

## MARLTON WOMAN'S CLUB

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### Club Meetings

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

### Time

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

### Place

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

### NEXT MEETING

**Tuesday, Sept. 26**

7:00 p.m.  
Gibson House



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# PATCHWORK

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

Shirley Holly, NJFWC President



September 2023

[www.marltonwomansclub.com](http://www.marltonwomansclub.com)

Garden District

## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S PEN—OK

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

Hi everyone! It was great to see so many members at the August meeting. As you heard, we will be very busy the next few months!

Bingo ticket sales are underway. Our Fall Bingo will be Sunday, October 15 at Marco's in Marlton. Doors open at 11:30 am. As always, we will have 13 games of bingo and a basket auction. We also are doing a lottery ticket basket of scratch off tickets. If you can donate at least one scratch off ticket, please give it to Barb Greco by our Sept. General Meeting on 9/26. Genni Fardella is willing to help members make baskets for the auction. Charities for which we will be collecting donations are Covenant House and Providence House (page 11). Check the back of your ticket for their wish lists. Get your tickets by contacting [Sandy Meltz](#). We sold out in Spring so don't wait too long!



Members sold Boscov's Friends Helping Friends coupons on Thursday, Sept. 7 and Friday, Sept. 8. Did you get your coupon? A \$5 purchase saves you money on purchases made on Oct. 18. All money collected will be donated to Emmanuel Cancer Foundation, our Special State Project.

It might not feel like fall, but Evesham Fall Festival is **Saturday, Sept. 23** (page 4). We need members to help sell candy bars and remind women that October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. It's a great way to get to know others in the club, so come join us for a few hours. Contact Sandy Meltz for details. All money raised goes to Veterans Haven.

Trunk or Treat is **Friday, October 20**. Please consider donating bags of candy, cookies, and snacks to be given to all that visit our truck. We were one of the few trunks that did not run out of candy last year. We will again dress as Wonder Woman. Please contact me if you need a shirt. We might want to think of a different theme for next year since our club will have celebrated our 60th anniversary.

Speaking of our 60th anniversary, mark your calendars for **Sunday, April 21, 2024**. Our 60th anniversary celebration will be held at Marco's at Indian Spring Country Club. 20 members have offered to help plan the celebration. Our kickoff meeting will be **Thursday, Sept. 28** at 6 PM at the Gibson House. If you didn't sign up and want to help, please come to the meeting.

Our next General Meeting will be **Tuesday, Sept. 26** at the Gibson House. We are meeting on Tuesday again due to the religious holiday. Social time starts at 6:30 and the meeting starts at 7 PM. I hope to see you then!

[Linda Magee](#)

**General Meeting  
TUESDAY, Sept. 26**

Gibson House  
7:00 p.m. Meeting  
(Social Time 6:30 p.m.)

### First Vice President

Please remember you may sign up at any time for any committee. Please contact me to join or be removed from a committee. An updated committee listing has been sent to club members. Please remember to provide your in-kind donations, hours worked and monetary donations to committee chairs for any event. We are looking for a chair for the Civic Engagement and Outreach committee.

If you would like a MWC email address ([name@marltonwomansclub.com](mailto:name@marltonwomansclub.com)), please let me know. Many of us find it helps to keep our MWC email separate. Email me anytime at [andrea@marltonwomansclub.com](mailto:andrea@marltonwomansclub.com).

### Second Vice President

At the August meeting, club members agreed with the Board's recommendation that the 2nd Vice President position is really not needed at this time, and has not been able to be filled. Andrea Hearing will continue to manage duties for both positions. The Bylaws revision will be voted on at the September General Meeting. If you have any questions, please contact Linda at [linda@marltonwomansclub.com](mailto:linda@marltonwomansclub.com).

**Contact: Andrea Hearing** ~ Cell 609-304-6521  
[andrea@marltonwomansclub.com](mailto:andrea@marltonwomansclub.com)

### Corresponding Secretary

Our MWC continues to receive letter/notes of sincere gratitude from the many organizations and facilities who have received monetary donations from our end of year giving in June. These include Girl's Talk, Kid's Alley, Evesham Township K-9 Unit and Voorhees Animal Orphanage and many more. Please inform Genni Fardella or Donna Gatti if you have received any items or services that will be included in a basket for our upcoming October Bingo. This will ensure a proper thank you will be sent from our club. A special thank you to Bradley's Funeral Home for once again donating the printed tickets for our fall Bingo!

### Federation Secretary

- ◆ **Garden District Council Meeting** — The following members plan to attend the September Garden District Council meeting on **Thursday, Sept. 21**: June Adair, Donna Gatti, Barbara Greco, Irene Hartman, Linda Magee and Jan Martin.
- ◆ **GFWC's National Day of Service** is Sept. 30. Clubs, districts and federations have pledged to complete service projects in their communities on September 30, 2023 to benefit those experiencing food insecurity. These projects will have an impact all over the country. Our bingo food collection will be submitted for GFWC National Day of Service.
- ◆ **NJSFWC State Fall Conference** is Monday, Oct. 23 at Battleground Country Club in Manalapan, NJ. Vendors open at 8:30 AM and meeting starts at 10 AM. Registration form will be in the September *Almanac*.
- ◆ **Middle Atlantic Regional Conference** will be Sept. 28-Oct. 1 at Showboat in Atlantic City.

**Contact: Mindi Carleton**  
[mindi@marltonwomansclub.com](mailto:mindi@marltonwomansclub.com)  
(609) 304-5825 cell

### September Meeting Reminder

FRIENDLY REMINDER: Our next General Meeting will be **Tuesday, September 26** at the Gibson House due to the religious holiday Yom Kippur. Social time starts at 6:30 and the meeting starts at 7 PM. We hope to see many of you that evening.

Remember, Google Meet is available for anyone who wants to join remotely. Please let [Andrea Hearing](#) or [Linda Magee](#) know that you will join remotely so we can bring our laptop.



## Fall Bingo & Basket Fundraiser

Sunday, October 15, 2023

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 bingo tickets at the Sept. 25 meeting
- Contact Sandy Meltz at 856-630-4118 cell or ([smileysandy1225@gmail.com](mailto:smileysandy1225@gmail.com)) with name of person(s) attending for name cards, boxed lunch choice (roast beef, turkey, veggie)
- **Money is due to Sandy by September 30th**
- Price includes 9 games of bingo
- Receive 3 free bingo cards when you make a donation to Covenant House or Providence House
- Delicious boxed lunch plus table snacks
- Need help with gift baskets? Contact [Genni Fardella](mailto:gfordella@aol.com) at [gfordella@aol.com](mailto:gfordella@aol.com)

**Contact: Sandy Meltz**

(856) 630-4118 ~ [sandysmiley1229@gmail.com](mailto:sandysmiley1229@gmail.com)

### Treasurer

There has been a new housekeeping change to the process for requesting Bingo tickets. Please fill out the brief form with your name, the names of your guests as well as their lunch choice when requesting Bingo tickets.

Also new: when paying for anything in cash at the meetings, please write your name, amount and purpose on envelopes provided at each meeting to ensure that payments are being correctly attributed.

**Contact: Barbara Greco**

(917) 225-3324 cell

[Barbara@marltonwomensclub.com](mailto:Barbara@marltonwomensclub.com)

## Lottery Basket Fun

Just a reminder ... We are planning to do a large raffle basket of scratch off lottery tickets during our Fall Bingo on October 15th. We need your lottery tickets by the September General Meeting **TUESDAY, Sept. 26th** (meeting moved due to religious holiday). The tickets can be any denomination that you would like to donate. So as you are out and about, please remember to pick up at least one ticket for this basket. Thanks so much!



### Looking for some Bingo Treasures

- Members are asked to donate lottery scratch off tickets at September Meeting to make a raffle basket ...
- NEW: All door prizes must be donated by club members. Barb and Nicole Greco have kindly offered to donate all 13 door prizes. Thank you Barb and Nicole ...!
- We are still in need of raffle baskets to be donated for the October 15 Bingo. Please contact Genni Fardella (you know, the Gift Basket Queen) at 856-278-4880 ...



**Evesham Harvest Fest  
Saturday, September 23**

It's time for Harvest Fest! Our club will be at a booth on **Saturday, Sept. 23** from 10:00 am to 4:30 pm on Main Street in Marlton between Maple Avenue and Plymouth Avenue. We will be selling our traditional chocolate candy bars for \$2.00 to raise money for [Veteran's Haven North](#). We also hand out info about our club for our October 23rd Open House, and on the back we put a "lifesaver" reminder to women to get their mammogram for October's Breast Cancer Awareness Month. *Sign up at the Sept. meeting.*

There are over 50 handcrafters and artisans, food vendors, live music and much more. We will have a sign up sheet at our upcoming general meeting.

**Contact:** Sandy Meltz  
[Sandysmile1229@gmail.com](mailto:Sandysmile1229@gmail.com) ~ 856-630-4118 cell



**"Friends Helping Friends" Fundraiser**

For this fundraiser, we sell a Boscov's coupon for \$5.00, entitling the recipient to 20% off their purchase at Boscov's on the event day October 18th. We can pre-sell coupons on our selling dates Sept. 7 and Sept. 8 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm and will have a table in Boscov's those dates to sell the coupons. Proceeds will raise money for our Special State Project.

In-store only

**Shopping Day: Wednesday, October 18**

Sell \$5.00 coupons in store for  
Special State Project  
Emmanuel Cancer Foundation  
Store Hours: 8:00 a.m.—11:00 p.m.

**SELL DATES: September 7 & 8 (Thurs/Fri)  
10:00 am to 2:00 pm**

Boscov's Moorestown Store  
For information contact Sandy Meltz at  
[sandysmile1229@gmail.com](mailto:sandysmile1229@gmail.com)

**Contact:** Sandy Meltz  
[Sandysmile1229@gmail.com](mailto:Sandysmile1229@gmail.com); 856-630-4118 cell

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FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS  
IN-STORE ONLY

ONE DAY ONLY - OCTOBER 18, 2023  
SHOP 8AM - 11PM

**25% OFF** ★ LOWEST SALE PRICE  
**SHOPPING PASS**

This pass entitles you to 25% off\* your purchases in-store and cannot be used in conjunction with other discounts and promotions. Present this pass at time of purchase to receive your 25%\* discount. Valid October 18, 2023 only. \*See reverse side for a list of merchandise receiving 15% and 10% Off as well as exclusions.

**SHOPPING PASSES:  
\$5 EACH**

100% of your donation benefits the local non-profit organization from which you purchased this pass.  
For more details visit [boscovs.com/friendshelpingfriends](http://boscovs.com/friendshelpingfriends)



*Come visit our booth at Harvest Fest this month.  
We're raising money for Veterans Haven North.*

**Trunk or Treat  
Friday, October 20**



**TRUNK OR TREAT**

Friday  
**20<sup>TH</sup>**  
OCTOBER  
6 pm - 8pm

GAMES, PRIZES,  
BONFIRE, & MORE!

**Savich Field**  
525 E. Main Street  
Marlton, NJ 08053



TO PARTICIPATE WITH YOUR VEHICLE: REGISTER WITH OFFICER CARLEY SZWAJKOWSKI VIA EMAIL: SZWAJKOWSKIC@EVESHAMPD.ORG



JOIN US for a night of games, prizes, a bonfire, and of course, candy! We will again be Wonder Women. Please consider donating bags of candy or individually packaged chips, pretzels, cookies etc. (the kids loved these) to our effort. Next time you're out pick up a bag or two or three for our little goblins and bring to our September meeting.

**Rain Date:** Saturday, Oct. 21

**Honoring our Veterans:  
Veterans Day is November 11**

**Veterans Day** (originally known as **Armistice Day**) is a federal holiday in the United States observed annually on November 11, for honoring military veterans of the United States Armed Forces (who were discharged under conditions other than dishonorable). It coincides with other holidays including Armistice Day and Remembrance Day which are commemorated in other countries that mark the anniversary of the end of World War I.

DID YOU KNOW? Major hostilities of World War I were formally ended at the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month of 1918 when the Armistice with Germany went into effect. At the urging of major U.S. veteran organizations, Armistice Day was renamed Veterans Day in 1954. **Veterans Day** commemorates the service of all U.S. veterans. Memorial Day in May honors those who have *died* while in military service.





### Health and Wellness Awareness

Our **Walking Groups** are going strong – we welcome all Marlton Woman’s Club members to join us on Tuesday and Friday mornings at different locations (ask Sue Gaskill to be added to the text list so you can find out exactly where), Wednesday or sometimes other evenings (ask Michelle Fleming-Waters to be added to her text list), or Sunday mornings at Laurel Acres (Sue G. will continue to send weekly emails to all club members). We enjoy exercising while strengthening our MWC friendships!

September is (among other things) **National Suicide Prevention month**. It’s a month to remember the lives lost to suicide, and to acknowledge those who’ve been impacted. *Suicide is now the second leading cause of death among young people aged 15 to 24.* In 2022, more than 49,000 people took their own lives, which is more than any other year on record. It is also a time to raise awareness about prevention. The National Suicide Prevention Lifeline is a hotline for individuals in crisis. The new Suicide and Crisis Lifeline is 988; if you know anyone who may be struggling with thoughts of suicide, please encourage them to use that hotline, or use it yourself to see how to help them.

Did you also know that September is **Better Breakfast Month**? This designation was first promoted by the Cereal Institute in 1951, to coincide with the start of school. A healthy breakfast is a great start to our day, at any age.



### Advocates for Children Collections

#### Ronald McDonald House

Collecting pull tabs. The club may host a breakfast at Ronald McDonald house. More info to come.

#### 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. (This program utilizes a research-based, therapeutic program model to reduce the effects of trauma on children and their non-offending parent. Through creative therapies such as art, dance movement and drama, the PALS program is available for children ages 4-12 that are exposed to domestic violence.)

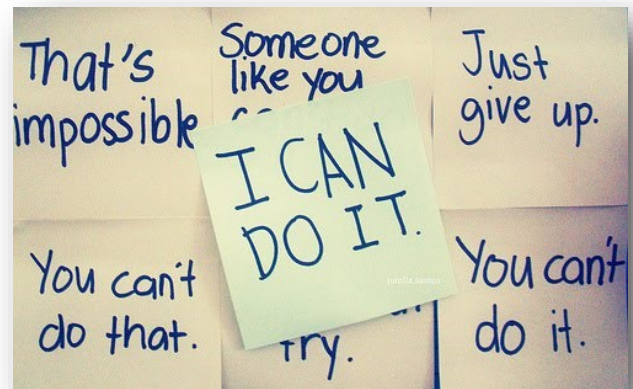
#### Little Hands, Little Feet

Provides new or gently used clothing for newborns up to size 16 children in crisis with an urgent need for clothing. Also collecting books for children of all ages.

#### St. Jude's Ranch for Children

At this time we are discontinuing the collection of greeting cards (see page 8)

Contact: **Meryl Schindler** ~ (856) 912-2043 cell [mschin48@gmail.com](mailto:mschin48@gmail.com)



## Club 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](mailto:MWC-Board@marltonwomansclub.com)**

Group email for MWC Board Members

**[MWC-Members@marltonwomansclub.com](mailto:MWC-Members@marltonwomansclub.com)**

Group email for all club members

**[MWC-Chairs@marltonwomansclub.com](mailto:MWC-Chairs@marltonwomansclub.com)**

Group email for Committee Chairwomen



## Environment

The Burlington County Regional Recycling Program has been operated by the Occupational Training Center of Burlington County since 1982. It is a private, non-profit agency that trains and employs individuals with disabilities. Last year the Program recycled more than 45,000 tons and collectively saved municipalities \$3.3 million in avoided landfill disposal fees. For more information go to [www.burlcorecycles.com](http://www.burlcorecycles.com) or call (609) 499-1001 ext. 271 or 266.

**Reminder:** RecycleCoach is an App that sends reminders of recycling dates in Evesham.

**Contact: Val Pelerin**

[Val.pelerin@gmail.com](mailto:Val.pelerin@gmail.com)

(856) 906-2031 cell



## Programs

Our speaker for our October 23rd General Meeting and Open House will be Mary Beth Riccobene-Ianerella from Girl Talk Marlton. Mary Beth, familiar to many in the club, will present an overview of her organization which mentors teen girls, builds self-esteem and teaches leadership. Learn more about them at [www.girltalkmarlton.org](http://www.girltalkmarlton.org). I am looking into one more speaker for the spring, possibly someone from our list of lesser known charities to familiarize members with the organizations to which we donate.

**Contact: Genni Fardella**

[gfordella@aol.com](mailto:gfordella@aol.com) ~ 856-278-4880 cell/text



## Membership

Please give a great, big welcome to our new member who joined at the August meeting:

**Caren Staskin**

[carenstaskin@comcast.net](mailto:carenstaskin@comcast.net)

609-504-9099

Likes gardening, hiking, therapy dog

Caren was introduced to the club by her friend Barbara Devine who joined at the May meeting. Well done, Barbara! We are so happy to have these new friends join our club family.

We continue to field requests for more information about our club from individuals who are finding us on Facebook, our website, and from YOU, our members! Prospective members are sent a descriptive email and membership packet, as well as the recent issue of *The Patchwork*. Tell your friends about the impressive work of this club! *Please remember to SIGN IN at each meeting for attendance records.*

### SAVE THE DATE:

October Open House, Monday, October 23rd

**Contact: Andrea Hearing**

[andrea@marltonwomansclub.com](mailto:andrea@marltonwomansclub.com)

(609) 304-6521 cell

## October Open House; Displays

Our Open House will be during our General Meeting on **October 23rd**. During Evesham Harvest Fest we will be distributing invitations to our Open House. President Linda would like each Committee Chair to create a poster explaining your committee. The Open House will be similar to a job fair. People get to walk around and talk to members about the different committees. This is a time to brag about all the great work your committee does. You can make your poster as big and elaborate as you wish or as small and simple as you want. If you need pictures, please let Andrea Hearing, Barb Devine, or Linda Magee know and they can download them from our Google Drive if you don't have access.



The agenda for the meeting will be the standard executive reporting and then, when you normally would talk about your committee, we will start to visit the different stations. We will have the room set up differently just for this meeting. If you have ideas or questions, please let Linda know. Thanks.

## Caught Making a Difference



## Communications

**Deadline: 1st of the Month**

**(issue emailed week of the 15th of the month)**

Articles due to editor Jan Martin

[jan@marltonwomansclub.com](mailto:jan@marltonwomansclub.com)

Work is underway on the 2023-2024 *Yearbook* and copies will be available this fall.

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

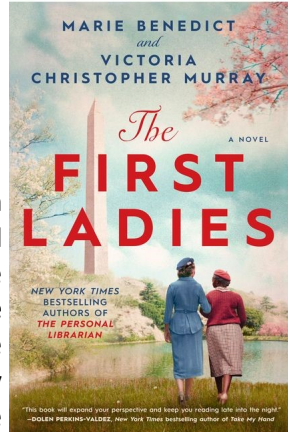
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## Education and Libraries

### Book Club Selection

*The First Ladies* by Marie Benedict and Victoria Christopher Murray



Amazon has the book in paperback (\$27), hard back (\$18.42), and Kindle versions (\$14.99). The book is not listed in the online Burlington County Library System. Tentative meeting date is **Tuesday, Oct. 24** at Irene Hartman's home.

There is a Run for Education on October 14 at 8:30 a.m. for Evesham Schools. An expenditure of \$100 was approved for the club to be a sponsor on the T-shirts.

September can mark a time of anxiety for students and teachers alike as classes resume. Wishing everyone a successful, comfortable return to the classroom and school environment.

**Contact: June Adair**

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(856) 264-1808 cell

## Marlton Woman's Club Apparel

Are you interested in a new MWC shirt? Or want another one? Club members wear these pink shirts at almost all of our events, and the new designs have been very popular! Choose from:

- ⇒ Soft T-Shirt = \$25.00 (regular crew neck)
- ⇒ V-Neck = \$20.00
- ⇒ Collared Polo Shirts = \$35.00
- ⇒ Zip up hoodies \$40 and \$45

Shirts are ordered periodically throughout the year to group orders together. See the order form at club meetings or sign up with Andrea Hearing at (609) 304-6521 or [andrea@marltonwomensclub.com](mailto:andrea@marltonwomensclub.com).

## Arts Performing

The Cherokee High School fall musical is Annie. No information is available yet so stay tuned. We hope to organize another club outing to the event.



Arbor Terrace Marlton has been contacted to see if we can set up a holiday sing along for their assisted living and memory care residents.

**Contact: Val Pelerin**

[Val.pelerin@gmail.com](mailto:Val.pelerin@gmail.com)

(856) 906-2031 cell



Club members volunteered in August at the Collingswood Craft and Fine Arts Festival selling raffle tickets for the Ronald McDonald House.

## Arts and Culture

For those of you who love Broadway but prefer to stay closer to home, the following shows are in Philadelphia this Fall:

- ◆ [The Lion King](#) Academy of Music
- ◆ [Mean Girls](#) Miller Theater, Oct 3 -8, 2023
- ◆ [Wicked](#) Academy of Music, Nov 1 -26, 2023
- ◆ [Company](#) Forrest Theater, Nov 28 - Dec 10, 2023

The Walnut Street Theatre also has a great line-up:

- ◆ Elvis – A Musical Revolution, Oct. 3 – Nov. 5
- ◆ Disney’s Beauty and the Beast, Nov. 21 – Dec. 31
- ◆ Edward Albee’s Who’s Afraid of Virginia Woolf, Jan 9 – Feb 4
- ◆ Groucho: A Life in Revue, Feb 13, Mar 10
- ◆ Beautiful – The Carole King Musical, Mar 26 – Apr 21

For information [www.walnutstreettheatre.org](http://www.walnutstreettheatre.org). For 65+ call 215-574-3550 ext. 6 to inquire about a senior discount.

For those who enjoy a concert:

Audra McDonald is performing on Tue. Oct 3, 7:30 pm at Verizon Hall, 300 S. Broad St. Philadelphia

## Civic Engagement and Outreach

**Ho ho ho!** It’s that time again to fill stockings for our troops along with the other clubs of the New Jersey State Federation of Women’s Clubs ([www.NJSFWC.org](http://www.NJSFWC.org)). We will be filling and collecting the stockings by the October meeting. Stockings were handed out at the September meeting, do you still need one? Fill stockings with a suggested list of personal care items and treats to ship to our women and men serving in our armed forces. [Operation Yellow Ribbon](#) is a 501-C-3 non-profit organization supporting military personnel. Bring filled stockings to the October 23 General Meeting or drop off at Donna Gatti’s home at 7 Sunnyside Court (see container on the front porch).



**Contact:** June Adair ~ (856) 264-1808

[jadair446@gmail.com](mailto:jadair446@gmail.com) (District Civic Engagement and Outreach chair; looking for MWC chair)



## National Day of Service

® SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

Living the Volunteer Spirit | [www.GFWC.org](http://www.GFWC.org) | #GFWC23NDS

Clubs from forty states and the District of Columbia have registered for the first GFWC National Day of Service. GFWC is calling for clubs to represent! Encourage your GFWC sisters across the country to register their clubs so we have participation from every state. Register now. Your club does not have to have a project in place yet, just the intent to participate on **September 30, 2023**.

## Ongoing Collections

- ⇒ Spare Change (Heifer)
- ⇒ Gently used or new bras (Free the Girls, DV)
- ⇒ Sanitary napkins (I Support the Girls, DV)
- ⇒ Coats and clothing (Little Hands, Little Feet)
- ⇒ Children’s books (Little Hands, Little Feet)
- ⇒ Used clean mascara wands (Environment)
- ⇒ Gently used shoes (Environment, DSW)
- ⇒ Towels and Washcloths, twin size Safe House bedding (Providence House)
- ⇒ Eyeglasses for the Lions Club (Education)
- ⇒ Candy and snacks for Trunk or Treat

### Domestic Violence Awareness

- ◆ Many Thanks to Sandy Ellis, Sherry Haines and Paula Wormald for helping to organize the Back-to-School store for the children in the care of Providence House Domestic Violence Shelter and Services. The families and staff were very appreciative of our efforts. We look forward to once again helping to set up their holiday shop in December.
- ◆ Providence House and Covenant House Atlantic City (a safe refuge for homeless teens and those at risk for human trafficking) will be the recipients of the donated items that our October Bingo guests bring in exchange for additional bingo cards. The facilities' wish lists have been updated to meet their current needs and are printed on the back of the Bingo tickets. Please check it out! Thank you in advance to our members and guests who always give so generously!
- ◆ Items collected for **I Support the Girls**, an organization which collects and distributes new and gently used bras, underwear and menstrual products to women experiencing homelessness in the U.S. and beyond, will be brought to the September Garden District

Council meeting. In the past year, our club members and friends have generously donated (104) Bras, (32) packages of menstrual care products and (24) cosmetic pouches. Visit [www.ISupportTheGirls.org](http://www.ISupportTheGirls.org). Our club's contribution to this district-wide drive will certainly be very appreciated.

**Contact: Donna Gatti**

609-828-6505 cell/text ~ [zeets1@comcast.net](mailto:zeets1@comcast.net)



*Patrons from our bingo events are always very generous with their in-kind donations. See Wish Lists on the back of bingo tickets for specially needed items for Providence House and Covenant House agencies.*

### We're Turning 60!

Mark your calendars for **Sunday, April 21, 2024**. Our club will be 60 years old! Our 60th anniversary celebration will be held at Marco's at Indian Spring Country Club. 20 members have offered to help plan the celebration.

Our kickoff meeting will be **Thursday, Sept. 28** at 6 PM at the Gibson House. If you didn't sign up and want to help, please come to the meeting.



*Marlton Woman's Club 1964-2024*



- Christine Marshall ..... Sept. 4
- Lynda Calderone ..... Sept. 19
- Lisa Goripow ..... Oct. 13
- Arline Heine ..... Oct. 13
- Jan Martin ..... Oct. 19
- Meryl Schindler ..... Oct. 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 ([NJSFWC](#)).

## 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.

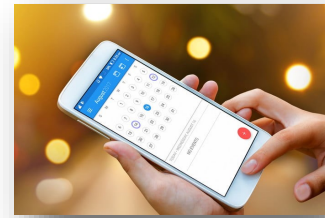
## Purpose

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.

# EXECUTIVE BOARD

President	Linda Magee
1st Vice President	Andrea Hearing
2nd Vice President	<b>Open</b>
Corresponding Secr.	Donna Gatti
Recording Secretary	Debbie Price
Treasurer	Barbara Greco
Federation Secretary	Mindi Carleton

**September Board Meeting**  
**Monday, September 18**  
 6:00-8:00 p.m.  
 Gibson House conference room



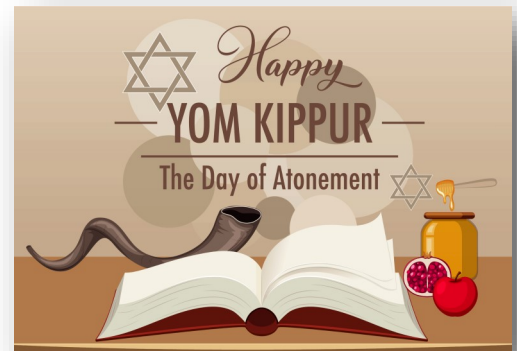
## UPCOMING DATES

**September General Meeting**  
**Tuesday, September 26**  
 Social Gathering 6:30 p.m.  
 Meeting at 7:00 p.m.  
 at Gibson House (see pg. 1)

**October General Meeting and**  
**Open House**  
 Monday, October 23

## 2022-23 Committee Chairwomen

Advocates for Children.....	Meryl Schindler
Arts & Culture.....	Mindi Carleton
Arts Performing.....	Valerie Pelerin
Civic Engagement.....	Janet Brindisi
& Outreach	
Communications.....	Jan Martin
Contact.....	Linda Magee
Domestic Violence.....	Donna Gatti
Awareness	
Education & Libraries.....	June Adair
Environment.....	Valerie Pelerin
	& Genni Fardella
Finance.....	Barbara Greco
Fundraising.....	Sandy Meltz
Health & Wellness.....	Sue Gaskill
Holiday Dinner.....	Linda Magee
Hospitality.....	Open
Installation Dinner.....	Linda Magee &
	Andrea Hearing
Legislation/Resolutions.....	Sue Gaskill
Membership.....	Andrea Hearing
Special State Project.....	Michele Fleming-
	Waters
Photography.....	Barbara Greco
Programs.....	Genni Fardella
Social.....	Sue Price
Sunshine.....	Sue Price
Website.....	Jan Martin
Women's History.....	Sandy Ellis



I don't want to brag, I finished the puzzle in under a week and it said 2-4 years on the box.

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