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From Our President

Betsy Grannis

We are looking forward to our November meeting, which will be hosted by our Civic Engagement & Outreach CSP. We will be celebrating our members who are veterans in our Armed Forces. Our speaker for the luncheon comes to us from Military Missions in Action, a group that is headquartered in Fuquay-Varina. The Civic Engagement & Outreach CSP is collecting items to be donated to the group, so please be sure to peruse the list here in the newsletter and consider bringing something to contribute.

We are sorry to say that we will not be putting on our Christmas in Clayton fundraiser at Portófino on December 4th. We will be working on the event for next year instead, so that we will have plenty of time to get everything together. The Ways and Means Committée is considering fundraiser to another take its place for this year's lineup and will let you know when it is decided.

As we talked about in our October meeting, the Serve the Need Thanksgiving Meal is happening on November 23rd, the day before Thanksgiving. We work with a Community Committee made up of various churches and

service organizations to put on this meal for underprivileged people of our Clayton community. We will once again have the sheets for signing up to assist; and Tom the Turkey will visit for one last time to be fed any loose change, dollars or checks you would like to give towards our cranberry sauce contribution. Thank you for your generosity last month where we collected just over \$179!

We are gearing up for Christmas our Tree Lighting Food Sale. We will be serving hot dogs barbecue sandand wiches during the town event on Dec. There was tremendous response to our request to donate food items for the sale. There will be an update coming shortly on anything that is still needed. We will again have the sign-up sheets for working that evening available at our meeting this month and will also update our needs for assistance.

We hope to have the lists for our Christmas Kids Project as well as our wish lists from the seniors for the Golden Wishes program. It's exciting to hear that we will be able to provide some help to make all



these Christmases a little better for all those involved.

I love Fall, I love November, and I leave you with this thought for this glorious month:







November 7

ESO Book Club TWCC Clubhouse 10:00am

November 8

Civic Engagement & Outreach CSP meeting set Up TWCC Clubhouse 10:00am

House of Hope Meal

ELECTION DAY! VOTE!

November 9

TWCC Lunch Meeting 11:45am TWCC Clubhouse

November 10

H&W Nature Walk Clemmons State Park 11:00am

> Night 'N' Gals Via Zoom 7:00pm

November 11

Bingo Clayton Senior Center 10am

November 12

Clayton WIN Festival of Trees Clayton Center 6:00-10:00pm

November 15

TWCC Executive Board TWCC Clubhouse 10am

New Member Orientation TWCC Clubhouse 11:30am

November 23

Serve the Need Thanksgiving Meal Clayton Civitan Club

November 29

TWCC Bunco TWCC Clubhouse 1:00pm

December 1

Christmas Tree Lighting Food Sale TWCC Clubhouse 5-7pm

February 9, 2023

Clayton Art Festival Clayton Center 6pm

March 18, 2023

Taste of Carolina Cuisine The Farm at 42

Pictured far right, H&W CSP Members Margaret DiNubila, Marie Monsees, Deborah Fuller and Patti Farmer

October Meeting Highlights

The October 12th lunch meeting was hosted by the **Health & Wellness CSP**. The devotion and blessing was given by Sandy Nesselrode.



The guest speaker was Krissy Crittenden from the With Love From Ministry. Jesus This ministry provides food, personal items, clothing, furniture, etc. to anyone in the community who is in need. Members brought in items

needed by the ministry.

Brenda Hill welcomed new members **Sharon Avery, Robin Rose and Debbie Plaster**.

Nancy Maynard recognized breast cancer survivors present at the meeting (pictured I to Brenda Hill. Patty Jo Johnson and Sandy Nesselrode. Not pictured, Peggy Earp)



Highlights from the meeting:

- The District 8 Fall Meeting was held October 1st from 10am-1pm at the old Selma Woman's Club building. TWCC was heavily represented at the meeting that was beautifully hosted by District 8 President, Peggy Earp.
- Donna Steele reported that the Scholarship Committee has been busy getting the word out about TWCC scholarship opportunities. Counselors at Corinth-Holders High School, Clayton High School and Cleveland High School have the information. Additional information about the scholarships is included in this newsletter.
- The Serve the Need Thanksgiving meal will be held this year after a 3 year hiatus due to Covid. The event will take place on November 23rd and TWCC will be responsible for supplying cranberry sauce, brownies for takeout orders, and volunteers to help serve, prepare takeout plates, seat guests, etc. Betsy Grannis passed around Tom Turkey for donations and more than half of the funds needed to purchase the cranberry sauce was raised. Tom will attend the November meeting as well.
- The committee working on the Christmas Tree Lighting Food



Sale have been busy getting donations for the event. Members are encouraged to sign up to help with this event. Opportunities include cooking a pork butt, baking brownies and cookies, and working the night of the event.

- The Christmas in Clayton Home and Art Tour scheduled for December 4th was discussed. Unfortunately, this event has been cancelled due to lack of homes to include in the tour.
- One of the club's major projects of the year, **Christmas Kids and Golden Wishes**, will be ramping up very soon. Members interested in shopping for the kids or seniors are requested to sign up. The club will reimburse \$75 for the kids gifts and \$50 for the senior gifts. Hopefully the list of kids and seniors will be available at the November meeting.
- The Executive Board has approved a new category for clubhouse rentals. Civic organizations or organized groups such as book clubs can rent the clubhouse Mon-Thur up to 3 hours for \$75.
- Members were reminded to pay their 2023 dues no later than December 1. They can be mailed to the club's post office box or brought to the November meeting.
- Sarah Brooks, Civic Engagement & Outreach CSP Co-Chair, reminded club members to register to vote and then exercise your right to vote. Early voting begins October 20th and persons can vote at any early voting sites. On election day, persons most vote in their precinct. Close early voting sites are the Church @ Clayton Crossings on Hwy 70 and Archer Lodge Community Center.
- Brenda Gay, Education & Libraries CSP Co-Chair, reported that the books for Jumpstart Read for the Record have been held up in customs so she is not sure when members will read to the first graders. She will keep members posted.
- Nancy Maynard, Health & Wellness CSP Co-Chair, announced it is not too late to participate in the Walking/ Hiking Challenge. Contact Nancy is you need a tracking form.
- Dianne Carroll, Arts & Culture CSP Co-Chair, announced the CSP will be at the downtown Farmer Market on October 22nd from 9am-1pm, with bags for kids to draw on for Halloween.





NOVEMBER
11/12 Karen Keeslar
11/15 Rachel Masimore
11/16 Judy Lavista
11/21 Betsy Grannis
11/22 Susan Van Vactor
11/24 Sandy Nesselrode





Angela Williams is recovering from a heart catheterization.

Marlene Dillon had surgery for a broken hip resulting from a fall and is currently in Rehab.

Health & Wellness CSP Co-Chairs: Nancy Maynard, Marybeth Bailey



Thank you to the Health and Wellness CSP ladies that worked so hard to make the clubhouse look so beautiful for our **October meeting**.

We once again honored our **Breast Cancer survivors**. We are in awe of your strength and thank you for sharing your stories.



Thank you, Trish Perna, for providing our meal for the **House of Hope**. A signup sheet will be available for the new year at the November meeting. We are currently serving 11 girls, one of which is gluten free. If you have any questions regarding the House of Hope or the meals we are making, please contact Nancy Maynard 815-274-4446.

We had a great **Sculpture Walk** guided by Sara Perricone of the Public Art Advisory Board. The weather was perfect, and a great lunch was enjoyed by all.

We are hosting a nature walk at **Clemmons Educational State Park**, 2256 Old U.S. Hwy 70, Clayton. Meet at the park Thursday, November 10th, 11:00am. Bring your lunch if you would like to stay for a picnic. There will be another sign up for this event at the November meeting or you may email Nancy Maynard at mothermaynard@hotmail.com if you would like to join us.

November is **National Home Care and Hospice month**. Nurses, home care aides, therapists and social workers can make a remarkable difference for the patients and families they serve. We thank them all!



Thank you to all that participated in the **Rise Against Hunger** Event, October 15th at Horne Memorial United Methodist Church. We were able to help pack 1,000 meals in 2 hours! Great job!

TWCC members work at the Rise Against Hunger event held at Horne Memorial United Methodist Church on October 15th. Pictured are, L to R bottom: Dixie Brady, Judy Ryan; Top: Jeanne Dahl, Trish Perna, Betsy Grannis, Rhonda Nielsen, Patti Farmer, Nancy Maynard. Not pictured, Betty Godwin.

Environment CSP Co-Chairs: Rachel Masimore, Christie Latham





The ENV CSP is considering a water conservation project. More details will be forthcoming.

Rachel Masimore is requesting donations of Christmas trees. They can be any size and color and lights do not have to be working. These will be used at the Community Garden. Tree donations can be placed in the little house at the garden.





Menu

Turkey w/Dressing,
Mashed Potatoes
and Gravy
Sweet Potato
Casserole
Green Beans
Cranberry Orange
Salad
Pumpkin Cupcakes

Host: Civic Engagement & Outreach CSP

Education & Libraries CSP Co-Chairs: Brenda Gay, Sandy Nesselrode





The Education & Libraries CSP is hard at work on **Scholarships** that are offered to outstanding senior students. We welcome many new members who have joined The Woman's Club of Clayton and for this reason we want to explain the Scholarship process to those who may not fully understand how it works. There are two Scholarships:

Sallie Southall Cotten Scholarship (SSCS) – This scholarship is through the GFWC-NC. It is awarded to an outstanding female/male student who must be a North Carolina high school senior and sponsored by a Federated club. Investments of the SSCS Fund provides the monies which is \$12,000 (\$3,000 per year). Students are in competition for this scholarship from other Federated clubs.

The Woman's Club of Clayton will sponsor an outstanding student for the Sallie Southall Cotten Scholarship. The scholarship applications have been sent to the senior counselors at Clayton, Cleveland, and Corinth-Holder high schools. If you know of a deserving senior, please have them contact their school counselor for the application. This year, the first-place candidate will receive \$3,000 and the runner up will receive \$1,000, due to the generosity of an anonymous donor for The Woman's Club of Clayton. The first-place candidate will then compete for the GFWC-NC Sallie Southall Cotten Scholarship at the District level and, if our candidate wins at District, they will compete at the State level.

Sybil Champion Community College Scholarship - The Woman's Club of Clayton Sybil Champion Community College Scholarship is a merit-based scholarship awarded to any high school senior in Clayton. The purpose of the scholarship is to assist the recipient in obtaining their Associate Degree from a community college. The recipient shall undertake full academic number of hours, which is a minimum of twelve (12) credit hours per semester. The scholarship is a one-time award of \$500, payable to the recipient's school. The scholarship applications have been sent to the senior counselors at Clayton, Cleveland, and Corinth-Holder high schools. If you know of a deserving senior, please have them contact their school counselor for the application

The Scholarship Committee is made up of Sandy Nesselrode, Jayne Hafer, and Donna Steele. These scholarship awards are paid directly to the recipient's college.

Jumpstart's Read for the Record – Due to congestion at US ports, our Read for the Record books have been delayed and may be arriving by the end of October. After the books arrive, we will contact the schools for a date and time to read the book to the students, hopefully the first or second week in November. Please stay tuned.



<u>Cooper Academy Book Bag Project</u> – Please continue to bring first grade books to each meeting, to ensure there is an adequate supply of books in the Spring. Our thanks!

<u>New Member</u>—The Education & Libraries CSP welcomes new member **Robin** Rose!!

Hard to believe that we will have celebrated Halloween and most of all Thanksgiving by the next newsletter. Did you read our President's page about B L E S S I N G S in the October newsletter? (Food for thought)



Calendar of Events

Oct 20

One-Stop Early Voting Begins

Nov 1

Last day to Request Absentee by Mail Ballot

Nov 5

One-Stop Early Voting Ends at 3pm

Nov 8 Election Day

For additional information go to www.ncsbe.gov



MILITARY MISSIONS IN ACTION

Items to bring to the November TWCC Meeting:

- Toothpaste
- Feminine products
- Shampoo
- Conditioner
- Body wash
- Pudding cups
- Fruit cups
- Non-sweet snacks (animal crackers, Ritz Bits, Wheat Thins
- Sweet snacks (small pack or Oreos, Rice Krispie treats, etc.)
- Individual tuna packets, oatmeal packets, and granola bars

Civic Engagement & Outreach CSP

Co-Chairs: Susan Johnson and Sarah Brooks



Welcome new member **Debbie Plaster**!! We are excited to have you in our group.

The CEO CSP will be hosting the November meeting. A representative from **Military Missions in Action** (MMIA) will be the guest speaker. Members are asked to **bring items** (*listed at bottom left*) needed by MMIA to help support homeless veterans in the area. In addition, if members have **pictures of family member veterans**, bring them and they will be displayed during the meeting.

CEO CSP members should plan to come to the clubhouse on Tuesday, November 8th at 10am to help **set up**. Please bring any patriotic decorations and pictures of veteran family members.



TWCC members Denise Fries, Susan Johnson, and Dixie Brady participated in a **Rise Against Hunger** event on Oct 26 at the Rise Against Hunger Warehouse off Capital Blvd in Raleigh. CEO CSP member Denise Fries helped organize this event for a faith based non-profit organization for adults with disabilities in

Garner called **Able to Serve**. They plan to help the participants volunteer at the warehouse on a regular basis as part of their community service program.

New Members



Susan Mancuso E&L CSP



Alease Young
CEO CSP



Robin Rose E&L CSP



Judy Lavísta ENV CSP



Sharon Avery CEO CSP



Debbie Plaster CEO CSP



Tammy Wallis E&L CSP



Former TWCC member Judy Hoffman, Faye Brooks and Betsy Grannis visit TWCC Honorary Member, Ramona Cash at Springmoor in Raleigh. Ramona is a special lady and still sharp at age 94!



Things to bring to the November meeting:

- Items for Military Missions in Action (refer to CEO CSP)
- Pictures of veteran family members
- Donations for cranberry sauce (refer to President's Message)
- Money/checkbook for club dues (Day-\$75 total [\$55 for dues and \$20 for lunch assessment]; Night 'N Gals \$55)
- Plastic grocery bags
- Books appropriate for First Graders (English or Spanish) for E&L CSP
- Leftover yarn for A&C CSP Afghan of Many Colors

Arts & Culture CSP

Co-Chairs: Angela Williams, Faye Brooks, Dianne Carroll





The Arts & Culture CSP had another successful event at the Clayton Farm Market on October 22nd. 30 kids drew scary pictures on donated tote bags to use for their **Trick or Treat bags for Halloween.** Thanks to Betsy and Michael Grannis, Dianne and Jerry Carroll, Betty Godwin and Brenda Hill for their help with this fun project. A BIG Thank You to Dianne Carroll for heading up this project.

We are continuing with the **Afghan of many colors**. If you have any left over yarn you would like to donate to this project please bring it to the November meeting.

Night 'N' Gals



For TWCC members who are unable to attend daytime meetings, there is a group, the Night'N'Gals, who meet on the Thursday after the day meeting, September through May. This year, these members have been assigned to a CSP

The **Night `N' Gals** will meet via Zoom on **November 10th at 7pm** and all members are invited to attend. The Zoom link will be sent to all members on November 9th.

ESO Book Club

Chair: Brenda Gay

The ESO book club held their October 3rd meeting at The Woman's Club of Clayton with a great membership presence. Members reported on books that they had read during the last few months. Each member usually reports on one or two books at our meeting each month. I like to list two books reported on from the meetings. Eventually, each member will have a turn of her book report listed so this does not mean one book is better than another, you will have to make that judgement for yourself. The following are **four books listed from the September and October meeting**:

The Maker's Diet by Jordan S. Rubin (Genres -Religion, Medical) book report by Edie Brown

More Hours in My Day by Emilie Barnes (Genres – Self-Health & Christian Literature) book report by Patty Jo Johnson

Big Lies in a Small Town by Diane Chamberlain (Genres – Mystery, Thriller, Historical Fiction) book report by Donna Steele

Becoming by Michelle Obama (Genre - Biography) book report by Val Taylor

I google each book title for the **Genre** and as you see, some have more than one. This is for the benefit of each ESO member so they may choose which category they wish to place the book under when sending reports to our GFWC-NC ESO State Chair, Lynn Wiss. All the books reported by the ESO book club can be obtained by all members if anyone would like to have a list of them. E-mail bmgay82@qmail.com or call 919-763-7117 (C)

<u>Kind Reminder:</u> The next ESO book club meeting is **Monday, November 7th 10:00 a.m.** at the clubhouse. Please let me know if you <u>cannot</u> be at the meeting. This helps with the meeting setup.

Art Festival Chair: Susan Johnson



MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Annual Dues

2023 Dues are Due by Dec 1 Day members-\$75 Night'n'Gals-\$55

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Notify Patty Jo Johnson, Corresponding Secretary, if Information about a club member needs to be communicated to the membership (e.g., illness, bereavement)

919-818-3444

The members of the **Art Festival Committee** are at work organizing the festival for **February 9th, 2023** at 6:00 at the Clayton Center. Angela Williams will collect clubwomen entries again this year. The clubwomen categories cover visual arts, crafts, and photography. We will accept entries at the January 11th general meeting or sooner, or at the Executive Board Meeting on January 17. Peggy Earp is in charge of clubwomen literature. Those categories are poetry and short story. Brenda Gay is developing a performance festival for the students of our area. Contact Susan Johnson Chair of the Art Festival if you have questions or need a handout, or have a desire to work on this committee.

TWCC Bunco

Organizer: Sarah Brooks

Bunco is an extremely easy game of dice that provides members time to come together for an afternoon of fun and frivolity!! All members are welcome to participate and it is a great way to learn more about members. **Hostesses for October 25th Bunco** were **Debi Beal and Val Taylor**—Great job ladies! Winners: Rhonda Nielsen—Most Buncos, Loretta Mascia—Most Wins, Edie Brown—Most Losses, Sarah Brooks—Most Fakes, Margaret DiNubila—Bunco Gift.

Next Bunco date/time: November 29th at 1:00pm (Note: 5th Tuesday due to holiday); **Hostesses: Rhonda Nielsen and Dixie Brady.** Please note going forward, hostesses only need to provide table snacks, drinks and Bunco Prize.

District 8 Fall Meeting President: Peggy Earp



The GFWC District 8 Fall Meeting was held on Saturday, October 1st at the old Selma Woman's Club clubhouse. District 8 President Peggy Earp hosted the meeting. Other TWCC members in attendance were Sandy Nesselrode, Rachel Masimore, Loretta Mascia, Judy Lavista, Susan Johnson, Brenda Hill, Nancy Maynard, Margaret Lee, Judy Ryan and Betsy Grannis.





Pictured at left, Jessica Rigouard, District 8 Secretary from Down East Woman's Club; Peggy Earp, District 8 President from TWCC; Misty Deyo, GFWC-NC 2nd Vice-President; Sandy Nesselrode, District 8 Chaplain from TWCC

Recipe provided by Nancy Maynard



Do you have club member news, personal announcements, family news, personal achievements or recipes to share with club members?

Please submit items by the 25th of the month to the "Club Chatter" Editor, Sarah Brooks sbrooks@twccnc.org



Each month will feature recipes by category

November—Thanksgiving December—Christmas January—New Year's Day February—Valentines March—St. Patrick's Day April—Easter May—Mother's Day

Send your favorite recipes to

sbrooks@twccnc.org

Recipe Corner—Thanksgiving



Pumpkin Bread

INGREDIENTS

1 cup vegetable oil

- 2 cups canned pumpkin
- 4 eggs
- 3 cups sugar
- 2/3 cup water
- 3 cups flour
- 1 tsp cinnamon
- 3 tsp baking soda
- 1 tsp nutmeg
- 1/2 tsp salt
- 1 cup nuts
- 1 cup raisins (optional)



DIRECTIONS

- 1. Stir together first 5 ingredients. Mix together and beat well.
- Add flour, baking soda and spices. Beat until smooth.
- Add nuts and raisins (optional) and stir to moisten
- Grease and flour 2 loaf pans and fill 1/2 full. Bake 350 degrees approximately one hour. Ovens vary, so check for doneness.
- Cool slightly and remove from pans. Freezes well.

Yields 2 loaves

allrecipes Perfect Turkey

Ingredients

1 (18 pound) whole turkey, neck and giblets removed

- 2 cups kosher salt
- ½ cup butter, melted, divided
- 2 large onions, chopped, divided
- 4 carrots, coarsely chopped, divided
- 4 stalks celery, chopped, divided
- 2 sprigs fresh thyme, divided
- 1 bay leaf
- 1 cup dry white wine

Instructions

- 1. Rub turkey inside and out with kosher salt; place in a large stockpot and cover with cold water. Cover and refrigerate to allow turkey to soak in brine solution for 12 hours, or overnight.
- Preheat the oven to 350 degrees F (175 degrees C). Thoroughly rinse the turkey; discard the brine mixture.
- 3. Brush turkey with 1/2 of the melted butter. Place breast-side down on a roasting rack in a shallow roasting pan. Stuff turkey cavity with 1/2 the onion, 1/2 the carrots, 1/2 the celery, 1 sprig of thyme, and bay leaf. Scatter remaining vegetables and thyme in the bottom of the roasting pan; pour white wine over vegetables.
- 4. Roast turkey in the preheated oven, uncovered, until no longer pink at the bone and the juices run clear, about 3 1/2 to 4 hours. Carefully turn turkey breast-side up about 2/3 through the roasting time, and brush with remaining butter. An instant-read thermometer inserted into the thickest part of the thigh, near the bone, should read 165 degrees F (74 degrees C).
- 5. Allow turkey to rest for 30 minutes before carving.

Yields 24 servings





This casserole was a hit at the September Lunch Meeting! Recipe from **Betsy Grannis**



It's time for Clayton Women In Network's 3rd Annual Festival of Trees Gala & Silent Auction! This exciting event will take place on November 12, 2022 at The Clayton Center from 6-10PM. Your \$65 ticket includes 1 drink, amazing entertainment, delicious heavy hors d'oeuvres and THE night that kicks off Clayton's holiday season!



In the event of illness or bereavement, members are encouraged to contact Patty Jo Johnson if assistance is needed with meals, errands, etc. Call 919-818-3444 or email johnsonpatty2253@gmail.com

Recipe Corner—Healthy Recipes

Low-Carb, Gluten Free Chicken Vegetable Casserole

INGREDIENTS

1 pound bag frozen Cauliflower Rice

1 pound cut Green Beans, fresh or thawed from frozen

2 medium Zucchini, halved and sliced

3-4 Red Radishes, chopped

1/2 Red Bell Pepper, chopped

2 tsp. Olive Oil

½ tsp Onion Powder

1/2 tsp Garlic Powder

½ tsp ground Oregano

½ tsp ground Sage

1 pound Chicken Breast, cut in chunks

¼ cup Butter

Kosher salt and ground black pepper, to taste

12 oz. Cream Cheese, cut in chunks

1 ¾ cup Heavy Cream

1 cup shredded Parmesan Cheese

2 cups shredded Mozzarella Cheese

¼ cup real Bacon Pieces

1/3 cup grated Parmesan Cheese

DIRECTIONS

Prepare Cauliflower Rice as directed, pour into 9x13 baking dish.

In a small bowl, mix Onion Powder, Garlic Powder, Oregano and Sage.

Place vegetables in a large bowl and drizzle with Olive Oil. Sprinkle with spice mixture and stir. Set aside.

Melt butter in large skillet and brown chicken pieces, adding salt and pepper to taste. Add seasoned vegetables and sauté for 3 to 5 minutes. Add chunks of cream cheese, heavy cream and shredded Parmesan cheese. Stir until cream cheese has melted and mixture is creamy.

5. Pour mixture over cauliflower rice in casserole dish. Stir together and smooth mixture. Add shredded mozzarella over top and sprinkle with grated Parmesan. Bake in a 450°F preheated oven for 10 – 15 minutes, until bubbling.

6. Remove casserole from oven and top with bacon pieces. Return to oven for 5 minutes or until cheese is slightly golden.

Yield: 10-12 servings











November 2022

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		National Authors Day	2	3 Sandwich	4	5
G Zall Back	FSO TWCC Clubhouse 10:00am	House of Hope Meal CEO CSP Set Up for lunch mtg—10am	TWCC Lunch Meeting 11:45am	Night n Gals Via Zoom 7pm H&W CSP Nature Walk at Clemmons State Park 11am	H&W CSP-Bingo at Senior Center 10am	Karen Keeslar Festival of Trees Clayton Ctr 6-10pm
13	14	Rachel Masimore TWCC Board Mtg10am New Member Orientation 11:30am TWCC Clubhouse	16 Judy Lavista	17 NATIONAL TAKE Anike day	18	19
20	21 Betsy Grannis	22 Susan Van Vactor	Serve the Need Thanksgiving Meal Civitan Club	24 Sandy Nesselrode	25	SMALL BUSINESS SATURDAY
27 First Sunday of Advent	28	TWCC Bunco TWCC Clubhouse 1:00pm	30	Dec 1 Tree Lighting Food Sale TWCC Clubhouse		



Want to support **Ukraine**? Donna Steele has provided information that is at left. At right is information from GFWC.

Nearly eight months after the beginning of the ongoing war crisis in Ukraine, **GFWC Affiliate Organization** <u>UNICEF</u> <u>USA</u> has remained at the forefront of the humanitarian response for Ukraine. Volunteers are working tirelessly to provide essential services to vulnerable children and families affected by the conflict.

In times like these, while we may witness the most heartbreaking side of humanity, we also see and feel the most uplifting side. As of mid-September, GFWC members donated more than \$69,000 to UNICEF to support their relief efforts. Thanks to support from GFWC and other partners, in Ukraine:

- UNICEF has been able to provide life
 -saving health and medical supplies to
 nearly 4 million people in war affected areas in Ukraine, and access
 to safe water for nearly 3.5 million
 people in areas where networks have
 been damaged or destroyed.
- UNICEF has provided access to formal and non-formal education to more than 760,000 children in Ukraine.
- Together with partners, UNICEF has reached more than 1.7 million children and caregivers with mental health and psychosocial support.
- In refugee countries, 320,000 children have accessed education, and 5.4 million people have been reached with life-saving messaging on their rights and access to critical services.
- 40 UNICEF/UNHCR Blue Dots are also providing integrated services for affected families, having reached at least 234,000 children and caregivers.

You can contribute to this humanitarian response by donating to support UNICEF's efforts.









Supporter donations go towards providing medical and humanitarian aid to help refugees, wounded warriors, families of perished Ukrainian heroes and orphans.

Our volunteers in the Triangle support Ukrainian refugee families and promote Ukrainian culture in the Carolinas.



We are grateful for every volunteer, every supporter, every dollar, every tourniquet, every set of thermal wear, every water filter, every prayer that our supporters contribute towards Ukraine's freedom!

THANK YOU FOR HELPING US HELP UKRAINE!