



CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS
CLUB AWARD ENTRY COVER SHEET
Annual Reporting January 1-December 31, 2022

Chairman: Angie Cohen		Club: Yorba Linda Woman's Club	
Number of Members 93		District: Orange	Area: C
Club Position: Arts & Culture Program Chair			
Reporter's Address [REDACTED]			
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Arts & Culture Program Name of GFWC Special Program, Community Service Program, Advancement Plan or ESO			

Yorba Linda has a small-town feel and is known as the Land of Gracious Living. In 1912, the Yorba Linda Woman's Club was founded by a group of motivated women, whose inspiration was boundless and was matched only by their faith in their ability to accomplish good thing for their community. To this day they follow their Mission Statement: *We are a diverse organization working to promote civic, philanthropic, cultural, and educational interests within our community through the spirit of volunteerism.*

Project Title: All in the Eye of the Beholder Hours 140 Donated \$5,100 In Kind \$0

The Yorba Linda Woman's Club hosts an annual Student Art & Photography Contest. In 2022, we awarded \$5,100 to High School Art & Photography students from the Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District's (PYLUSD) seven high schools, grades 9-12. All Art & Photography teachers were contacted via emails and by personally dropping off letters at their schools, along with the contest flyer, categories, schedule and entry forms for their interested students. I worked closely with the District's Art Coordinator.

I contacted the founder of our local Yorba Linda Arts Alliance Foundation (YLAAF), who assisted in inviting local, established and professional artists to judge the entry pieces, including a personal friend of mine who has an art gallery in Laguna Beach, is a resident of Yorba Linda, and has a daughter who has attended PYLUSD since Kindergarten, and is now a senior at Yorba Linda High School.

Supplies for the contest (easels, tablecloths, decorations) were checked. Our Club President ordered the 1st-3rd place ribbons, as well as Best in Show. Regular contact was kept with the two individuals mentioned above, along with our Club President, during the course of the months leading up to the judging and awards ceremony. Additionally, an initial meeting took place in early January with the Club President, myself and a group of club members who signed up to volunteer for the event. Leaders stepped up to handle several facets of the event (ushering, refreshments, photography, seating, etc.), and regular communications with these leaders took place.

Judging took place on May 3rd, at the PYLUSD's Professional Development Building. Coffee and donuts were furnished to all judges, teachers and volunteers present. The Award's Ceremony took place two days later, at the Yorba Linda Community Center. Several dignitaries, including elected officials, attended and issued awards and certificates to the winners, in addition to the Woman's Club monetary awards and certificates. The 2022 Best of Show won \$500.00 for her Photography piece, titled "Forks." A total of 25 certificates and checks were signed and issued to the winning recipients. The event was deemed a huge success, not only by the Woman's Club, but by most dignitaries, teachers, artists and guests attending. For the year 2023, we will be adding Digital Arts, a new art category. I am very much looking forward to this event once again, and working with an outstanding group of women.