GFWC Coco Plum Woman's Club, Inc.

March, 2019 Newsletter





What's Happening in March!!



### President's Message

Congratulations to **Carol Nobles** our **LEADS representative** and to **Sally Pearlman** our **Volunteer of the Year.** We are SO VERY PROUD of both of you and wish you a fun year representing **Coco Plum Woman's Club.** 

March is fast approaching and what busy month this will be for Coco Plum Woman's Club. Our March meeting is our annual picnic and game day. This year we will be playing **BINGO**. So, bring your

Bingo markers, if you have some and enjoy this fun day. On March 20<sup>th</sup>, we hold our annual **CARD PARTY**. Many of you have already put your tables together and are counting your cards. On March 22<sup>nd</sup>, Friday night, is our 1<sup>st</sup> **FESTIVAL OF TABLES** event. This is adding up to be a fun and interesting night. Put your tables together and plan your decorations and food and what you want to celebrate. If you need help or don't understand check with Margaret Sarafoglu and she can give you ideas and help.

The **GFWC Convention is April 5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>** in Orlando and this year's theme is "**WILD ABOUT SMILES**". So, if you are attending or would like to attend (see me about this), bring out your animal prints and **GROWL!**Love you all,
Anita

### March Birthday Celebration!



MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR 2 GREAT EVENTS THIS MONTH!



### Please join us at our Annual Card Party

GFWC Coco Plum Woman's Club 1375 Sunset Drive Coral Gables, Fl. 33143

Wednesday, March 21, 2019 10:30 am - 3:00 pm (Lunch at 12 Noon) \$ 20.00

For reservations - Sally Perlman: 305 271-7009 or sallyperlman@icloud.com

Bring your friends, your cards or games, get your table of 4 together and join us for a wonderful day.

Whether you play Bridge, Canasta, Dominoes, Mahjong, or board games, this is a wonderful time to get together.

Lunch will be provided by the ladies of Coco Plum, and is always delicious.



Part of the proceeds will be donated to Feeding South Florida and to the upkeep of our historical building.



### Festival of Tables

Friday, March 22, 2019
7 to 9 pm
Coco-Plum Woman's Club
1375 Sunset Drive
Coral Gables 33143

Please join us for an evening of fellowship to benefit charities Donation \$10 per person

To Host or Reserve call

Margaret Sarafoglu 305.298.7058

Evangeline Scurtis 305.586.1928

# February General Membership Meeting with the

Members Art Show & Jewelry & Purse sale!
Both were a **HUGE SUCCESS**!
Thank you to all that attended and participated!

At the **Club Meeting**, we had the following winners:

Anita - 1st and 2nd place Donna - 2nd place Joyce - 2 - 1st places At the **District Meeting**, we had

7 - FIRST place winners

2 - SECOND place winners

1 - THIRD place winner

Margo - 2nd place Norma 2 - 1st places Bonney - 1st place Jena - 1st place



















### **Purse and Jewelry sale**

I don't know what was more fun. Pricing with fellow Coco Plum members the day before or selling the Purses and Jewelry items the day of our February meeting. A BIG thank you to all those who donated purses and jewelry and an even bigger thank you to those who helped price the items. My helper **Beverly Maxwell** not only bought many items but encouraged buyers and gladly took their money. **We raised over \$500** and all the remaining treasures will be on sale at the March 20<sup>th</sup> card party. Lots of great purses and sparkling jewels will be available.

Joyce Windhorst

# THE EDUCATION COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAM

This program focuses on both literacy and life-long learning in the community.





We will be collecting and distributing books to children in need throughout Dade County this year. We need your help and support! Please bring children's books or a monetary contribution to any meeting in 2018 - 2019.

Thanks from Charlene and Barbara
Education Chairmen

# The EDUCATION COMMITTEE COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAM



The Education committee donated and then students from Immaculata LaSalle High School delivered 120 books to St. James school in little Haiti. They also read with the children and the children got to take the books home.









These books were donated to Miami Heights Elementary School PK - ESE class, during Dr. Seuss week at the school, in honor of Dr. Seuss's Birthday (March 2)



# THE HOME LIFE COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAM

COLLECTING: Coloring books, Crayons and Colored pencils at the March Business meeting.

There will be a box designated for these



items that will be given to Officer Pagan to deliver to the men and woman at Jackson Memorial Perdue Medical Center in Cutler Ridge. - Please consider donating!

Donna Falana

# THE HOME LIFE COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAM

Home Life Committee is requesting that members bring items for children 2 & under to the March business meeting. We will be taking these items, such as diapers, blankets, baby shampoo, etc. to Chapman's in April. We're hoping to get an April date to go to Chapman's and help with their monthly birthday party. Should you have any questions please call Pat Rivas. Thank you.



Carol Nobles, Pat Rivas Co- Chairpersons, Home Life

### **WELCOME NEW MEMBERS!**



The By-Laws committee presented the proposed By-Law change at the February meeting and this will be discussed and voted on at the March 13th meeting.

If you have any questions or discussions, please bring them to this meeting!



### Calendar Events

3/13 - General Membership Meeting

3/20 - Annual Card Party

3/22 - Festival of Tables

A look ahead......

**April 5-7 GFWC Annual Convention** 

4/10 - General Membership Meeting

Click on the Calendar link below which will direct you to our website Calendar page

**CALENDAR** 

## GFWC Coco Plum Woman's Club Executive Board & Board of Directors 2018-2020

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### **PARTNERS & LINKS**





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