



GFWC Contemporary Women of North County

MEETING MINUTES
September 14, 2020; Zoom session

Call to Order:

Marianne F called the meeting to order at 6:34 pm and welcomed new member Margie Latall

Guest Speaker:

Jill Rehder from Operation Smile told us about her experiences as a volunteer

Meeting Minutes:

Minutes are on the website under 'Meeting & Membership Info'

Treasurer's Report:

August 31, 2020 – Financial Report Summary

Checking Account Balance	\$5,195.97
Reserve Savings Account Balance	<u>\$20,019.69</u>
Total Bank Balance	\$25,215.66
Income to date (dues & fundraising)	\$3,503.78
Club Operating/GFWC Expenses	\$1,950.11
Charitable Donations	<u>\$2,216.96</u>
Total Expenses to date	\$4,164.07
Year to date net income/loss	-\$663.29

Service Projects:

Sue thanked members for all their donations for the food drive for Fallbrook farmworkers. We hope to hold another food and supply drive perhaps in December.

Because we can't serve dinner at Solutions for Change during the pandemic, Connie Kemp purchased sheet sets that SFC had told us they needed for their new residents.

Our **Service Project Meet-up** will be 10 to 11 am, Wednesday, Sept 16, in Jeanne's driveway

Debby is collecting the finished Fleece blankets that the Oceanside Police Department will give to foster children in Oceanside

Kathleen is collecting pet toys, towels, blankets for Helen Woodward Animal Center

Ann L is collecting spare change for CalFire's "Coins for Conservation" campaign

Madeline is collecting dish rags and 'Scrubbies' for Meals on Wheels

She said she also needs caps for the homeless for the upcoming winter

Kathy M said that members can also drop off their finished Bears and pillow

In Kathy M's absence Wednesday, Marianne F is collecting recycling

Pam proposed a "Get out the Vote" campaign. Volunteers will paint & display "Vote" signs to promote voter turnout

Fundraising:

Pam talked about holding a CWONC yard sale on Dec 5 in her driveway. Members will start to set aside items to donate. Marianne F said that we will take all the CDC recommended precautions, and we will only hold the sale if we have at least 8 volunteers willing to work. Pam will send out an email to see how many members are available to volunteer.



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Fun Stuff:

Barbara D will get more info about a visit to SD Botanical Gardens in December

Announcements: There were 31 members in attendance

Kathleen asked chairman to send photos and a description of their projects to her for articles that she can send to the newspapers

Jean Smithers said there may be a 'drive by' event for the squadron for Halloween. She will have more info at our October meeting

Debby is checking to see if Meals on Wheels will accept note cards written by our members

Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned at 7:29