people living alone who needs to have the Vial of Life information? It costs so little for a club to sponsor the program for the whole community. If one life is saved in your community because of the Vial of Life Program, would it not be worth the cost?

Hazel Brown, Health Division, Chairman, has information about the State Health Department's Improved Pregnancy Outcome Program, and it sounds interesting. The gist of the program is making provisions for high risk expectant mothers to be near the hospital when her baby is due. In many rural areas it is difficult in emergencies to get the mother to her doctor quickly when time is important. The program involves sharing your home temporarily with these "needy" mothers-to-be. The State Health Department has guidelines specifically designating responsibilities of the volunteer family and guest in the program if you are interested. Contact Hazel Brown for more information.

Your County Health Department and/or schools may need your volunteer service in the immunization of school children at this time. Have you offered your help? Has your club ordered the health units for your schools from the West Virginia Division of the American Cancer Society. The unit designed for K through 4 is extremely good. It correlates health education with language arts and other subjects, and consists of slides, spirit masters, and teacher's guide. Check with your American Cancer representative in your area or write to the W. Va. Division in Charleston. Also, the Division has many good films on cancer detection and treatment. What better program for the club this year if only one member found information which helped her.

Since we are speaking of health, how is YOUR health? Have you had regular check ups? There will be another President's Citation at The Greenbrier for the clubwoman who loses the most weight this year — March 79 to March 80. Be good to yourself. You are important!

Yes, **health** is being emphasized this administration — your health especially! Too, we are still building our ESP —



MRS. HERSEL M. PERDUE

Education Seed for Physicians Trust Fund to help educate family physicians for West Virginia. We must do our part in helping these young medical students who will eventually be filling the medical needs of rural West Virginia. Again, a framed certificate will be given to each clubwoman who donates \$100. The club member that is responsible for getting the most money for ESP **this year** will get two (2) days expenses at The Greenbrier as an award. The runner up will get one (1) day. See how well the ESP Trust Fund is growing by reading Katherine Findley's article in this edition of the CLUBWOMAN. When March 1980 comes, I would like for each club president to be able to say, "Every one of my clubmembers helped with our ESP projects." With 15,000 clubwomen working on a project, it must succeed.

A few clubs have not ordered their Home Energy Kits, and you cannot participate in the program unless you have the kit. The kit is free, so write to Home Energy Check, Owens Corning Fiberglas, Fiberglas Tower, Toledo, Ohio 43659, now if your club does not have the information. **ENERGY CONSERVATION** will be the key words nationwide for sometime, and we need all the information we can get on **HOW TO CONSERVE ENERGY**.

The beginning of a new club year can be exciting — new ideas, new programs, new members. I am sure that this year 1979-80 will be the best year ever for each of the clubs in West Virginia.

ESpecially yours,

Mrs. Hersel M. Perdue,  
President

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# Junior Director's Message

The West Virginia Juniors have been a busy group. The attainments of the first year of this administration were just tremendous, but we can't 'rest on our laurels.' There's work to be done...places to go...people to see...and lots of possibilities for us to explore.

The GFWC motto, and theme for this administration, is "Unity in Diversity" — and it's a very fitting theme for us to work under. Every club in every community is different; each seems to have it's own personality, it's own charm, it's own way of doing things. Just like people, if every club were alike, what a boring Federation this would be, and one not likely to grow and change with the times. But that is the beauty of it: our own General Federation is the largest women's volunteer organization in the world. We have a proud, strong, heritage to reflect on, for we have accomplished more in our 89 year history than those first leaders, who coined the phrase "Unity in Diversity," would ever have dreamed possible. Yet the opportunities for the future as just as great.

We ARE 'unified' in our concern, and our enthusiasm, but our interests are as 'diversified' as our members themselves. The six GFWC Departments offer endless possibilities for service in our communities. The Conservation Department is particularly interested in energy and the environment — could any other subjects be more timely? The Education Department offers opportunities for increasingly opening educational doors for all segments of our society. Our families are our number one concern — and the Home Life Department helps us better understand the everyday needs of all the families of our communities.

The International Year of the Child, and the 1980 Winter Olympics, are a new and exciting emphasis in the International Affairs Department. Safety/Citizenship/Crime Reduction — these Public Affairs divisions speak to us of today, and tomorrow. The Arts Department is receiving renewed interest with special programs for the Affiliate Artist, and The Arts for the Handicapped.

"Unity in Diversity"? Yes. We cannot all do everything — but we CAN all do something. Each member, each club, each state Federation makes it's own unique contribution to the fabric of the



MRS. DAVID MESSINGER

GFWC. The individual clubs may meet their own communities' needs, yet in a larger sense, we are all working together to meet the needs of our world.

Look around you. There is a project that needs doing, a problem that needs solving, a person that needs your help.

"Unity in Diversity" is not just a motto, or a theme. It is the essence that keeps the Federation alive, and well, and creatively growing.

"Unity in Diversity" is what we are all about. "Unity in Diversity" IS the General Federation — and it's the West Virginia Juniors.

Linda Messinger  
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# Governor Rockefeller Proclaims Home Energy Check Month



JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER IV  
GOVERNOR

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA  
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
CHARLESTON 25305

June 29, 1979


Dear Mrs. Reasor,

Once again, I am pleased to issue a proclamation designating the month of September, 1979, as Home Energy Check Month.

The West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs is to be commended for sponsoring this public service to the people of our State.

Best wishes.

Sincerely,

  
John D. Rockefeller IV

Mrs. James W. Reasor  
Chairman, Home Energy Check  
1541 Upland Road  
Huntington, West Virginia 25701

State of West Virginia  
Executive Department  
Charleston  
A Proclamation  
By the Governor

WHEREAS, the State of West Virginia recognizes the need to conserve energy and contain heating and cooling costs as a means of improving the quality of life in the State; and

WHEREAS, there is a need to inform the public about effective residential energy conservation methods; and

WHEREAS, the West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs is sponsoring the "Home Energy Check — A Search for Savings," a program designed to encourage homeowners to perform simple energy audits in their homes and to perform appropriate residential energy conservations; and

WHEREAS, the Home Energy Check Program is an important public service and concomitant with the West Virginia energy conservation plans administered by the State Fuel and Energy Office.

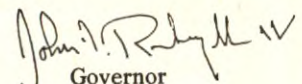
THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that homeowners in the State be encouraged to participate in the Home Energy Check Program and that support be given to the commendable efforts of the West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs who are concerned with the efficient and economical use of our precious energy resources.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER IV, Governor of the State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim the month of September, 1979, as

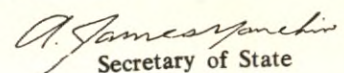
HOME ENERGY CHECK MONTH in West Virginia, and urge our citizens to cooperate with the West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs in their endeavors in conserving energy.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed.

DONE at the Capitol, City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this the Twenty-second day of June, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-nine and in the One Hundred Seventeenth year of the State.

  
Governor

By the Governor:

  
Secretary of State

WEST VIRGINIA CLUBWOMAN

## Home Energy Check

**Mrs James A. Reasor, Chairman**

The GFWC Home Energy Check Chairman reports that West Virginia is seventh in the nation in clubs entering the HEC program with 35.3% clubs entered. I know we can do better. Won't you please send in the form below and enter your club.

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Be sure to designate the code number: DOE/CS-0020.

Why not plan to have an "Energy Workshop" for your club and community, using the "Home Energy Check" slides and this booklet for additional energy information. Local utility personnel will be excellent resource persons to use on panels, as speakers, etc.



Members of the Junior Woman's Club of Ripley are shown loading a portion of the 15,050 pounds of paper and 1,450 pounds of glass which they collected at the Jackson County Recycling Center, June 2. Pictured, from left, are Becky Parsons, Sherry Poole, Christy Campbell, Charlene Kelley, Debbie Hayes and Carolyn Wallen.



Mrs. Lue Bias, second from right, was presented with the Club Woman of the Year Award by the Milton Woman's Club. Making the presentation are, from left, Mrs. Hersel Perdue, state president of WVFWC\* Mrs. William Bragg, and right, Mrs. Clyde Gibson, president of the Milton Club.

—Herald-Dispatch Photo by Lee Bernard

## Glenville Juniors Assist Student



As part of their commitment to community betterment and personal recognition, the Glenville Junior Women's Club have made a cash donation to Greg Adolfson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adolfson of Mineral Road, Glenville, to be used to help finance his trip to Europe with a group of American students on a concert tour. Selection to this group was an honor for Greg and further identifies his talent as an outstanding vocalist.

The Junior Women held a bake sale to provide money for their donation. Mrs. Glenda Martz, club president, made the presentation to Greg during the bake sale.

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July 6, 1979

Dear Mrs. Perdue:

President Carter sends warmest congratulations to the members of the West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs on the occasion of the 75th anniversary of your founding.

The President recognizes that civic-minded organizations such as yours are an essential force in building the new foundation for a peaceful and prosperous world.

You have his best wishes for sustained success in your many worthwhile endeavors to advance both your goals and the task to which he has committed our Nation in the critical months ahead.

Sincerely,

*Sarah Weddington*  
Sarah Weddington  
Special Assistant  
to the President

Mrs. Hersel M. Perdue  
President  
West Virginia Federation of  
Women's Clubs  
601 Sansom Avenue  
Wayne, WV 25570

WEST VIRGINIA CLUBWOMAN

# New School Constructed Through CARE Donations by West Virginia Clubs

Site Report  
West Virginia  
Federation of Women's Clubs  
1978-1979 Program  
Classroom Construction — Peru

Peru, third largest country in South America, faces serious problems in the area of education. In 1970 a severe earthquake destroyed nearly 7,000 classrooms. Although some have been repaired and others rebuilt, experts predict that the number of additional classrooms needed to meet the increasing demand for more space will reach 15,500 by 1980. In addition, the average student drops out of school after the third grade and one third of all primary school aged children will never get a formal education. CARE is working with the Peruvian Government and ORDEZA, a counterpart agency to increase educational facilities. One of the communities which benefitted from this program is Miraflores Bajo, thanks to the generosity of The West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs.

The Miraflores Bajo School is in a "pueblo joven" (poor fringe area) of the city of Chimbote, the main fishing center of the country, located on the coast about 275 miles north of Lima. The majority of the people in the area are fishermen; others work at part-time jobs and many are unemployed. The average annual income of the 800 families living in Miraflores Bajo average less than \$575 per household. In order to build badly needed school facilities, the people of Miraflores Bajo turned to CARE for help.

In order to qualify for participation in the CARE program, community people promised to contribute unskilled labor and locally available materials such as sand and gravel to the construction project. The generous efforts of The West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs through CARE, provided materials and equipment such as glass, wood, wire, pipes and cement. ORDEZA also contributed toward



These three classrooms of the school Number 88226 of Miraflores Bajo, Santa, were built by the parents with the co-operation of ORDEZA and West Virginia Federated Women's Club through CARE."

the cost of these items, arranged for transportation to the community and supervised construction. In ten months the project was completed.

Because of the gift of The West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs, 150 children living in Miraflores Bajo are able to attend classes. Its people are deeply grateful to their American friends for their efforts in making this self-help project possible.

## NOTICE

WVFWC Clubs contributed \$2,500.99 toward the school before March 1 and since have contributed \$291.00 for a total of \$2,791.99 to date. The total cost of the school is \$3,805.00 so we will need to collect \$1,013.01 to finish paying for it.



# PROGRAM FOR PRE-CONFERENCE ACTIVITIES

The 1979 SEC Advance Pre-Conference Activities Chairman, Mrs. Wilfred E. Boyer, has requested that you make early reservations for the tours preceding the Annual Meeting to be held in Washington, D.C.

This schedule is based on the preferences expressed by those who attended Southeastern Conference in Winston-Salem in '78

The performance scheduled at Kennedy Center for November is the comedy, "Night and Day," starring Maggie Smith and Tom Stoppard. Reserved seats must be paid for in full at least six weeks prior to the date of the performance. Mrs. Boyer MUST receive this payment no later than

September 1, 1979. Since a limited number of tickets will be available you might wish to make your reservation NOW!

A visit to GFWC Headquarters and a coffee, wine and cheese party is planned by the hostess Federation.

Additional information will be included in the CALL to the Annual Meeting.

Additional information will be included in the CALL to the Annual Meeting. The District of Columbia State Federation of Women's Clubs is very excited about serving as hostesses to Southeastern Conference. "Washington is a great place to visit—there's so much to see that is unique and so much to do that is pleasureable" states the Chairman, Mrs. Boyer.

## Advance Pre-Conference Activities, November 7 and 8, 1979

Southeastern Regional Conference, G.F.W.C., Washington Hilton Hotel, Washington, D.C. — November 7-10, 1979

### NO REFUNDS

Reservation Deadline — September 1, 1979

Make checks payable to: District of Columbia State Federation of Women's Clubs, SEC

Mail to Mrs. Wilfred E. Boyer, 2302 Ashboro Drive, Chevy Chase, MD 20015

Name of person sending reservations: .....

Address: .....  
Tickets must be picked up at least a half hour before your tour at the SEC Tour Booth, Conference Area, Washington Hilton Hotel.

DATE	ACTIVITY	Price	Number	Amount Enclosed
November 7, 1979	Evening performance, Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts November Comedy, "Night and Day" Includes bus transportation	\$17.00	.....	
November 7, 1979	Moonlight bus tour of Washington	\$ 7.00	.....	
November 8, 1979	A City-wide tour of Washington beginning with a privately conducted tour of the White House, lunch at Hogate's, a conducted tour of one of the following:	\$20.00	.....	
	1st Choice	2nd Choice	3rd Choice	
United States Capitol	.....	.....	.....	
National Gallery of Art	.....	.....	.....	
Washington Cathedral	.....	.....	.....	
Tour passengers will end their tour at GFWC Headquarters about 4:30 p.m.				
November 8, 1979	Tour of GFWC Headquarters, and Coffee, Wine and Cheese Party	No charge	.....	
	Note: Fire regulations limit the number of visitors at one time so please indicate your time preference.			
	4:30 p.m.	5:15 p.m.	.....	
Bus transportation Hotel to GFWC Headquarters and Return		\$4.00	.....	
<b>TOTAL REMITTANCE</b>	.....	.....	.....	

## Southeastern Region Nov. 8-10 Washington SCHEDULE OF

August 2, 1979

Re: Program for Southeastern Conference, The Washington Hilton, Washington, D.C.  
November 7, 8, 9, 10, 1979

### "AVENUES TO A

Pre-Conference Events  
Wednesday, November 7  
1 p.m. - 5 p.m.  
4 p.m.  
Evening

Thursday, November 8  
8 a.m. — 6 p.m.  
7:30 a.m. — 4:30 p.m.  
4:30 p.m. — 6:30 p.m.

Conference Program  
8 p.m.

Friday, November 9  
8 a.m. — 5 p.m.  
8 a.m. — 9 a.m.

9:30 a.m.

10:30 a.m. — 11:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m.  
12 noon

3 p.m. — 5 p.m.

7 p.m.

Saturday, November 10  
8 a.m.

10 a.m.

12 noon  
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# onal Conference , 1979 n, D.C. F EVENTS

General Federation of Women's Clubs

## CHIEVEMENT

Registration  
Administrative Committee Meeting  
Performance, Kennedy Center for the  
Performing Arts Moonlight Tour of Wash-  
ington

Registration  
City Tour of Washington  
Tour of GFWC Headquarters  
Coffee, Wine and Cheese Party

Official Opening of Annual Meeting  
Banquet  
Business  
Address — Mrs. A. M. Quint,  
President, GFWC

Registration  
Workshops  
CIP Reporting, Mrs. Robert Powers  
"FREE", Mrs. Bill G. Williams  
The Home Energy Check Reporting, Mrs.  
Glenn Bricker  
Parliamentary Procedure, Mrs. Francis M.  
Pennington  
Conference Reconvenes  
Report from Workshops — "Questions and  
Answers"  
Business  
GFWC Identity Workshop,  
Mrs. Don L. Shide,  
President-Elect, General Federation of  
Women's Clubs  
Recess  
Luncheon  
Fashion Show — Informal during lunch  
Speaker — Miss Chloe Gifford,  
Honorary President, GFWC  
Junior Directors Presentation  
General sessions  
Business  
State Presidents "Poster Presentatons"  
GFWC Chairmen in Conference Area  
Banquet  
Speaker — "Solar Energy"  
Fun Night — Hostess:  
Maryland Federation Juniors

Ecumenical Breakfast  
Address: Reverend Edward L. R. Elson,  
S.T.D., Chaplain of the United States Senate  
GFWC FREE Contest  
Final Business Session  
Adjournment

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## ADVANCE CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

Southeastern Regional Conference, GFWC  
Washington, D.C. — November 8, 9, 10, 1979

Make Checks Payable to: D.C. State Federation — Southeastern Regional Conference

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Miss Gertrude Talbert  
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Name .....  
Address ..... City/State .....  
Club .....  
GFWC, State, District, Club Title, if any .....

## ADVANCE MEAL RESERVATIONS

Southeastern Regional Conference, GFWC  
Washington, D.C. — November 8, 9, 10, 1979

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Miss Gertrude Talbert  
511 Deerfield Avenue  
Silver Springs, Maryland 20910

Deadline: October 1, 1979  
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	PRICE	NUMBER	AMOUNT
Thursday, November 8, 1979 (Banquet)	\$18.75	.....	.....
Friday, November 9, 1979 (Luncheon)	\$13.50	.....	.....
Friday, November 9, 1979 (Banquet)	\$22.25	.....	.....
Saturday, November 10, 1979 (Breakfast)	\$ 9.00	.....	.....

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# Communications Programs and Projects Get Special Emphasis in WVFWC & GFWC

**Betty C. Henry, Chairman**

Can you imagine any club in the WVFWC that does not do anything in any way to use communications in the interest of its programs and projects? Certainly, the answer just has to be that every club does utilize this vital tool.

This administration, both in the GFWC and WVFWC, has felt communications to be so important that this area of club work has been chosen for special emphasis in order to stimulate alertness to what a full plan of communications can do for a successful club year when used to advantage.

This year will climax efforts in this field of endeavor. Clubs, therefore, when reporting on Communications will have an opportunity to win awards not only in the regular small, medium and large categories. Other awards will be given as follows:

1. Gold star award certificates will be given to clubs who do all the following:

1. Designate a club member to be Communications chairman who will supervise/coordinate all communications.

2. List the GFWC phone number in the local directory and/or the club yearbook.

3. Plan and execute some form of recognition for news and broadcast media persons for their cooperation.

4. Use a club newsletter, bulletin, or the like to keep club members informed. At least two publications will be necessary to fulfill this item.

5. Allot time in club meetings or have a meeting especially devoted to the subject of the importance of communications and how to achieve better communications for the club.

6. Allot time in at least two club meetings or have a meeting devoted especially to WVFWC and GFWC information.

7. Submit a club article or photo for publication to the WVFWC and/or GFWC CLUBWOMAN magazines.

8. Send an annual report to the WVFWC Communications chairman which includes evidence of complying with the above requirements and answers to the annual report questionnaire.

II. Special recognition will be given to clubs who have a regular, periodic feature column in a local newspaper wherein club, WVFWC and GFWC activities are reported. This column should appear at least twice monthly.

III. Special recognition will be given to clubs who have regular radio and/or TV programs concerning club, WVFWC and/or GFWC activities. This program should occur at least twice monthly.

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Communications includes public information and public relations along with keeping the club members informed. Public information is usually handled by one or a few members. Every member of the club is a potential public relations agent, and whenever she is contacting the community, it is important that she be aware that she is representing her organization and that she must put forth a good image of the club.

It is hoped that every club will make an effort to report its activities in this very important area of club work — COMMUNICATIONS.

**Janet J. Morthimer,**

**GFWC Communications Chairman**

**Do you use the GFWC logo on all your club correspondence? Do people in your community think of the General Federation when they think of your club? Increased**

## Communications

The following articles appeared in the June 1979 issue of the GFWC CLUBWOMAN and contain important information concerning GFWC Communications awards (District, State and National) and projects. WVFWC clubs are being urged to consider participating in the "Promoter" Awards Program and to include WVFWC and GFWC identification in their Communication efforts.

### The Best GFWC "PROMOTER" Awards Program Announced.

A new and exciting Best GFWC "Promoter" Awards program has been announced by Janet J. Morthimer, GFWC Communications Chairman. It is a first for the Communications Department. Awards will be given on the District, State and National levels to the club Communication/Publicity Chairmen who do the best job of publicizing the GFWC and its projects. Specifically, judges will be looking for the greatest use of the GFWC insignia, theme and the name "General Federation of Women's Clubs" in news releases and publicity in local news media. Three top national awards will be presented at the 1980 GFWC Convention in St. Louis, Mo.

Complete information on the program itself, its purpose, rules and deadline dates, and the official entry form are available from the Materials Center at Headquarters. Also available, at your request, is background information about the Federation including specialized material not available in the GFWC Manual.

This new Awards Program should provide your club with incentive to tell the Federation Story to the media in a most effective way!



public recognition — not only of what individual clubs and clubwomen do, but also of the GFWC and its symbol — is one of the aims of this year's emphasis on communications.

A pilot project under way in six states, Kansas, Michigan, New Hampshire, North Carolina, Rhode Island and Washington, stresses the promotion of the GFWC. While all clubs are encouraged to get as much publicity as possible for club activities and for the GFWC, in these states special effort is being made to promote the Federation. States in the pilot project are especially charged with emphasizing the importance of Federation activities to the general public, community organizations and the mass media, and with developing a more productive and effective relationship between the media and the GFWC.

Many specific activities to create greater awareness among the "target groups" have been carried out in these states. They fall into three basic categories—media, public relations, and consistency of appearance. Work with the media involves the presentation of GFWC activities as news. Public relations is providing individuals and groups with information about the Federation. Increased use of the GFWC logo gives all our internal and external publicity materials more uniform appearance, and gives a better idea as to the size of GFWC and its strength.

These are some of the activities being worked out in the pilot project. Which ones would work for you and your club?

### Media

The use of 30 second public service spots and editorial replies

Appearance on talk programs to explain the GFWC and its programs

The use of call-in talk shows

Meeting notices and a short statement of purpose in newspapers

### Public Relations

Listings in phone directories, chamber of commerce offices, libraries, and community directories

Community flyers and posters showing the GFWC logo

Operation GFWC Identification: distribution of sample letters to all club presidents encouraging them to send

(Continued on page 20)

# Vial of Life Program

*Sponsored by Stonewall Jackson Civic Club of Clarksburg*

## What is the Vial of Life Program

It is the placing of a common "pill bottle," (plastic) containing data sheets for each member of a household, into a specific location.

**WHERE? Inside** the refrigerator — on the right side. It can be fastened securely to the wire shelf with heavy duty tape or extra long twist ties.

## Use This Location Only

This is where emergency workers have been informed to look for it.

About the container: **Most families already have plastic pill bottles — But be certain the "Vial of Life" bottle has a snap cap.**

## Do not use safety cap type!

The medical date sheets have been designed — **Color Coded** White sheets for Men — Green for women and Yellow sheets for children to 12 years. After this age new sheets should replace these in the proper color.

**Data Sheets:** A separate sheet for each family member will have on it: Name birthdate, Name & phone of family doctor, and the Hospital preference. There is a place provided in center of sheet to designate in large print any serious condition that may prevail [**Heart Trouble; High Blood Pressure; Diabetes; Lupus; Asthma, Etc.**]

Special medications and their correct dosage should be carefully noted. Allergies to any medication must be stated. A next of kin or other persons to be notified must be included.

Choose bottle size to hold all sheets neatly folded and placed within.

A window **CARD** will be placed in the entrance door or window of the home so that rescue workers will be made aware of the vital medical information available to them.

This will give them a "head start" when they respond to calls for help and can also accompany the patient to the hospital for the use of emergency room personnel.

## HOW TO ORGANIZE THE PROJECT

...Introduce it to your group for approval and cooperation.

...Order your materials (See enclosed order form)

...Hold a meeting to distribute data sheets and cards to the members. (Have your project chairman give explicit instructions in filling forms carefully and correctly.)

...Each member should receive forms and Card for their own immediate family and then accept the responsibility of distributing materials and instructions to other families outside your group. Close neighbors and especially Shut-ins should

be taken care of, seeing to it that forms are filled out properly and placed in the refrigerator.

...Be sure that everyone of all ages, not just those with medical problems have the **VIAL OF LIFE** in their homes. **It is just as important for emergency helpers to know that there is no medical or medication problems to hinder emergency or first aid service.**

This is a project that has no boundaries. Make your outreach as extensive as it is possible for you to afford — but be sure to make it a continuing program.

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A Special Invitation From Barbara Dirting

## Harpers Ferry Autumn Fling Sept. 21, 22, 23

**CACAPON STATE PARK**  
September 21, 22, 23, 1979

For the first time, we are planning an outing in the eastern panhandle for your enlightenment and entertainment. This event is scheduled for the weekend of September 21-23, 1979, at **Cacapon State Park**, Berkeley Springs, and will feature a tour to historic Harpers Ferry. Plan now to attend this event.

Cacapon State Park is a long, narrow preserve of 6,115 acres extending from Virginia across West Virginia's eastern panhandle almost to the Maryland border. The park centers around Cacapon Mountain, whose formidable bulk dominates the view from anywhere in the broad plain beneath. A road, hiking and bridle trails climb 1400 feet from the activities center to the summit.

Participants will stay in beautiful Cacapon Lodge overlooking the new golf

course. The lodge has fifty (50 guest) rooms, completely air conditioned, each with TV, phone and bath with combination tub/shower. Rooms will be assigned on a first-come-first served basis.

**Friday, Sept. 21**, Registration from 2:00 p.m. until 10:00 p.m. A tour of Cacapon State Park is planned for early arrivals at 3:00 p.m. or you may want to play golf at the beautiful 18-hole golf course. Dinner on your own Friday evening, followed by a "Get-Acquainted party" and "Prizes" in the Game Room.

**Saturday, Sept. 22**—Our tour is planned around interesting points of the Eastern Panhandle departing the lodge at 9:00 a.m. The first stop will be an Apple Orchard packaging plant where we will see how apples are sorted, graded and packaged for commercial use and you probably will get to sample a big juicy one before departing. From there we will travel to historic Harpers Ferry where we will enjoy lunch at

the famous Hilltop of the Point where you can see both the Potomac and Shenandoah Rivers. In fact, Thomas Jefferson said in effect the view from the Point was worth a trip across the Atlantic.

**Sunday, Sept. 23**—You are welcome to stay and enjoy the many facilities of the park and visit nearby points of interest.

Cost will be \$40.00 per person. This includes two nights lodging, Saturday breakfast, lunch at the Hilltop and dinner, registration and the Get-Acquainted Party.

Everyone is invited to participate in this event being cosponsored by the West Virginia Department of Natural Resources and the West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs. Bring your friends and join us for a nice weekend at Cacapon State Park.

### Harpers Ferry Autumn Fling Reservation

Reservations are to be mailed to:  
Maxine Scarbro, Room 711  
Dept. of Natural Resources  
1800 Washington St., East  
Charleston, WV 25305

**Deadline: September 15, 1979**

Make checks payable to: "Outdoor Conservation Activities" and enclose with reservation.

...Total number of reservations at \$40.00 per person. (This includes registration, two nights lodging, three meals and Get-Acquainted Party.)

...Total Amount enclosed.

List individuals for which reservations are being made.

Name of person making reservations:

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## Profile... Consumer Concerns

**Mrs. Eugene Chandler, Chairman**

Enter Consumer Concerns two contests for a wealth of information from Sperry Hutchinson and American Council of Life Insurance, who will provide booklets on "Guiding Your Group in Budgeting, Retirement Planning and Life Insurance. Ask for "The Money Manager 1-2-3-4."

GFWC President Mary Elizabeth Quint asks us to join in a Nation-wide "Price Watch." For information contact Esther Peterson, Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs. The White House, Wash. D.C. 20500. Ms. Peterson asks consumers to send for "Consumer's Shopping List of Inflation Fighting Ideas," to Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Office of Communication, Wash., D.C. 20250 can provide booklets on The Great American Farm, From The Earth To Your Table, People On the Farm Series, Good Food News for Kids, Be A Good Shopper, Coloring Book on Nutrition "What the Professor Forgot." Remember to share your Consumer programs and projects with the elderly, low income families, and youth. Scouts need good programs, Children need to learn about money. Make Marketing a Family Affair. Read Labels Compare prices, Use the best buys of the week and plan your menus around these items.

For years broadcast executives have said they give their audiences "What the public wants." Yet the members of the public themselves never have been granted time on their own airwaves to program what

they want as an organized community of viewers and listeners. Congress can return a very modest portion of the public's airwaves to the public's control. Write your Congressman for his opinion on proposed Audience Network. For more information write Howard Symons, P.O. Box 19404, Washington, D.C. 20036. Include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Testing products for safety is a worthwhile project. Contact US Consumer Product Safety Commission, Wash., D.C. 20207.

### Contacts For Consumer Protection:

Better Business Bureaus — Your City  
Consumer Assn. of WV Box 5021,  
Capitol Station, Charleston, WV 25311.

Fair Housing — HUD 800-424-8590; VD  
Hotline — 800-523-1885.

Consumer Product Safety — 800-638-  
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National Flood Insurance HUD —  
800-424-8872.

OSHA Occupational Safety — Health  
Administraton — 800-555-1212.

National Solar & Heating & Cooling  
Information HUD — 800-523-2929.

Educational Grants HEW — 800-638-  
6700; Veterans Information — 800-555-  
1212.

Federal Crime Insurance — HUD —  
800-638-8780.

National Highway Traffic Safety Ad-  
ministration — 800-424-9393.

Interstate Commerce Commission —  
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Add other numbers and agencies who  
can aid distressed Consumers.

# Clay County Club Has Varied Programs

Clay County Woman's Club has been enjoying a Consumer Education Program. The members have a coupon exchange at each club meeting. The club continued the books for beginners again this year by giving every first grader in Clay County one of the little golden books for their own. While visiting the schools the members presented each child from First grade

through the Twelfth with materials for a Nutrition Program. Each school received booklets on first aid and This Is Your Land to teach students about American History. Safety Bug Material to teach Safety.

In response to growing consumer interest across the country in fresh, natural foods and increasing concern with nutritious eating and wise food shopping, Kroger Company has prepared a consumer information film on selection of fresh fruits and vegetables.

Members invited their husbands for this Consumer presentation. Mr. Larry Phontz,

Kroger Produce Buyer, was invited to add interest by discussing additional areas of consumer concern such as best current buys, how produce reaches supermarkets from all over the world and why prices sometimes go up and down rapidly. Question and answer period followed. Mr. Phontz's presentation of the film and a delightful array of fresh produce from the Clendenin Kroger Store. The produce was given to the members for door prizes. The husbands picked up some good tips on how to select their produce. Many of them do the marketing for their families.

## Advertising Awards

Rules are the same as last year, awards are a little different. This year each club member selling \$100 or more in advertising by March 1, 1980 will receive a silver letter opener which carries the world famous Balfour Guarantee. These were seen and much admired at the GFWC convention in New Orleans. In fact the GFWC president presented each state president one of them.

Members selling \$200 or more will receive the beautiful Blenko Glass Figurine designed especially for the members of the WVFWC (general, Junior and Juniores).

The 'Biggie' award is the \$500 bond to the member selling the most advertising over \$1,000.

The Club selling the most advertising will receive a check for \$25. The District selling the most ads will also receive a check for \$25. To be eligible for awards, advertising must be paid for by March 1, 1980.

Contest period runs from March 2, 1979 to March 1, 1980. Awards will be presented at the Spring convention at the Greenbrier. And again may I emphasize for identification purposes, when sending in ads always show name of member to whom ads are to be credited.

Some members have not received their charms from this past year. The charms were ordered early in February but were not received until the middle of May. In the meantime Capitol and Southern district presidents have said they would be glad to present the charms at their district meetings. Sorry for the delay but thought as members have waited this long, it will be more meaningful when presented at the district meetings by the district presidents. All other charms have been sent.

Thank you again for selling ads, the magazine needs your help.

Ruby Henritze  
Advertising Manager

## Valley Woman's Club Aids Pearl Buck Birthplace

The Valley Woman's Club has been supportive of the Pearl S. Buck Birthplace since the West Virginia Federation purchased the Stulting Place in Hillsboro, 1966. Mrs. Culler is a new member of the club and when we announced the different articles that were needed for the Foundation, she immediately stated her father was an interior decorator and his hobby was woodworking. She would ask him to make a cradle for the project. This was so done,

and presented to Mrs. Tabor, President of the Valley Club and Mrs. Howard Meadows, member of the Board of Directors and membership chairman of the Pearl Buck Birthplace Foundation. The cradle is made of wormy chestnut wood taken from a house 100 years old. Other club contributions were: Mrs. E. Ray Conner donated a feather pillow for the cradle and Mrs. Ronald Brooks donated a quilted top and coverlet.



Pictured above left to right are: Mr. Raymond Kimbel, his daughter, Mrs. James E. Culler; Mrs. James A. Tabor, Jr. and Mrs. Howard Meadows.

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# 1978-1980 AWARDS PROGRAM

For information write:  
**GFWC Program Office or  
 The Following Chairmen**

**DEPARTMENT  
 or  
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**AWARDS**

Community Improvement Program	GFWC/Sears, Roebuck and Company	all divisions	to improve individual Communities	(see CIP Guidebook)	cash awards	Mrs. Robert Powers 500, East Wilson Greenwood, MS 38930
Federation's Role in the Enterprise Economy (FREE) Program	GFWC/Cities Service Company/The Procter and Gamble Company	all divisions	to educate clubwomen in the private enterprise system		cash awards	Mrs. Bill G. Williams Box 118 Newport, TN 37821
Home Energy Check	To be announced	Home Energy Check	to conserve home energy			Mrs. Glenn W. Bricker Box 591 Ashland, NH 03217
Solid Wastes Awards Program	GFWC/Can Manufacturing Institute	Environmental Action	to promote better understanding of solid waste management, resource recovery and future technology	2/15/80	cash awards	Mrs. Chester Henderson 112 Panorama Drive Yakima, WA 98901
Commitment to Action	GFWC/Shell Oil Co.	Conservation Dept.	to reward the best all over conservation program	3/15/80	cash awards	Mrs. John Holland, Jr. Box 466 West Falmouth, MA 02574
International Clubs Awards Program	GFWC	International Clubs	to increase international membership	2/15/80	cash awards	Mrs. Harry Christopher 2102 Bay Front Terrace Podickory Point Annapolis, MD 21402
GFWC/CARE Education Program	GFWC/CARE, Inc.	International Aid	to fund education projects in countries of the club's choice	4/1/80	certificate	Mrs. Harold Woodcome One Reservoir Avenue Rumford, RI 02916
Consumer Awards Program	GFWC/Sperry & Hutchinson Co.	Consumer Concerns Division	to promote participation of GFWC club members in active consumer program			Mrs. Ottwin Schlueter Box 101 Pender, NE 68047

# Items Still Needed For Pearl Buck Museum

The Pearl S. Buck Birthplace still needs some items for its museum. Since we depend on donated items we hope that this list will enable our clubwomen to locate something a member, or someone in your area, would like to donate, thus preserving it for others to see and enjoy.

**For the Restored Birthplace** (Stutling House): Secretary for Girls' Room (Dark wood, walnut, mahogany or cherry); Two benches for front porch (maximum 7 feet long, or shorter) plus two more for the upstairs porch; Andirons, Fireside Sets, China — Tea Leaf Pattern on white English Ironstone; Side Board for kitchen; Picture (of a shepherd leading a flock of sheep — a favorite of Pearl Buck's mother).

**For the Barn :** for **Horses:** harness and parts, grooming tools, feeding buckets, bridles, bits, etc. **For Cows:** Grooming tools, milking stool, buckets, feed boxes, stanchion, bells, neck strap. **For Sheep:** Shears, wool-bag. **For Hay:** Hook, pitch-forks, hand rake. **For Chickens:** Egg basket, false eggs. **Veterinarian Supplies:** Corner shelves, ointments, balsam, drenching bottle, dehorning tools, dehorning paste. **For Butchering:** Hoist, pulleys, block and tackle, achilles tendon stretcher, scrapers, knives. **Old Pictures:** of horses and bulls, etc. **Advertisements:** of fairs and circuses. **Miscellaneous:** Storage boxes, scoops, measures, corn sheller, corn bin, mice traps, nose ring & strap.

**For Sydenstricker House [Cultural Center]:** All-Purpose Room: Settee and Chairs, Bookcases, Folding Chairs, Audio-Visual equipment for Orientation program; Small podium for speakers, Antique picture frames. **Log Museum Section:** Sydenstricker family mementos; Iron pots for fireplace, poker, fireside set, andirons, old rifle (to hang over mantel); table for meals, small table, chairs (hickory split bottoms), old dishes and silverware, candle mold candlesticks, spinning wheel, yarn winder, wool carder, dry sink, cupboard, Musical instruments, as rebec, dulcimer, violin, iron wash boiler, child's sled, hand-made baskets, trunk, coverlets and quilts, bed, chest, dresser, braided rug (large) or small

ones, saddle for horse. [NOTE: **House Built about 1834**].

**For Office:** Deck and chair, mimeograph machine, paper folder, extra chair.

**Miscellaneous:** Good used portable sewing machine (for guides to work on craft items for Gift Shop during winter months.)

**Pearl Buck Books for Library.** Goal is two complete sets of all her 106 books. Three sets would be even better. (See book list prepared by Lucille Zinn of Buckhannon for those still needed — or inquire at Birthplace).

**Books by Cornelia Spencer.** Any of these books written by Pearl Buck's sister will be added to the Library. Her books include: Three Sisters; China Trader; Elizabeth:

England's Modern Queen; The Exile's Daughter; The Land of the Chinese People; Made in China; Made in India; The Missionary; Nehru of India; Straight Furrow; Understanding the Japanese; Seven Thousand Islands; Romulo: Voice of Freedom; The Song in the Streets; More Hands for Man, Claim to Freedom. The Low Countries. (There may be others this writer does not know about.)

Miss Spencer's Books were written mostly for children and youth.

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If your secret ambition has been to be a detective, now is your chance! Won't you help us locate some of these items?

## West Virginia Coloring Books

The West Virginia Coloring-Activity Books Project of the West Virginia Federation of Women's Clubs of last year will be continued for the 1979-80 club year. The printing will be done in August so that the chairman, Mrs. George Hoylman, should have them by September 1. Please use the coupon below for your order, unless you have previously sent your order by letter, which is quite satisfactory. Order blanks are available from the chairman, also.

This year, due to rising costs of paper, a little less profit (5 cents per book) will be realized by the Pearl S. Buck Birthplace for the Sydenstricker House Fund, while the profit for the clubs will remain the same. Clubs will continue to make 60 cents per books, while the Birthplace will get 45 cents per books instead of 50 cents as of last year.

Last year a total of 5,173 books were sold. This meant \$2,586.50 for the

Sydenstricker House Fund (Cultural Center) and \$3,103.80 for the clubs participating.

These books are being used in some of the schools and greatly appreciated there. Perhaps your club would like to get them into your local school. We encourage your participation in the Coloring Book Project for 1979-80! If it is possible to send a check with the order, this would be helpful since printing supplies must be purchased in advance. If not convenient, please pay within 60 days of receipt of books. Send check for \$1.40 per book to the Chairman, but make check to: Holsberry Learning Systems. Clubs will be expected to pay postage.

This is one way to support the Pearl S. Buck Birthplace, our Federation project. Other ways are club contributions (to be matched by state Federation money this year); special projects by clubs; memberships in the Foundation; individual donations.

### ORDER FORM FOR WEST VIRGINIA COLORING-ACTIVITY BOOKS

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# Profile. . .

## Citizenship Division

### Mrs. Finley Seldomridge, Chairman

Citizenship: the status of being a citizen; the quality of an individual's response to membership in a community.

Being a citizen entails both rights and responsibilities. While we rightly express growing concern over the growth of "big government," we must never lose sight of the fact that in our system we, the citizens, are the government. Unless we exercise our responsibilities and participate at every level — municipal, state and federal — we govern ourselves by default.

Citizen participation takes many forms. At the most fundamental level, it is voting — voting at town meetings, on referendums and on bond issues; voting for representatives on town councils and state legislatures as well as for President. Clubwomen around the country participate in voter registration drives. They help organize get-out-to-vote campaigns. They babysit and carpool to get others to the polls.

Many new officials are stressing easier voter registration. (GFWC Resolution 215, Convention 1978, opposes voter registration on election day.) If this is to become a fact, it is up to us to do all we can to see

that citizens are educated regarding their responsibilities as voters. We can set up forums where the public can see, hear and question candidates. Start planning now!

Beyond voting, citizens have an obligation to keep themselves informed on issues and to express their opinions to their elected representatives. Be alert to all legislation concerning women. Speak out and write your legislators. If we, as women, do not support these laws, we cannot expect further consideration. Be sure to write your legislatures when you approve a stand as well as when you do not.

Good citizenship does not begin at voting age. It starts when we are born. Parents show their children, by example, the importance of civic responsibility. Schools further educate the youth in our democratic processes. Clubwomen have always spoke out in support of legislation. As individuals, we support the candidates of our choice.

Good citizenship should be exercised at all times. Clubwomen are concerned women. Let us, by example, extend our concern to each member of our communities.



### Morgantown Juniors Assist Sheriff's Dept.

The Morgantown Junior Woman's Club is assisting the Monongalia County Sheriff's Department with the Neighborhood Watch Program.

Club members will distribute brochures and stickers to friends and neighbors which contain helpful vacation tips for protecting homes and preventing burglaries.

Contained on the sticker are county emergency telephone numbers and the state-wide, toll-free, all-emergency services number. The latter is 1-800-352-2500.

Co-chairmen Kathleen Dyer and Sharon Contenti of the Public Affairs Department will coordinate club efforts with Deputy Sheriff Ed Pietroski.

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## International Year Of The Child Project For Women's Clubs

"We want to help", seemed to be the main current running through the training meeting of the West Virginia International Year of the Child Program Council. Two Morgantown Juniors, attended the meeting held in Charleston in June.

Many state agencies and governmental departments were represented there and each was giving it's support to whatever individuals, organizations, clubs and agencies wished to celebrate the International Year of the Child.

Heading the state in it's celebration are Executive Director Thomas L. Lewellyn, State Chairperson Jane S. Henley, and Honorary Chairperson Sharon P. Rockefeller. The state has been divided into ten areas each having its own program directors. The chairpersons are responsible for promoting, co-ordinating and supporting local programs and projects to mark the observance of the celebration.

Many resources, including speakers, training specialists, audio-visual aids, demonstration programs, and potential funding sources, are being examined and located by the program chairpersons. A statewide circular will promote all activities planned for and of the children. For ideas or information or for placing your organization's activities in the circular, you may call the State Commission on Children and Youth collect at 348-0258.

Other information including teacher's packets, newsletters, leaflets, posters, slides, and filmstrips are available by writing Office of International Year of the Child Coordinator, U.S. Committee for UNICEF, 331 East 38th St., New York, NY 10016. (212) 686-5522.

Mrs. Rockefeller, the opening speaker of the one-day convention, described the children of West Virginia, their backgrounds, their talents, their well-being, their aspirations, and their uniqueness. She spoke of their importance to the future of the family, state, world, and mankind. She emphasized that this is truly the year to 'celebrate' the child.

A workshop was held on how to plan and implement local programs and activities to observe the celebration.

The General Federation of Women's Clubs is listed as one of the National Organizations on the Advisory Council of International Year of the Child.

Clubs are reminded that there are many ways they can observe the Year of the Child in club work, church and schools by finding special ways for children to participate in or be remembered in our everyday activities or in our annual events already scheduled.



New Officers of Nutter Fort Woman's Club are front row: Mrs. Mary Tom Stamm, North Central District President; Mrs. Alma Brown, first Vice President; Mrs. Martha Davis, President; Mrs. Jeanne Thomas; Mrs. Lucille Shinn, Second Vice President; Back row: Mrs. Dottie Holt, parliamentarian; Mrs. Deloris Wilson, Corresponding Secretary; Bonnie Bell Hawkins, President Woman's Club of Clarksburg; Mrs. Juanita Bryan, Assistant Treasurer; Mrs. Barbara Gorby, Treasurer.

## Communications

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similar letters to their City/Town officials explaining the statewide use of GFWC with their club name

Proclamation of Federation Day or Federation Month

Proclamation of Junior Week in conjunction with a press conference for federation representatives

A new special initiation service, "Our Federation Chain." Also, putting together Federation kits for new Junior clubs which include two GFWC Manuals, the **Junior Guidepost**, a copy of the **GFWC Club-woman**, and the GFWC profile

Using club members as speakers for

other community organizations, schools and colleges

### Consistency of Appearance

Adoption of "GFWC" as part of club names, with the GFWC logo prominently displayed on club stationery and publications

Scholarship applications including the GFWC logo and the wording, "Member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs"

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