

MARLTON WOMAN'S CLUB

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Club Meetings

We meet on the fourth Monday of the month August-May (no meeting in December).

Time

6:30 pm Gather
7:00 pm: General Meeting

Place

The Gibson House
535 E. Main Street
Marlton, New Jersey

NEXT MEETING

Monday, Sept. 19

7:00 p.m.

Gibson House



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PATCHWORK

"Love, Loyalty, Friendship: The Bonds of Volunteerism"

Shirley Holly, NJFWC President



September 2022

www.marltonwomansclub.com

Garden District

FROM THE PRESIDENT'S PEN

"There is no I in TEAM and that's what makes this club so wonderful."

Hi everyone!

I cannot believe Labor Day weekend was just here and everyone is going back to school. Thanks to everyone who participated in the Emmanuel Cancer Foundation Backpack collection—we donated 12 filled backpacks! In addition, we also collected and donated school supplies to local schools. A huge thanks to everyone who participated.



We kicked off this year with our General Meeting on August 23. At that time, the Civic Engagement and Outreach Committee distributed 50 stockings to be filled and sent to our troops for the holidays (see page 5). Remember to bring your filled stockings to the September General Meeting on Monday, Sept. 19 or drop them at Donna Gatti's house. A complete list of items is on our website www.marltonwomansclub.com.

September and October will be very busy months. I hope everyone can participate in at least one event. We start with Evesham Harvest Fest on Saturday, Sept. 24. We then have Bingo on Sunday, Oct. 2 followed by Book Club on Oct. 18 and Boscov's Friends Helping Friends on Oct. 19. Our Boscov's presale dates were Sept. 9-10 and we raised \$692 for Emmanuel Cancer Foundation. Also, 7 club members will be attending the Guardian Angel Dinner Dance in Princeton on Sept. 24 to receive the "Light of Hope" award (see page 11).

As many of you know, Arleen Prusienski has decided to take a break from our club activities. We are grateful for Arleen's hard work, dedication and generosity. This leaves the position of 2nd VP open. Nominations and a special election will be held to fill the position. Are you interested? If so, please contact [Andrea Hearing](#) or me.

Remember, our September meeting will be the **3rd Monday on Sept. 19** due to a religious holiday the following week. I'm looking forward to seeing everyone soon.

Linda

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General Meeting Monday, Sept. 19

Gibson House
7:00 p.m. Meeting
(gather 6:30 p.m., bring own beverages or snacks)

First Vice President

It was great to see everyone during our first meeting last month.

You may have noticed that some of us now have a "yourname@marltonwomansclub.com" email address. We are offering this to those who would like one. Certainly not required, but if you'd like one, just ask me. I find it helps me to keep my MWC email straight and not mixed in with my regular email and, of course, promotional or junk mail.

We found that it is better if we do a short zoom or in-person meeting (with laptops) to get you all set up. As a bonus, you will have access to documents such as calendar, member list, meeting minutes, bylaws, etc. if you'd like access to them.

Interested? Just let me know I'll show you how.

Email me at andrea@marltonwomansclub.com.

Contact: Andrea Hearing

andrea@marltonwomansclub.com

(609) 304-6521 cell

Second Vice President

As has been recently announced, Arleen Prusienski has decided to take a break from our club activities for personal reasons. We are grateful for Arleen's hard work, dedication and generosity and she will definitely be missed.

This leaves the position of 2nd VP open. Our By-law indicate "The Second Vice President shall perform the duties of the First Vice President in her absence or at her request. She shall serve as Coordinator for all committees and present all Chairwomen with a set of guidelines for their committee."

Nominations and a special election will be held to fill the position. Are you interested? If so, please contact Andrea Hearing at andrea@marltonwomansclub.com or Linda Magee at Linda@marltonwomansclub.com.

Contact: Open

Check It Out!

Corresponding Secretary

Our Marlton Woman's Club continues to receive notes of thanks and sincere appreciation for the end of year monetary donations given to organizations to assist their missions of helping those in need.

A thank you letter was sent to Bradley Funeral Home for once again generously donating the printed tickets for our upcoming fall bingo. Their ongoing support of our fund-raising efforts has been wonderful! A note of thanks was also sent to Costco for their donation of a \$75 gift card also to used towards our bingo event.

Zallie's ShopRite in Medford was thanked for their very generous donation of hand sanitizer and

surface wipes as part of our club's Back-to School supplies collection. Their commitment to our community is very much appreciated!

Please let Donna Gatti know if you have received any donated basket items from businesses or individuals for our bingo event so that we can send a thank you from our very grateful club.

Contact: Donna Gatti

609-828-6505 cell/text ~ zeets1@comcast.net



Federation Secretary

We have several NJSFWC events coming up this fall. Invitations for the Garden District Council Meeting and Middle Atlantic Region Annual Conference are attached to this *Patchwork*. Flyers also available at www.marltonwomensclub.com.

- The **NJSFWC Garden District September Council Meeting** will be Thursday, September 15th at the Haddon Fortnightly in Haddonfield. Registration and light supper 5:00 pm, District Council Meeting 6:00 pm. Registration fee is \$5.00.
- ◆ **NJSFWC State Fall Conference** will be held on Monday, October 24th at Battleground Country Club in Manalapan. Details to follow.
- ◆ **NJSFWC Middle Atlantic Region Annual Conference** will be held October 6-9 in Albany, New York. On our website find the invitation, agenda, meal selections with costs and raffles information. Visit www.njsfwc.org.
- ◆ Ask me about other neat NJSFWC trips!

Contact: Lisa Levin

lisalevin445@gmail.com ~ (856) 577-6936

Treasurer

Hi, I hope that the summer was good to everyone. Currently the accounts have the following balances:

- ◆ General Operating Account = \$8,669.01
- ◆ Bingo Account = \$2,584.10

I created a reimbursement form that some of you might have seen, as I am including a copy of the form with any reimbursements that are mailed out. Right now, it is being used mainly for our own recordkeeping. If you receive a form please review it for accuracy (Committee/event). The Finance Committee will be using these forms to double check Committee expenses to help create

Special State Project 2022-2024: The Emmanuel Cancer Foundation

Another big thank you to all of the Marlton Woman's Club members who donated backpacks and school supplies for our recent drive. The NJSFWC surpassed its goal of 550 backpacks.

If you follow Emmanuel Cancer Foundation in Facebook, you have seen pictures of the many deliveries that have been made by NJSFWC leaders. There will be many smiling ECF children and their siblings as schools open.

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www.emmanuelcancer.org.



the budget for the next fiscal year so proper accounting is necessary.

Please note my new club email:

Barbara@marltonwomensclub.com

Remember to use Amazon Smile when ordering from Amazon and select "Marlton Woman's Club" for a donation to the club. It's an easy way to direct some funding to ourselves. Just visit [smile. Amazon.com](https://www.amazon.com/smile).





Fall Bingo & Basket Fundraiser Sunday, October 2, 2022

Indian Spring Country Club
115 S. Elmwood Road
Marlton, New Jersey
12 noon—4:00 p.m.
(doors open 11:30 a.m.)

Donations collected for Providence House
and Covenant House (see back of ticket)

Tickets \$40 each

- Purchase your tickets at the Sept. 19 meeting
- Contact Sandy Meltz at 856-630-4118 cell or (smileysandy1225@gmail.com) with name of person(s) attending for name cards and boxed lunch choice (roast beef, turkey, veggie)
- Tickets due to Sandy by **September 23rd**
- This year we're selling daubers too!

Boscov's 'Friends Helping Friends'

THANK YOU to all who helped staff our pre-sale table at Boscov's September 9th & 10th. We raised \$692 for Emmanuel Cancer Foundation, selling \$5 Shopping Passes for 25% off on the sale day of October 19. Our club keeps 100% of each \$5 coupon donation.



On **Wednesday, October 19th**, Boscov's will host the 26th Anniversary of its popular Friends Helping Friends sale event, a special day filled with fun and fundraising to benefit area non-profit organizations. The fundraising event annually raises over \$1 million for local non-profit organizations.

Gift Basket Central

So far we have about 42 gift baskets. Thanks to Genni Fardella for coordinating our gift baskets again. If you are making a basket(s) and will be wrapping it yourself, please email (gfordella@aol.com) or text (856-278-4880) Genni with the number of baskets, and bring with you that day.

If you are buying items for a basket but need to have it wrapped, call her and **drop it off** at her house (14 Gaylord Ln) or bring to the Sept. 19 meeting. She will wrap it and bring it to bingo.

If you need an idea for basket items, or have one or two items and need fillers, Genni can give you some ideas and may also have miscellaneous items she can use to fill in.

If you are making a basket and will not be at bingo, please call/text to let her know, and either bring to her house or another member can bring to bingo.

If you don't have items for a basket but want to participate, you can purchase a gift card and get it to herby the Sept 19th meeting. She will use these to either make a gift card basket or attach to another small basket. The usual amount is at least \$25.00 for a gift card to a local store or restaurants.

Evesham Harvest Fest

Saturday, September 24
(10 am-4:30 pm)

- ♦ Selling chocolate bars to raise money for Veterans Haven organization for transitional housing
- ♦ Hand out flyers to women about our October Open House
- ♦ Hand out reminders about mammograms (October is Breast Cancer Awareness month)
- ♦ Pull a Lollipop Game (donations)



Operation Holiday Stocking

For more than a decade NJSFWC clubs across New Jersey have prepared and sent holiday stockings for troops serving our nation overseas.

"Operation Yellow Ribbon" is an official 501(c)(3) non-profit registered with the state of NJ. The organization consists of all volunteers, and they show support for our United States Military Forces serving in the Middle East, including Iraq, Afghanistan and those supporting Operation Enduring Freedom and Operation Inherent Resolve. One of Operation Yellow Ribbon's major focuses is organizing and collecting donated U.S. Troop supplies and goodies to send to our brave women and men deployed in harm's way.

The Marlton Woman's Club has already purchased 30 stockings to fill for our troops. Team up with a fellow member and fill one!

- Pickup up the holiday stocking(s) at the August 23rd General Meeting. If you can't attend the meeting and want a stocking, please contact Amy Ettelson or Kathy Somers of the Civic Engagement and Outreach Committee (page 8).
- Fill the stocking up to the top. NJSFWC has suggested 1 stocking costs \$20-\$25 to fill.
- Close up the stocking with the provided safety pin(s) and the list of items.
- Fill out the quantity of items in the stocking on the list. Please do not put an x; otherwise, the stocking will need to be emptied and recounted which takes someone's unplanned time.
- At the top of the list of items, please indicate if "male," "female," or "gender neutral" based on the stocking contents.
- NJSFWC requests a donation of \$2 per stocking to help with shipping and delivery. Affix this to the safety pin or put in an envelope when returned.
- If you would rather provide a monetary donation instead of making the stockings, any amount is deeply appreciated. Please make your check payable to NJSFWC, earmark it "Operation Holiday Stocking or provide cash.

- Return all filled stockings at the **September 19 General Meeting** and participate in the **photo op!**
- If you can't make the September 19 meeting, please contact Amy Ettelson or Kathy Somers for drop off no later than September 30, 2022.

NOTE

For complete instructions download the instructions flyer and list of suggested items from www.marltonwomansclub.com (see Download Flyers section under Upcoming Events)



Health and Wellness

- ⇒ MWC's walking club is still going on, and we welcome members who want to join us on Tuesday and Friday mornings (contact [Sue Gaskill](#) for more info) and on Wednesday evenings (reach out to [Linda Magee](#) for more info). As we all know, regular exercise is good for our heart, our appearance, and our brains!
- ⇒ NEW: We have had a request for a Sunday walking club as well, so we will start this up in October, probably on October 9. **If you're interested in joining us, please contact Sue and I'll add you to the text thread. Walking location TBD depending on who's participating.**
- ⇒ Nationally, September is National Blood Cancer Awareness Month. Blood cancers include leukemia, Hodgkins Lymphoma, and non-Hodgkins Lymphoma. It is also National Sickle Cell Awareness Month, and National Self-Care Awareness Month.

Please be sure to take some time to take care of YOU in September!

Contact: Sue Gaskill

Gaskill_susan@yahoo.com ~ (856) 979-8595 cell



Environment

Recently, Sal and I went to Norway with two other couples, and were struck by several environmentally friendly practices routinely done there. In addition to the things we do here in the US, (hanging towels on racks to dry to allow re-use; having large containers of body wash and shampoo instead of tiny courtesy sample sizes; not changing bed linens every night to save water), there were a few "green" practices unique to Norway, and other European countries that perhaps we should adopt here. The first one we noticed was that in the big cities, free street parking was only permitted for electric or hybrid vehicles. Gas powered cars were required to go into an off street parking garage for a fee. The next thing was when we entered our hotel room. We had to insert our key card into a slot by the door to allow any of the power outlets or lights to work. This eliminates your leaving the lights or TV on while you are out of the room. When you leave the room, you remove your key card, and all lights go out. To ensure you do remove your key card when you leave, you must swipe your card to lock your door from the outside. We didn't know this the first day and our hotel door was unlocked the entire day! Also, though we stayed in 4 and 5 star hotels, there was no air conditioning. Instead, all of the hotel windows opened, and on the high floors, they pushed opened from the top. It is true that temps are cooler there, but there were a few hot days and AC would have been welcomed at night. But our guide told us it was very rare in Norway to have A/C in homes. The last notable difference was in the use of paper rather than Styrofoam in packaging. Takeout containers, straws, coffee cups were all made of paper. No plastic or Styrofoam was used in any of the cities toured. It was interesting to see the conservation efforts made overseas and I hope we adopt some of those practices in the U.S. in the future.

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Genni Fardella

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New Group Email Addresses

Are you looking to send an email to a group in the Marlton Woman's Club? It's now simpler than ever. Simply address your email to the following pre-set distribution groups and it will easily reach those you intend:

MWC-Board@marltonwomansclub.com

Group email for MWC Board Members

MWC-Members@marltonwomansclub.com

Group email for all club members

MWC-Chairs@marltonwomansclub.com

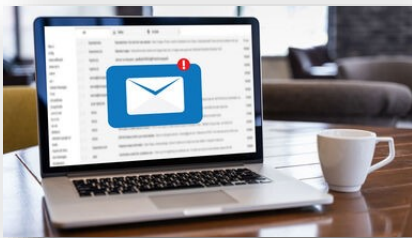
Group email for Committee Chairwomen

MWC-Communications@marltonwomansclub.com

Group email for honorary guests

MWC-Guests@marltonwomansclub.com

Group email for potential members



Advocates for Children

St. Jude's Ranch for Children

Greeting cards, except Hallmark, American Greeting, & Disney. Donate with or without envelopes, as well as the front of used cards.

Ronald McDonald House

Collecting pull tabs

P.A.L.S. (Peace A Learned Solution)

Arts and crafts supplies, non-holiday, gender neutral wrapping, wrapped snacks, 6" stuffed animals, 12-15" stuffed animals

Little Hands, Little Feet

Clothes for at risk youth, sizes newborn to 16 and **NEW: books for all age children**

Contact: Jane Fischer

jpef357@gmail.com ~ (856) 397-2748



Programs

Our October Open House guest speaker will be from our Special State Project Emmanuel Cancer Foundation (see page 3). We are looking forward to learning more about this wonderful NJSFWC Special State Project.

Later in the fall, we hope to have a speaker from Covenant House or Providence House.

Our committee's goal is to present four speakers throughout the year.

Contact: Lisa Levin

lisleavin445@gmail.com ~ (856) 577-6936 cell



THANK YOU to everyone who came out to sell Boscov's coupons Sept. 9-10. We raised \$692 for our NJSFWC Special Project Emmanuel Cancer Federation. Be sure to use your 25% off coupon on the Wednesday, October 19 Sale Day!

Civic Engagement and Outreach

- ⇒ [Heifer](#) - Please continue to donate what you can, even spare change, for the Heifer Project.
- ⇒ [Free the Girls](#) - Donate those new and gently used bras and help free girls from sex trafficking. Call or text Amy or Kathleen for a pick up.
- ⇒ [I Support the Girls](#) - Please donate sanitary napkins, you can bring them to the general meeting. Napkins can be found at the Dollar Store. You are helping women and young girls go to work and school. No tampons please.

Contacts:

Amy Ettelson ~ (610) 322-0994
amyspapertreasures@gmail.com

Kathleen Somers ~ (609) 923-6207
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REMEMBER

Please return all filled Operation Holiday Stockings at the September 19 General Meeting and participate in the photo op! (see page 5)

Arts Performing

Something to look forward to during the winter months and into 2023 at the Kimmel Cultural Center: A six show subscription includes **Les Miserable**, November 2 – 13; **Come From Away**, February 7 – 12; **SIX**, March 21 – April 9; **Moulin Rouge**, July 5 – 30; **The Lion King** August 16 – September 10. For tickets/info go to www.KimmelCulturalCenter.org

For a line-up of upcoming concerts in the Philadelphia area for the rest of 2022, check out: www.philadelphia-theater.com

Also, The Philadelphia Orchestra has “create-your-own” subscriptions with an outstanding line-up of classical music concerts. Go to www.philorch.org for more details.

Calling all of the creative ones amongst us! Consider entering a poem or short story in the Member Creative Writing Contest. Or if you would like to perform at the District Performing Arts Festival (date to be determined), please let me know!

Contact: Valerie Pelerin

val.pelerin@gmail.com 856-906-2031 cell & text

REMINDER September Meeting Dates

- ⇒ The Sept. Board Meeting will be **Monday, Sept. 12** (moved from 9/19) due to General Meeting moving to 9/19
- ⇒ The Sept. General Meeting will be **Monday, Sept. 19** due to the religious holiday Rosh Hashanah on the 4th Monday of the month.



Communications

Our 2022-23 MWC Yearbook is currently in production and is targeted for distribution at the September or October General Meeting.

Patchwork Deadlines

- ⇒ 1st of the month: articles due to Jan Martin at jan@marltonwomansclub.com
- ⇒ 15th of the month: issue distributed

Please note new email for Jan Martin:

jan@marltonwomansclub.com

Contact: Jan Martin ~ (630) 750-7622 cell

jan@marltonwomansclub.com.

Education and Libraries: October Book Club

Our book club had a lively discussion at our August meeting at Val's (thank you). For October, we're using the free Book in a Bag from the Evesham Library. We will be reading ***The Clockmakers Daughter*** by Kate Morton. We will meet on **October 18** at Genni's house to discuss this interesting, mysterious book. If you'd like to join us contact Linda to get a book!!

SYNOPSIS: A rich, spellbinding new novel from the author of *The Lake House* -- the story of a love affair and a mysterious murder that cast their shadows across generations, set in England from the 1860s until the present day.

My real name, no one remembers. The truth about that summer, no one else knows. In the summer of 1862, a group of young artists led by the passionate and talented Edward Radcliffe descends upon Birchwood Manor on the banks of the Upper Thames. Their plan: to spend a secluded summer month in a haze of inspiration and creativity. But by the time their stay is over, one woman has been shot dead while another has disappeared; a priceless heirloom is missing; and Edward Radcliffe's life is in ruins.

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Membership

- INVITE friends, colleagues and women from Harvest Fest to our **October Open House** at our General Meeting Monday, Oct. 24th. Meet club members, learn about upcoming projects and get connected. We will welcome a speaker from our Special State Project Emmanuel Cancer Foundation in October.
- Check out the NJSFWC.org website for a new addition: **Benefits of Belonging to NJSFWC**. Benefits Development Chairman is a new position President Shirley Holly created. The goal is to inform members of GFWC benefits and the new benefits offered to NJSFWC members. We are working with companies that will offer our

NEW: 5th Grade Essay Contest

In a joint project of the Education & Libraries Committee and the Civic Engagement and Outreach Committee, we will be sponsoring our first Veterans essay contest to be held at Van Zant School and open to fifth graders. The contest winners will read their essays on Veterans Day **Friday, November 11**, at their school assembly where veterans will also be honored. Club members are encouraged to attend.

School Supplies Donation

Wow! So many members donated to help our school families We collected many needed supplies for our local students.

We gave Marlton's Jaggard School two filled backpacks with lots of supplies. Wiley Pantry was so amazed and thankful to receive so many needed supplies! Their local families had a shopping day to get needed items and they were so thankful. Special thanks to Jeffrey Price for his donations too. Together we certainly make a difference in our community. Thanks everyone!

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jadair446@gmail.com

members discounts. Contact Randi Quilici, Benefits Development Chairman at quili-ci@njsfwc.org for more information or if you know of a business willing to give a discount to our members.

- Please remember to **introduce yourself** to new members or prospects who are visiting, and make sure you're wearing your nametag.

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andrea@marltonwomansclub.com



Legislative and Resolutions

This month, in the Greater Federation of Women's Clubs (GFWC) Legislative Action Center under the "What We Do" tab, one of the many items listed is pending legislation to end campus sexual assault.

The website has pre-printed letters addressed to our senators and our representative; all you have to do is hit "Submit" once you've added your name and address the first time.

Here is a link to the page:

<https://cqcengage.com/gfwc/home?9>

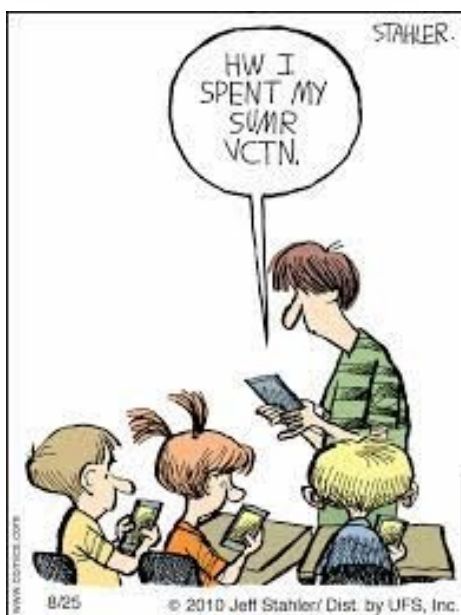
Contact: Sue Gaskill

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Light of Hope Honoree: Burlington County Marlton Woman's Club

The Marlton Woman's Club has provided in-kind and monetary support to Providence House Domestic Violence Services in Burlington County for decades. The goal of the group is to raise money for people in need. While the club supports a variety of causes, many of them are champions for women and girls. The club regularly conducts drives, collecting goods needed at the Safe House. Whether it's food, bedding or cleaning supplies, Providence House can count on a full van arriving from the club after a request has been made. In recent years, the members have made celebrating Mother's Day at the Safe House a priority – collecting purses, cosmetics, jewelry and other gift items for the women. The 45-member charitable organization is a chapter of the General Federation of Women's Clubs and was founded in 1964.



Ongoing Collections

- ⇒ Gift baskets and gift cards for Fall Bingo
- ⇒ Spare Change (Heifer)
- ⇒ Gently used or new bras (Free the Girls)
- ⇒ Sanitary napkins (I Support the Girls)
- ⇒ Coats and clothing (Little Hands, Little Feet)
- ⇒ Children's books (Little Hands, Little Feet)
- ⇒ Greeting cards, new or used (St. Jude Ranch)
- ⇒ Used clean mascara wands (Environment)
- ⇒ Gently used shoes (Environment)
- ⇒ Towels and Washcloths, twin size Safe House bedding (Providence House)

Domestic Violence Awareness

Light of Hope Award

Our club is very excited about the upcoming Catholic Charities Diocese of Trenton Guardian Angel Dinner Dance when we will be honored to receive the Burlington County "Light of Hope Award" for our long-time commitment and support of Providence House Domestic Violence Safe House and Services. This black-tie gala will take place on Sept 24, 2022 at the Princeton Hyatt and seven members will be attending this event to proudly represent our entire wonderful club. ***Read the official write up of our club on page 10.***

Bingo Donations

Providence House and Covenant House Atlantic City (a safe refuge for homeless teens) will be the recipients of the donated items from our upcoming bingo event. Attendees are encouraged to bring an item from the wish lists printed on the back of their bingo tickets in exchange for free extra bingo cards.

Providence House currently has a need for non-perishable food items since they have many clients who are living in hotels with only microwaves and small refrigerators, due to overcrowding of the safe house.

Covenant House is requesting individually wrapped snack foods, new and unused solid T-shirts, all colors and sizes and winter hats and gloves.

Our guests have always been amazingly generous with their donations and we can't wait to deliver these much needed items to these deserving facilities!

Contact: Donna Gatti

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Social Committee

SAVE THE DATE

Saturday, December 3rd

Dickens Festival on Main Street in Medford

Main Street will be transformed into a quaint Winter Wonderland, featuring holiday festivities galore with an old-time flair. Details to follow as far as time and meeting place. We may consider carpooling as parking is limited. Hope you can join us!

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Lisa Levin	October 9
Lisa Goripaw	October 13
Arline Heine	October 13
Jan Martin	October 19
Meryl Schindler	October 21

Who We Are

GFWC Marlton Woman's Club is a proud member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs ([GFWC](#)) and the New Jersey State Federation of Women's Clubs ([NJSEWC](#)).

Our Mission

The mission of the Marlton Woman's Club is to enhance the quality of life within our respective communities and state by transforming public interests and concerns into meaningful projects and programs; to afford our members opportunities for the development of individual skills, talents and abilities; and to serve as a volunteer resource in New Jersey communities.

Purpose

The purpose of this club, which is non-political and non-sectarian, shall be to advance the welfare of the Community and to promote the progress and work of the General Federation of Women's Clubs through the education, civic and charitable interests of its members.

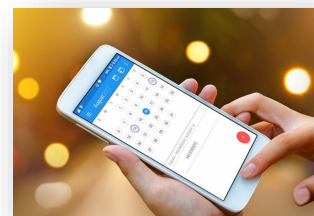
Every oak tree
started as a couple
of nuts who decided
to stand their
ground.

EXECUTIVE BOARD

President	Linda Magee
1st Vice President	Andrea Hearing
2nd Vice President	Arleen Prusienski
Corresponding Secr.	Donna Gatti
Recording Secretary	Debbie Price
Treasurer	Barbara Greco
Federation Secretary	Lisa Levin

September Board Meeting

Monday, Sept. 12
5:30 p.m. dinner, 6:30 p.m. meeting
Marco's Restaurant



UPCOMING DATES

September General Meeting

Monday, Sept. 19
(due to Rosh Hashanah holiday)

October General Meeting

Monday, October 24 Open House

Meetings at 7:00 p.m.
at Gibson House (see pg. 8)

2021-22 Committee Chairwomen

Advocates for Children.....	Jane Fischer & Meryl Schindler
Arts & Culture	Mindi Carleton
Arts Performing.....	Valerie Pelerin
Civic Engagement.....	Amy Ettelson & Kathleen Somers
Communications	Jan Martin
Contact.....	Sue Gaskill
Domestic Violence	Donna Gatti
Awareness	
Education & Libraries	June Adair
Environment	Valerie Pelerin & Genni Fardella
Fundraising.....	Sandy Meltz
Health & Wellness.....	Sue Gaskill
Hospitality	Terry Zito
Legislation/Resolutions.....	Sue Gaskill
Membership.....	Andrea Hearing & Mindi Carleton
Special State Project	Michele Fleming-Waters
Photography	Barbara Greco
Programs	Lisa Levin
Social.....	Sue Price
Sunshine.....	Sue Price
Women's History	Sandy Ellis

