

THE PEAL



GFWC/CFWC Orange District

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Welcome to the first issue of this administration's Orange District "Peal". The Peal is designed to give the Orange District Chairmen an opportunity to communicate with the Orange District clubs on new projects, report on up and coming events in their programs and important dates.

It is also a way for the clubs in Orange District to communicate any projects or upcoming fund raisers with the other clubs in the District.

In other words it is designed to help keep the lines of communication open.

In the Fall, 2020 edition of the GFWC Clubwoman there are some excellent descriptions of the New Community Service Programs (remember the names have been changed so please try to have your club use the correct terms). In the Administration Report for 2018-20 totals were given for the Grand Initiatives that were emphasized during that term. The totals were impressive and prove "Together we make a difference".

- ◆ Projects on Martin Luther Kind Jr. day – 1,461
- ◆ Projects for Women in the Military – 1,989
- ◆ 1,000 Members join the GFWC Legislative Alert – 2,776 joined
- ◆ 1,000 Trees be planed on Arbor Day – 28,782 tree planted
- ◆ 1,000 Pairs of shoes donated to Soles4Souls – 117,360 shoes donated
- ◆ 1,000 Dr. Seuss books be donated – 74,736 books donated
- ◆ 1,000 contacts to legislators regarding passage of Miranda's Law – 8,947 contacts
- ◆ 1,000 contacts to legislators regarding Gun Safety – 7,633 contacts

I hope that all of you have watched the presentation on the Summer Conference on the webpage regarding "Stand Up for Kids". My emphasis this administration will be children or "Kids" and this is one organization that I would like to encourage all of the clubs in Orange District to become involved with. Children are our most valuable asset whether they are our own, grandchildren, great grandchildren or just children that need help. If you have not watched this presentation, please do so.

Hope you all enjoy "The Peal". Stay Safe and hope we can be together soon.

Mary Sprague, President

ORANGE DISTRICT YEARBOOK CORRECTIONS



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Orange District CALL/PEAL Schedule

2020

October 09	November CALL Messages Due
October 16	November CALL Sent Out
November 20	December PEAL Messages Due
November 27	December PEAL Sent Out
December 04	January CALL Messages Due
December 11	January CALL Sent Out

2021

January 15	February PEAL Messages Due
January 22	February PEAL Sent Out
February 5	March CALL Messages Due
February 12	March CALL Sent Out
March 19	April PEAL Messages Due
March 26	April PEAL Sent Out
April 15	May PEAL Messages Due
April 22	May PEAL Sent Out
June 11	Tentative—Summer Conference Information Due
June 18	Tentative—Summer Conference CALL Sent Out
August 6	September CALL Messages Due
August 13	September CALL Sent Out
September 17	October PEAL Messages Due
September 24	October PEAL Sent Out
October 8	November CALL Messages Due
October 15	November CALL Sent Out
November 19	December PEAL Messages Due
November 26	December PEAL Sent Out
December 10	January CALL Messages Due
December 17	January CALL Sent Out



From the Executive Committee ...

Sandy Tessier
1st Vice President/Dean



Report Writing The Challenge of 2020

Report Writing time is coming up again soon. Information on the report writing workshop will be provided as soon as it becomes available.

This year is going to be a challenge when it comes to report writing. Some things to keep in mind:

The report writing covers your club activities from January 2020 to December 2020. Look back to the things your club did before the coronavirus disrupted our lives. Way back to last January 2020. Did you have a fundraiser? Did you have an activity that encouraged new membership and worked to retain existing members? What was your book club doing and what philanthropic efforts did your club put forward.

Statistics are important. Don't forget to keep track of all the time every member of your club put into all club activities starting in January. Even if you were not able to complete those activities the hours spent on planning and coordinating and preparing all count.

Going forward. Everything changed by mid-March 2020.

Keep track of what your members are doing in this time of home sheltering.

Are your members making masks? Who is? How many did they make? How much time did they spend? Don't forget the in-kind value of those masks.

Have some of your members sending out cards to members who are alone? Are they making extra phone calls?

Some clubs are collecting canned goods for local foodbanks and others are involved in delivering meals to those who can't or shouldn't get out.

If your large fundraisers have been cancelled or curtailed what are you doing to compensate.

How has the way you conduct meetings and have section meetings changed?

What are you doing to plan for the new normal that we may be facing for a long time to come? Will you still have monthly luncheon meetings? Will we all have to sit far apart and wear masks? Maybe we should make matching masks for our clubs to wear at club meetings.

Share what your club is doing by placing articles in the CALL/PEAL. Share ideas, tips and suggestions. Remember just because something seems like old hat to you it may be a brand new idea to someone else.

SEE you at our report writing workshop in November, Sandy Tessier 1st VP 562-234-3371

From the Executive Committee Cont'd ...

Marilyn Bennett

3rd Vice President/ Ways & Means

We made it through our first Orange District Council Meeting of this club year last week. As a zoom meeting it was very different but successful. However, we were unable to raise any funds—without an opportunity drawing and a vendor. So, we will have to raise funds another way. A regular vendor, Pegboard Highway, has recently created a website. It's new, as yet has limited but adding more items regularly. A discount code, "Orange", has been provided to identify district shoppers. District will receive a percentage of the purchases. **Shop, Ladies, Shop!**

CLICK ON THE LINK



CFWC Orange District

Fundraiser

Pegboard Highway
(Clothing – Accessories - Gifts)

Website:
pegboardhighway.com

Shopping code: **Orange**
Discounts

Offer good until October 31, 2020

Orange District receives percentage of sales

****How about a **Fun-raiser** with some socializing—seeing each other again since March and meeting your new executive committee members? We are having **dine-in** on October 21st at **Polly's Pies**, 2025 N. Tustin, Orange. It will be a daytime event, 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m., outdoor or indoor dining or takeout. **You will have to bring the flyer**—it's in this Peal and has also been emailed to the club presidents. Get some of your members together, family or friends and enjoy a lunch and some social time! If you prefer takeout, stop by and say "Hello" to all who are having lunch. Everyone's welcome. This is a "first" for district, so let's all join in, have some fun and raise some funds! Polly's Pies has guaranteed that all health guidelines will be observed. Again, remember to **bring the flyer!**

Remember, **SAVE THE DATE**. The Orange District fundraiser for this club year is the **Quartermania**. Mark your calendar now for Saturday, February 13, 2021, and plan to join district members at the Woman's Civic Club of Garden Grove at 10:30 a.m. for this fun fundraising event. For \$15.00 you will get a bidding paddle, a free chance at the opportunity drawing and enjoy lunch! Oh—start saving your quarters now!



Save the Date
Quartermania

February 13, 2021
Save your Quarters!



From the Executive Committee Cont'd ...

Kathi McGraw
Parliamentarian

Basic Rules for Parliamentary Procedure

In order to have your club meetings run smoothly, there are some basic rules for Parliamentary procedure you should follow:

- ♦ **Only one subject (motion) may be before the group at one time.**
- ♦ **"Negative" motions are generally not permitted.** To dispose of the business item, the motion should be phrased as a positive action to take, and then, if the club desires not to take the action, the motion is voted down.
- ♦ **Only one person may speak at any given time.** This is really important with Zoom meetings. It is sometimes difficult to understand what some members may be saying and if someone else starts talking, all meaning is lost.
- ♦ **All members have equal rights.** Each speaker must be recognized by the President before speaking. They should state right away if they are for or against the motion and then state their reason.
- ♦ **Each item presented for consideration is entitled to a full and free debate.** Each member speaks once, until everyone has had an opportunity to speak.
- ♦ **The rights of the minority must be protected, but the will of the majority must prevail.** Each member has a right to speak and share their view of the motion, but ultimately the majority of the club will determine what the club will or will not do.

Summer Workshop Update!

Summer Workshop Videos & Handouts are posted to the Orange District Website!

There are sessions for Executive Board members, District Chairman, and Special Appointments. Handouts for each session are located below the video. Click the button and their handout will open in a new browser tab. Enjoy!

Please click on the link below to view the Summer Workshop videos.

www.cfwcorangedistrict.com

Congratulations 
To All Our Winners!

Due to the cancellation of April's District Convention, we never did have an opportunity to celebrate the report winners.

Thank you to all of the Clubs who submitted reports. It is never an easy task to pick just one winner. You all do such great work and it deserves to be celebrated.

Please click on the link below to view the winners.

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From Advancement/Special Appointments ...

Maggie Paul

Legislation/Public Policy

The U.S. Postal Service, much like GFWC clubs, connects and serves communities across the nation. During these unprecedented times we are seeing an increased need for the Postal Service and access to this service must be protected. Congress must ensure that there are no interruptions in service levels, postal employees are protected, and that adequate emergency funding is provided during the Corona virus pandemic. The Post Office provides essential services to many in our nation including the delivery of medications, Social Security benefits, income and tax payments, veteran's benefits, census forms, and absentee ballots to all American communities, however remote they may be.

Please contact your Senators today to urge them to support the Delivering for America Act, as passed by the House of Representatives. Click here to ➡ **TAKE ACTION!**



Mariellen Yarc

Leadership

Once a year CFWC and GFWC put on a Leadership Seminar. I have attached CFWC and GFWC guidelines and instructions if you, or anybody in your club, would like to apply. Each club can nominate one member to apply for this seminar. I explained what occurs at these seminars in the Orange District Summer Workshop which is available online at our Orange District website. It's a wonderful experience.

We would love each of our Clubs to select one candidate and **submit their paperwork to me no later than November 15th, 2020**. Mail or email completed forms, letters and photo to me by the deadline. We will then select one candidate from our District to participate in the California LEADS Seminar which will be held early next year. California will then select one of these candidates to represent our state at the GFWC Convention.

This is a wonderful opportunity for one of your members to receive excellent leadership training. Please feel free to call or email me if you have any questions.

Mariellen Yarc

714/827-2054 attyly@aol.com

From Advancement/Special Appointments Cont'd ...

Application Instructions for CFWC Leadership, Education & Development Seminar (LEADS)

These seminars are to train leaders. This Seminar is to help clubs, district and CFWC have qualified leaders in the future. We all benefit with better leadership. Members that have held positions on the CFWC Executive Board may not apply and once you have applied you may not apply a second time.

- ◆ The LEADS Seminars Will be held in February 2021 at the Oakland Hilton Hotel & in February 2022 the location will be announced. The seminar is held during the CFWC Board meeting.
- ◆ There are two applications the CFWC & GFWC Application. We also requiring a 5 x 7 photo of each person, a one page resume from each applicant a long with two letters of recommendations
- ◆ The dead line for the applications will be enforced.
- ◆ When answering the questions think about the questions, do not read anything extra into the questions and actually answer the question as it is written. This goes for any application process.
- ◆ Remember during the day to follow our instructions to you. We will try and make the two days fun for everyone. The judges will be there to see how you react to the day and evening events. You will be asked to speak in front of the entire CFWC State Board. Relax and do your best. That is all we can ask of you.
- ◆ Friday Morning will be the start of the seminar. Make plans to be there at 8:45 am and be ready to go at that time. We will not wait for you if you are late. You need to plan to stay Friday night & Saturday night. We will be doing somethings at the Saturday night session. We want you to enjoy an entire CFWC Board meeting.
- ◆ The Due date for the complete applications is Friday, Jan 15, 2021 & Saturday, Jan 15, 2022 to each Dori Kelsey. The Due date is firm, and it is a dead line.

You can find the LEADS applications under forms on the Orange District website or by clicking below.

www.cfwcorangedistrict.com



Let's Raise Some Dough!

Dine in or Takeout



CFWC ORANGE DISTRICT

Location:

POLLY'S PIES

**2025 N Tustin Ave
Orange, CA 92865**

Date:

**Wednesday
October 21, 2020**

Time:

11 am — 3 pm

**Polly's will donate 20% of the proceeds to
CFWC Orange District
when you bring this flyer and present it to your
friendly Polly's server**

No coupons or discounts will apply. Gift Cards not included. Ordering must be off of the regular priced menu. Polly's is proud to support your event. Flyers may not be passed out in Polly's restaurant or in Polly's Parking lot on the day of the event. Thank you for your understanding.

**Attention Polly's Team Member:
Please scan barcode with the
guest check**



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Questions?

**Call *Pauline Goldstein* at (310) 486-6707
or email: pegboardhighway2@yahoo.com**

Enter Coupon code **Orange** and a percentage of sales will go to the Orange District —
you also will receive a small service fee discount.

Will you help the La Habra Woman's Club reach its goal of 225 winter coats?



The La Habra Woman's Club is partnering with Operation Warm to provide students in their district with 225 brand new winter coats. Will you help us reach our goal? Each coat is \$20. You can make your donation by sending a check payable to La Habra Woman's Club: PO Box 222, La Habra CA 90631 or by visiting the link to make a donation online. www.operationwarm.org/lahabra

Guiding Principles of Operation Warm



WARMTH

Operation Warm creates brand-new, high-quality coats for children in need, offering a child both physical and emotional warmth.



CONFIDENCE

The gift of a brand-new coat empowers children by sparking self-confidence in a way that second-hand clothing cannot. A new coat can help students attend school, socialize with their peers and play outside with pride.



HOPE

Many families living in poverty struggle to provide necessities like food, housing, clothing and child care. The gift of a brand-new coat offers hope to both children and their parents, reminding them there are those in their community that care about their well-being and future.

Why Operation Warm Is Different

Operation Warm is not a coat drive. We work directly with manufacturers to create our own line of thoughtfully designed winter coats, made just for kids, in a wide variety of styles and colors. Our organization is proud of our commitment to provide only brand-new winter coats.

