CARROLLTON CIVIC WOMAN'S CLUB NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 2002

- **OCT 17 Th** Annual fundraiser/salad luncheon will be at First Methodist Church this year. Bridge and games begin at 10 am. Please come early and stay late!
- OCT 18 Fri Deadline to make reservations for you and your guest for the General Meeting. Call the receptionist at SMI, (770) 834-0831 for reservations, or to cancel if you are on the Permanent Reservation List. After the deadline, call Callie Mohn at work (770) 214-8847 by Monday, prior to the meeting.
- OCT 23 Wed General Meeting. Sunset Hills Country Club. Lunch at 11:30 AM, Meeting 12 noon. Cost of meal is \$9.00. Public Affairs has invited Sheriff Terry Langley to speak on "How to Stay Safe in Carroll County." Don't forget annual arts & crafts competition. Please bring a washcloth or fitted twin sheet for the New Hope Boys' Home.
- OCT 24 Th Anne Hill Book Club will be at Clemmie Walkers', 10 AM.
- NOV 4 Mon Conservation Dept meets Evergreen Chinese Restaurant, 11:30 AM.
- **NOV 7 Th Board meeting** at SMI, 10 am.
- **NOV 9 Sat** Regency Art Auction for the New Hope Boys' Home, at the Carrollton Cultural Arts Center. Preview is 6 PM, auction at 7 PM. For tickets, please call any member of Friends of New Hope (Beverly Britt, Margaret Hilley, Betty Collins-Jones, Edith Maxwell, Elaine Shivers, Jackie Ward).
- **NOV 14 Th Tallulah Falls School Trip.** We will leave from Tabernacle Baptist Church parking lot at 8:00 AM. Comfortable walking shoes are a must! Please call Joan Borders to confirm, at (770) 832-6969.
- **NOV22 Fri Georgia Women's Assembly** Get updated on issues facing the Georgia General Assembly. See Martha Ann Saunders for details.
- **Every Mon TOPS**, Women's Center, 2nd Floor Conference Room, 1 PM. Line Dancing, Community Activities Center, 4 PM.

FLY YOUR	FLAG DATES!	From Edith Maxwell	OCT Special Observances
		Domest	ic Violence Awareness
OCT 27	Navy Day	Crime I	Prevention Month
NOV 11`	Veterans Day	America	an Safe School Week
NOV 28	Thanksgiving	Day Nationa	l Fire Prevention Week

Craft, photography, and poetry competition is held during the November meeting!

Find a photograph, write a poem, or make a craft! If you don't want to compete, please bring items to show. Please call Anna (834-8978) or Gywn (834-3081) if you plan to enter.

Crafts competition:

1. Knitting	2. Crocheting
3. Quilting	4. Needlepoint/petit point
5. Smocking	6. Doll
7. Sewing	8. Cross-stitch

9. Embroidery/crewel/candlewicking

10. Garden ornaments, stepping stones, birdhouses, etc.

11. Paper (schereschnitie, handmade paper, origami)

12. Painting

13. Miscellaneous

Photography competition: Drag out those grandchildren!

- 1. Portrait/personality: capture the subject's character
 - 2. Natural history: flowers, animals, insects, etc.
 - 3. Scenic: vistas, landscapes, seascapes, etc.
 - 4. Feature: Human interest

Poetry: Any style, 8 to 30 lines

International Affairs reminds us just what our donations to UNICEF can do:

Amount	Can buy		
4 cents	2 vitamin A capsules to protect a child against blindness		
36 cents	penicillin to treat a child's infection		
\$1.00	protects a child from polio for life		
\$1.00	120 water purification tablets-each makes 1 gal of water drinkable		
\$2.00	40 packets of rehydration salts, to treat dehydration		
\$7.00	School supplies for 3 children-chalk, slate, colored pencils & schoolbag		
\$20.13	First-aid kit		
\$150.00	Hand pump and pipes for a well that will serve 250 people		
\$220.00	Large, long-range cold-storage box to maintain vaccines		

PLEASE NOTE: GFWC is putting more emphasis on maintaining a VOLUNTEER RESUME on each club member. You will find the form enclosed.

Jackie Ward says that Pastor Warner of New Hope Boys' Home was thrilled by the 50 plus towels that club members donated at our September meeting. Please, continue to allow this group to touch your hearts.

ATTN: Department Chairs! Citizenship Award nominations are due at the general meeting on October 23rd!

Visit **The Hunger Site** (<u>www.the-hungersite.com/home</u>) daily! Click the "Give Free **Food" button**, and (at no cost to you) corporate site sponsors donate funds for the purchase and distribution of staple foods to those in need. In 2001, daily "clicks" by people like us generated **\$900,000 to frontline hunger relief organizations** working worldwide to provide food and hope to the hungry. That was over 1 million pounds of food in a world where someone dies of hunger every 3.6 seconds.

One of our featured speakers last year, Shirley Garrett, has written "A Tap Water Girl In A Bottled Water World." It is available in paperback at Horton's Book Store on the square, for \$12.95.

Club concerns: As a bad example during National Fire Prevention Week, Joy Gould did catch fire, while burning weeds. She is deeply humbled, but healing.

Membership news...

Mrs. Dorothy Howard, club member since 1995, passed away October 9th, 2002. Our prayers go out to her daughter, **Ginny McGee**.

Dr. Paula Webster has moved to Florida. We will miss her.

Joy Gould Corresponding Secretary

Carrollton Civic Woman's Club General Meeting Wednesday, September 25, 2002 12:00 Noon

President Nina Chaffin called the meeting to order. Margarette Hilley gave the devotion on fruits of the spirit from Galatians.

Program: Chairperson Martha Thurman of the Education Department introduced Kathy Lowry, Program Coordinator of Carrollton Parenting Program, who spoke on early intervention to support children with special learning disabilities.

Edith Maxwell led the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Callie Mohn introduced the guests: Brenda Payton, Sharon Coley, Mickey McDonald, and Aloma Parker. There were 46 members present and 4 guests.

Officers' Reports

President Nina Chaffin reported that handbooks were available at the meeting for all members. Volunteers and baked goods items are needed for the Hospice Bake Sale on November 23. Volunteers and canned goods are needed for the Soup Kitchen. Nina announced the opening of Alice's House Thrift Shop. Summer events are still under discussion.

First Vice-President Martha Ann Saunders reported that volunteer resume forms will be in next month's newsletter.

Second Vice-President Gwyn Chesnut encouraged everyone to complete personal project activity sheets.

Recording Secretary Sharon Hearnburg reported that the minutes of previous meeting stand approved as published.

Treasurer Callie Mohn reminded all members to turn in \$40 for Salad Luncheon tickets. The club had a beginning balance of \$5,889.65 and an ending balance of \$5,618.43.

Unfinished Business

Fund Raiser Chairperson Ginny McGee reminded all members of the Salad Luncheon on October 17. She requested volunteers for card tables, coolers, and beverages. Each member is responsible for selling four tickets and preparing a large salad. Each department was assigned responsibilities for the day.

Department Reports

Arts Department Chair Johnnye Hutchens reported that they will furnish a centerpiece for the food table for the Salad Luncheon.

Conservation Chair Eleanor Hoomes reported that the butterfly garden at the Perry House was a success and the theme of the department for this year will be backyard habitats. Live Christmas wreaths are on sale by Master Gardeners Ginny McGee and Stephanie Roberts.

Education Chair Martha Thurman thanked all members of the department who worked on today's program and announced that each table centerpiece would be given to the woman with the most grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Members of Home Life Sandra Law and Nancy Tunnell have organized the silent auction for the Salad Luncheon.

International Affairs Chair Ginny McGee reminded everyone to read the poster on the United Nations and collected donations for UNICEF. This year UNICEF funds will go for fresh water and vaccinations.

Public Affairs Chair Edith Maxwell thanked everyone for bringing towels for the New Hope Boys Home. Jackie Ward shared that the emphasis has been to make everyone aware of the needs of the Boys Home. Marjorie Hudson reported that they will break ground for a new emergency home. Everyone was reminded to save coupons for COMFLEACT.

Committee Reports

CIP: Martha Ann Saunders reported that the BTIO dolls are at the Vocational High School.

Tallulah Falls Chair Joan Borders reported that members will take a day trip to Tallulah Falls School on November 14 and asked for a count of members who could go. Legislative Chair Martha Ann Saunders encouraged all members to sign the letters in support of passage of CEDLAW, which calls for the elimination of all forms of discrimination against women. Martha Ann encouraged all members to know what they are voting on before they go to the polls.

Book Club will meet on October 24 at Clemmie Walker's.

Line Dancing will resume when Marjorie Hudson returns from her surgery.

TOPS meets every Monday at 1:00 pm.

Board Meeting will be October 3 at SMI.

Sunshine: Dorothy Howard has moved to 150 Cottage Lane, apartment 121. We need to think about Pam Henderson who is undergoing treatment.

Carrollton Civic Woman's Club Board Meeting Thursday, October 03, 2002 10:00 AM

President Nina Chaffin called the meeting to order and gave the devotional. Those present: Nina Chaffin, Callie Mohn, Joy Gould, Gwyn Chesnut, Martha Thurman, Karen Hartley, Ginny McGee, Johnnye Hutchens, Joan Borders, Edith Maxwell, Tish Stone, and Sharon Hearnburg.

All members were asked to remember Dorothy Howard and send cards.

Officers' Reports

President Nina Chaffin reminded everyone that TOPS meets on Mondays. **Second Vice-President Gwyn Chesnut** reminded all department chairs to consider how they want to spend department's money before the end of the year. She also noted that all members need to complete personal activity sheets.

Recording Secretary Sharon Hearnburg reported that minutes were published and stand approved as published.

Treasurer Callie Mohn reported a beginning balance of \$5,618.43; deposits/credits of \$3.63; checks/payments of \$4.86; and an ending balance of \$5,617.20. Callie will reserve the Country Club on Saturday, December 14, 2002, for our Christmas party with Friday, December 13 as the second choice.

Unfinished Business

A motion, made by Martha Thurman and seconded by Callie Mohn, was passed stating that beginning this month (October, 2002), each department will have the option of holding a CIP raffle or making a donation to CIP from the department.

A motion, made by Karen Hartley and seconded by Callie Mohn, was passed designating New Hope Boys Home as the CIP for this term of office.

The Board nominated Jackie Ward to be chair of the CIP; Edith Maxwell will contact Jackie.

Fund Raiser Chair Ginny McGee reported that all plans for the salad luncheon on October 17 are on track. Ginny asked all Board members to bring a dessert or snack for the bridge players. Set up will be at 8:00 AM. Members were encouraged to bring salads with meat.

New Business

Tish Stone shared her activities as State Officer.

Department Reports

Arts Chair Johnnye Hutchens reported that the department is planning to schedule a tour of the new Arts Center for members.

Conservation: No report

Education Chair Martha Thurman reported that extra materials on learning disabilities were donated to Carroll County Special Education Department.

Home Life: No report

International Affairs Chair Ginny McGee reported that \$43.25 of the needed \$75 was collected at the last meeting.

Public Affairs Chair Edith Maxwell reported that her department is responsible for this month's program, which will be a speaker from the Sheriff's Department speaking on violence against women. Edith needs nominations from each department for Citizenship Award. A Regency Arts Show sponsored by New Hope Boys Home will be on November 9 at the Arts Center.

Committee Reports

Awards: Each department chair was asked to select one person to serve on the awards committee. Ginny McGee will coordinate a meeting of awards committee and committee will select a chair at the meeting.

CIP: Karen Hartley reported that donation from Rotary Club had been use to order Gamble Game.

Tallulah Falls: Joan Borders encouraged everyone to visit Tallulah Falls School on November 14.

Meeting was adjourned at 12:00 Noon.

Sharon Hearnburg Recording Secretary

Carrollton Civic Woman's Club Board Meeting Thursday, November 7, 2002

President Nina Chaffin called the meeting to order and gave the devotional. Those present included: Joan Borders, Johnnye Hutchens, Martha Ann Saunders, Sandra Law, Nancy Tunnell, Karen Hartley, Eleanor Hoomes, Gwyn Chesnut, Ginny McGee, Nina Chaffin, Callie Mohn, and Sharon Hearnburg.

Club concerns: Idys Overton

Officers' Reports

President Nina Chaffin reminded everyone that November's general meeting will be the third Wednesday of November on November 20, Book Club will meet on Thursday, November 21, and the next board meeting will be December 5.

First Vice President Martha Ann Saunders presented the membership application of Brenda Payton, which was approved.

Second Vice President Gwyn Chesnut encouraged everyone to complete her personal work reports.

Recording Secretary Sharon Hearnburg reported that the minutes of the previous board meeting stand approved as published.

Treasurer Callie Mohn reported the club had made a donation to Tallulah Falls School in memory of Dorothy Howard. The beginning balance was \$5,617.20; total deposits/credits were \$3.04; total checks/payments were \$968.90; and the ending balance was \$4,651.34. The salad luncheon raised \$2,600, which does not include the \$1,215 raised by the silent auction. Nina Chaffin commended Sandra Law and Nancy Tunnell for the outstanding work on the silent auction.

Unfinished Business

The club **Christmas party** will be December 5 at 5:45 at Sunset Hills Country Club; the cost for dinner is \$21.50 per person. November 20 is the deadline for making reservations. The Board approved a motion, made by Ginny McGee and seconded by Joan Borders, for the club to pay \$5 per person attending the Christmas party to the Carrollton Cultural Arts Department for tickets the Christmas concert; this money will come from the entertainment account. Following dinner on December 5, a bus will be available to take everyone to the concert.

Department Reports

Arts Department Chair Johnnye Hutchins reported that Penny Lewis of the Carrollton Cultural Arts Department would present the program in November.

Conservation Chair Eleanor Hoomes invited everyone to come and work on Saturday at the Perry House; rocks will be delivered and fall garden cleaning will be done. Ginny McGee reminded everyone that Masters Gardeners of Carroll County are selling wreaths and sprays for Christmas. Regular wreaths are \$20; large wreaths are \$35; sprays are \$15. Ginny will take orders for these greenery arrangements.

Home Life Chair Sandra Law reminded everyone of the need to volunteer to fill the gift lists from the boys at New Hope Boys Home. Care bags and Bibles have been taken to Hospice and the Emergency Shelter. Alice's House needs volunteers.

Under **Public Affairs Martha Ann Saunders** reported that 1590 coupons worth \$1329.64 were sent to COMFLEACT in October.

Committee Reports

Tallulah Falls Chair Joan Borders reported that members would be going to the school on November 14, the 34th birthday of our club. The club will donate \$100 in honor of our birthday.

Community Improvement Projects Chair Karen Hartley reported that the BTIO babies have been at Temple and Villa Rica in the child development classes; the babies are back at Central Middle School.

Legislative Chair Martha Ann Saunders reported that Senator Miller had replied to our letter on CEDAW. Martha Ann reminded everyone of the Women's Assembly at the Loudermilk Center in Atlanta on November 22; members are encouraged to attend this conference.

Announcements

Karen Hartley reported that she and Tish Stone attended the SE conference meeting. Gwyn Chesnut encouraged everyone to enter the photo contest sponsored by the Georgia Federation of Woman's C