



News & Views

GFWC / CFWC
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The creation of a thousand forests is in one acorn.

Kindness is free and a way to show love to others. I am very honored and proud to be a member of this wonderful club that does so much for others. This month's general meeting theme is "Love & Kindness". Our club continues to share kindness in the community. We will be sponsoring and volunteering at the Heart & Sole Giveaway event on February 24th at the Family Resource Center in La Puente. Please bring new socks to our February meeting.

February is also the month of Love. Our program will include a local vocalist who will shower us with beautiful love ballads.

I hope you can all join us on Thursday, February 1st at the Hacienda Heights Community Center for a delicious lunch, great entertainment, games and fellowship. I encourage all of you to bring a friend and wear red or pink.



With love,
Angie 



*Love &
Kindness*

*~~ February ~~**Wear Red
or Pink*

Thurs., 2/1	<u>WC General Meeting</u> - "Love and Kindness" Hacienda Heights Community Center, 11 am * Hostesses: Anna Guerriero & Betty Castaneda * Inspiration: Mary Tang * Patriotic Moment/ Pledge of Allegiance: Betty Young
Sat., 2/3	<u>District Fashion Show</u> "Pearls and Heels" at Quiet Cannon, 10:30 am - 2 pm Our Kindness Angel Leslie Ann Pittman will be honored at this event.
Wed., 2/14	<u>Valentine's Day; Ash Wednesday</u>
Tue., 2/13	WC Board Meeting – Marie Callender's 12noon
Mon., 2/19	Presidents' Day

March hostesses: Mary Rosentreter & Terry VanRiper; Inspiration: Carol Nixt

February Birthday:
Lisa Kaufman

**February Program** - Lucy Pedregon, Programs

Our program for the month of "Kindness and Love", in tribute to Valentine's Day, will be Daniella Marie. She is a young and gifted singer who also plays keyboard. Daniella will entertain us with beautiful love songs in Spanish and English. Let's welcome her with a full house!

Dues are Due - Geri Kleinpell, Treasurer

Your annual dues of \$40.00 are payable at the February, March, or April General Meetings for the next Club year (June 2024 - May 2025). "Any member whose renewal dues are not paid by the first business meeting in April shall be considered delinquent." - Bylaws, p. 27 of Yearbook. Checks can be made out to HHWC (Geri has an official stamp).

Nominating Committee - Mary Anne Drew, Parliamentarian

"The Nominating Committee is composed of five (5) members who shall have been club members for two or more years; two (2) of which are to be elected from the Executive Board and three (3) from the General Membership. This committee shall be elected by the General Members at the February General Meeting. The Nominating Committee Election shall be called and conducted by the Parliamentarian, who gives them their instructions." - Bylaws, p. 29 of Yearbook



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Heart and Sole Event - Lynn Martin, Program Coordinator

HHWC is having it's annual sock collection to support the Hacienda Heights Kiwanis HEART & SOLE program.

Please bring new socks to our meeting on Feb. 1st. There will be a signup sheet for volunteers to help pass out the shoes and socks at the event:



Date: Saturday, Feb. 24th, 2024 Afternoon
Location: RSUD Family Resource Center
(Next to Northam Elementary School.)
17800 Renault Street, La Puente, CA 91744

Updates for the 5K WALK - Leslie Ann Pittman

Domestic Violence Awareness

The 5k walk in support of Shelter's Right Hand is about 12 weeks away. Hope you still are in the training mode. We have four eager members signed up, and would like to have more. At our meeting/luncheon I'll have the registration forms with additional information.

All registered walkers will receive a T-shirt at the sign-in table, the first 500 walkers crossing the finish line will receive a medal 🏅 and MANY MANY cheers!



Date: April 20, 2024
Time: Walk starts at 8 am 🚶
Location: Central Park, 6532 Friends Avenue, Whittier

Let's step out against Domestic Violence. There will be entertainment, refreshments, prizes, exercise with friends, and fresh outdoor air!

Updates will continue in the next Newsletter (as well as your training 🚶)

THANK YOU. THANK YOU. THANK YOU - Carol Nixt, V.P.

Thank you ladies for all the items you donated to our Annual White Elephant Sale last month.

In fact, you brought so many things that our 2 tables were overflowing! And also, I want to thank you for purchasing items from our tables. We collected \$300! Wow! We even had 3 bags of leftovers donated to the Good Will on Gale.

We will send \$100 to Penny Pines (per our budget), who are part of the U.S. Forest Service reforestation program. We will use \$200 to purchase blankets for the Long Beach Rescue Mission that had a fire last December.

All-in-all a very successful event!



January Highlights



Decorations at January meeting by
Connie Munoz and Mary Tang



Angie and Anna ringing in the new year.
We all toasted with champagne (apple cider)
from hostess Leslie Ann.



Angie hosted the "Getting to Know
You" game. Betty telling her story.



Our "White Elephant Sale" table
overflowed with goodies!





Sunday, Jan 21. Members donated clothing, blankets, linen, jackets.... to the Long Beach Rescue Mission that had a fire in December. Our Club partnered with the Hsi Lai Temple, HHIA and other organizations in the community. Great success!

