



CARROLLTON CIVIC WOMAN'S CLUB

January 2007 Newsletter

***Next General Meeting
Wednesday, January 24, 2007
Sunset Hills Country Club***

The International Affairs Department will present the meeting with members telling their experiences in foreign countries.

Pancake Breakfast: Get your tickets at our general meeting, or contact Gwyn if you need them before. Ask all your friends and family and sell, sell, sell. Come on Feb. 10 around 9 a.m. if you would like to eat with other club members.

Club Concerns

Johnnye Hutchins' husband Fred.

Joan Borders had surgery.

Elaine Shivers brother, Mark Anthony Smith died.

Officers' and Committee Reports

President:

Congratulations to our 2006 Club Award winners:

Club Woman Award	Martha Thurman
New Member Award	Frances Jackson
Billie Fletcher "Unsung Heroine" Award	Georgia Simons
Citizen of the Year	Vivian Miller
Family of the Year	Clancy Haslam

Priscilla Bennett is the new chairperson of the Education Department.

2nd Vice President:

For the year 2006 we sent overseas coupons that had a value of \$35,015.57. Thanks to everyone who contributed to this success and please continue to bring coupons clipped from the newspaper.

Budget Committee:

The Budget Committee proposed the following budget for 2007. It will be presented at the January meeting to be voted on by the members.

Annual dues: \$50

Meals: \$11 per meal – members pay for 10 meals for a total of \$110

Salad luncheon tickets: 4 at \$10 each for a total of \$40

Total for year: \$200 that can be paid quarterly at \$50 per quarter.

Each department will have \$350 to spend during the years. If the department does not spend all their money in 2007, the remaining amount will go to the general fund for 2008.

Supporting members: \$50 per year with meals costing \$12 if they attend a luncheon.

Department Reports

Art:

January: Whittier and Erin Wright and the Students of University of West Georgia.

February: Bill Anderson of Gallery Row.

March: LOFAS – a very unique display.

April: The Georgia Water Color Society.

May: National Exhibition.

June: Helen Helwig and Niki Glen.

Empty Bowls Fund Raiser: February 25 from 11am to 1pm. Includes a silent auction. Bowls cost \$10 and were provided by local potters. Soup served in separate bowl.

Public Affairs:

Tour of Homes sponsored by the Friends of New Hope Boys' Home earned \$2,900. CCWC donated \$50 to the Veteran's Memorial and our name was added to the wall of contributors as a Bronze Sponsor.

Continue to bring old cell phones to be used by Home Life and Public affairs for several groups.

Education: We will continue collecting Box Tops for Education. If anyone purchases any 12 participating Box Tops for Education Products at Publix they will receive 100 Bonus Box Tops (via a mail-in offer Martha Ann Saunders has). This offer expires 2/15 so hurry and collect your 12 box tops now. To identify participating Box Tops for Education products, look for the Box Tops label on products.

Conservation:

Conservation has chosen as its area of study for 2007 Global Warming.

We urge everyone to continue to pick up trash.

Anyone interested in working with Keep Carroll Beautiful's Litter Index, please contact Eleanor Hoomes at 854-8919.

The 2006 Pick Up Artist Award will be presented at the January meeting.

The Great Backyard Bird Count is February 16-19. Please participate. Using your search engine key in Great Backyard Bird Count.

Conservation will continue to work at the Curtis Gardens and with Hidden Gardens.

Thank You Notes Received

Carroll County Veterans Memorial Park for \$50 and CCWC is now a Bronze Sponsor.

Inside Ministries.

Community Foundation of West Georgia, Inc.

American Heart Association.

Carroll County Emergency Shelter, Inc.

Upcoming Calendar

General Meeting: Wednesday, January 24 at 11:30 a.m., Sunset Hills Country Club.

Board Meeting: Thursday, February 8 at 10:00 a.m., Optimist Arts Room, Carrollton Activity Center.

Anne Hill Book Club: February 1 at Ginny McGee's home at 10am.

Cultural Arts Center Opening Reception: First Friday of the month, 5-7pm.

2007 Floyd Hoskins Great Decisions: Thursdays, beginning February 1 through March 22 from 7-9pm at the Carrollton Community Activities Center, Rotary Room. Each session involves participants in discussion and informative lectures on current international issues. For further information, contact Kathie and Bruce Lyon at 770-834-0573 or Elmira Barrow at 770-830-5993.

UWG International Dinner: January 25, 6:45pm upper level of Z-6.

Flag Dates: February 12 – Lincoln's Birthday and February 19 Presidents' Day.

**Carrollton Civic Woman's Club
General Meeting
Sunset Hills Country Club
December 20, 2006
11:30 A.M.**

Call to Order--Gwyn Chesnut called the meeting to order and noted the following concerns: Nancy Tunnell's husband and Roberta Brown's sister both passed away recently. Johnnye Hutchins' husband is recuperating from surgery. Clancy Haslam's daughter is in labor this morning.

Inspiration—Given by Gwyn Chesnut

Program—Rev. Mark Barnes, Music Director at the Carrollton First United Methodist Church, sang a number of familiar Christmas songs.

Pledge of Allegiance—June Woodside led the Pledge of Allegiance to the U.S. flag.

Minutes—**Motion** (Saunders, McGee) to accept the November general meeting minutes as published in the December newsletter. **Passed.**

New Business—Gwyn Chesnut recognized blood donors Lois Wilson, Georgia Simons, Sue McBrayer, and Eleanor Hoomes. Also, she recognized Martha Thurman, Sue McBrayer, and Idys Overton as having assisted with blood drives.

Officers' Reports—

- 1st Vice President—Martha Thurman introduced guests Jenny Thompson and Greg Hickson.
- 2nd Vice President—In the absence of Laura Miller due to illness, Martha Thurman reported:
 - CCWC has the opportunity to break a record with coupons sent to COMFLEACT this year; we are trying for \$35,000 worth.
 - All activity reports are due today. Members should go by the Chamber of Commerce and give the reports to Laura or they may be given to Gwyn Chesnut today. Department chairs are to meet with Martha today immediately following the meeting to pick up activity reports for the annual summaries.
 - Campbell Soup label collection now requires the boy and barcode configuration. These should be given to Jennifer Dandliker.

Department Reports—

- **Education**—Karen Hartley requested members of the Education Department to meet with her immediately following today's general meeting.
- **International**—Frances Jackson announced that International Student Night will be held January 25, 2007, 6:45 P.M., Z-6, University of West Georgia.
- **Public Affairs**—Jackie Ward reported that the Christmas Tour of Homes was quite successful and thanked everyone for their help. A total of 194 tickets were sold. The New Hope boys are now in their new home.

Committee Reports—

Ferst Foundation—Martha Ann Saunders reported that Ferst Foundation is featured in the Community Foundation's new calendar. Also, a check for \$4000 is coming to Ferst today.

Awards—The following awards were presented:

Club Woman of the Year—Martha Thurman

New Member of the Year—Frances Jackson

Billie Fletcher Unsung Heroine—Georgia Simons

Citizen of the Year—Vivian Miller

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The meeting adjourned at 1:05 P.M.

Edith Maxwell

Recording Secretary