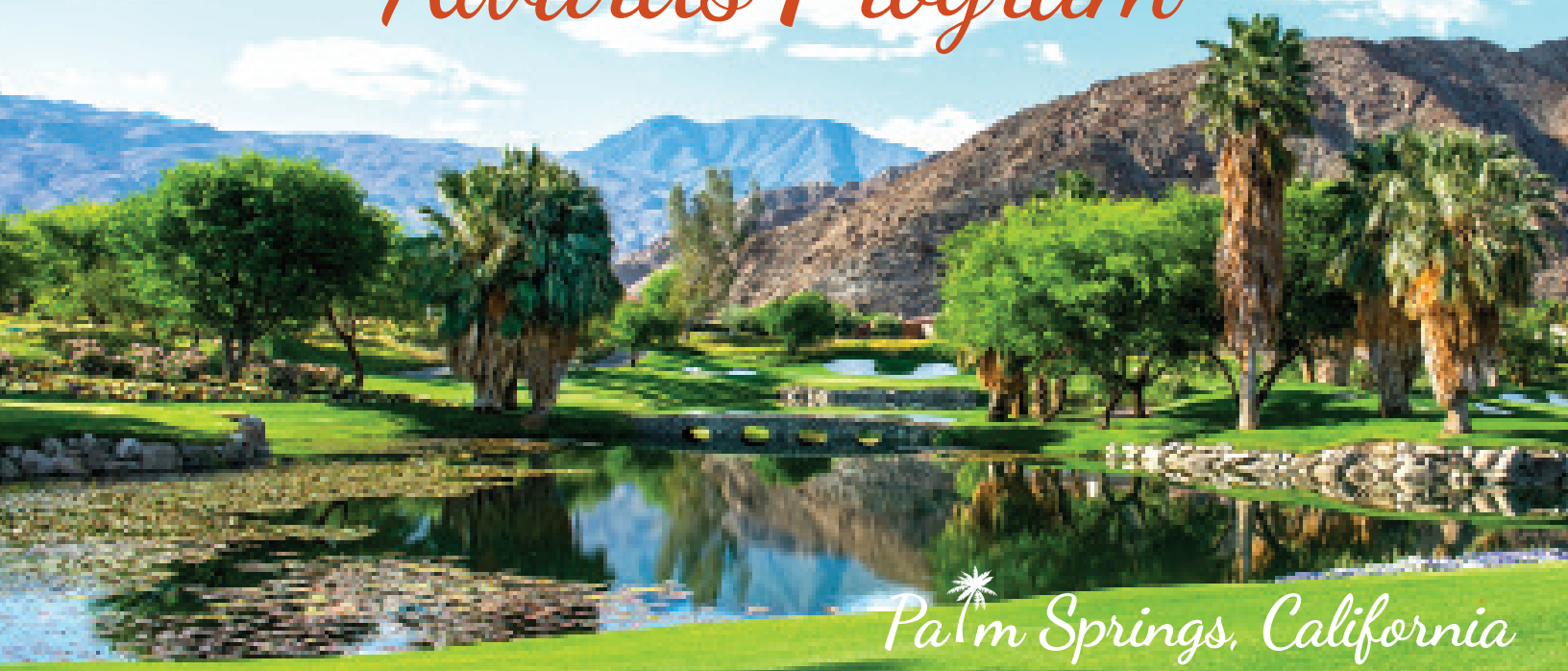




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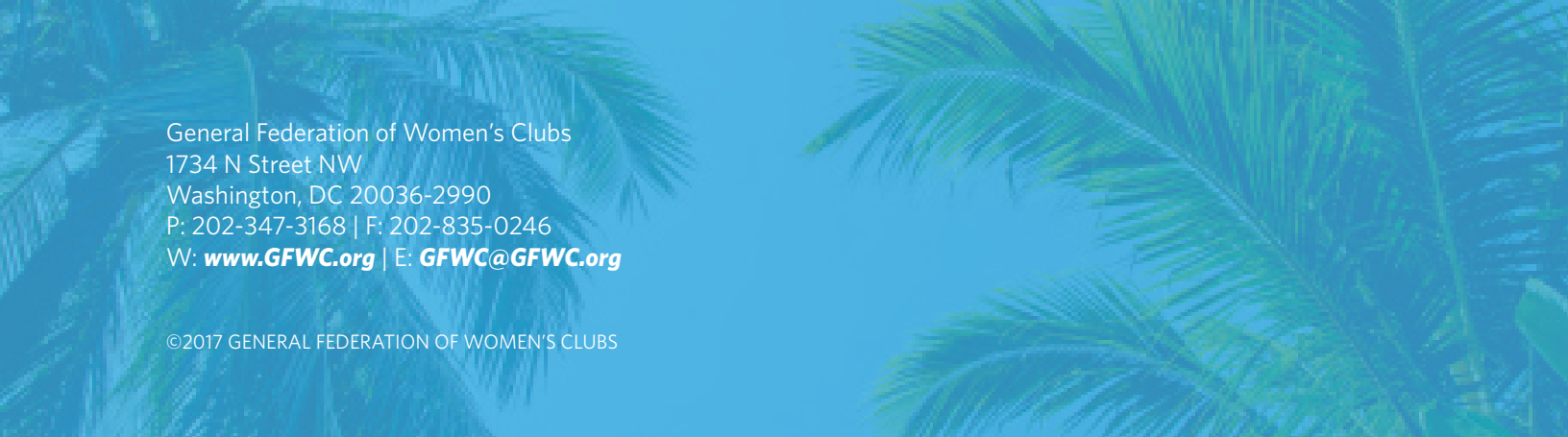
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# Award CATEGORIES

## **CATEGORY I** 4,000 MEMBERS or MORE

California  
Florida  
Illinois  
New Jersey  
Virginia

## **CATEGORY II** 2,000-3,999 MEMBERS

Georgia  
Massachusetts  
North Carolina  
Pennsylvania  
Texas  
West Virginia

## **CATEGORY III** 1,300-1,999 MEMBERS

Alabama  
Connecticut  
Kentucky  
Maryland  
Michigan  
Missouri  
Tennessee  
Wisconsin

## **CATEGORY IV** 900-1,299 MEMBERS

Arizona  
Delaware  
Iowa  
New York  
Mississippi  
Minnesota  
Ohio  
South Carolina

## **CATEGORY V** 400-899 MEMBERS

Arkansas  
Indiana  
Kansas  
Louisiana  
Maine  
Montana  
Nebraska  
New Hampshire  
Oklahoma  
Washington  
Wyoming

## **CATEGORY VI** FEWER THAN 399 MEMBERS

Alaska  
Colorado  
Hawaii  
Idaho  
Nevada  
New Mexico  
North Dakota  
Oregon  
Rhode Island  
South Dakota  
Utah  
Vermont  
Washington D.C.

# LIVING THINGS



**FIRST PLACE** | Street Musician | Celia Fischer (GFWC Mississippi)

**SECOND PLACE** | Monk Icon Painter in His Studio | JoAnne Caldwell (GFWC California)

**THIRD PLACE** | Weaver with Pipe | Elayne Canna rozzi (GFWC Delaware)

# SCENES

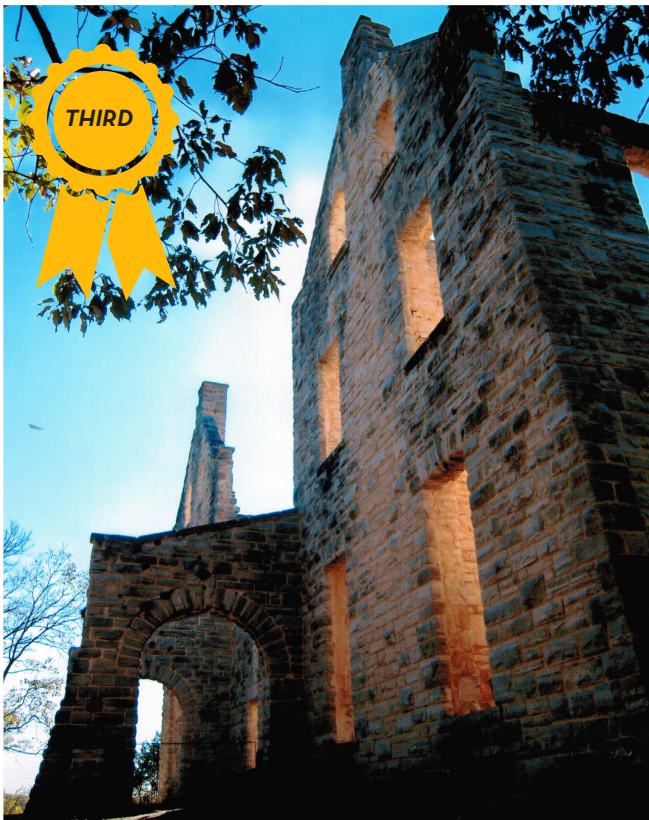
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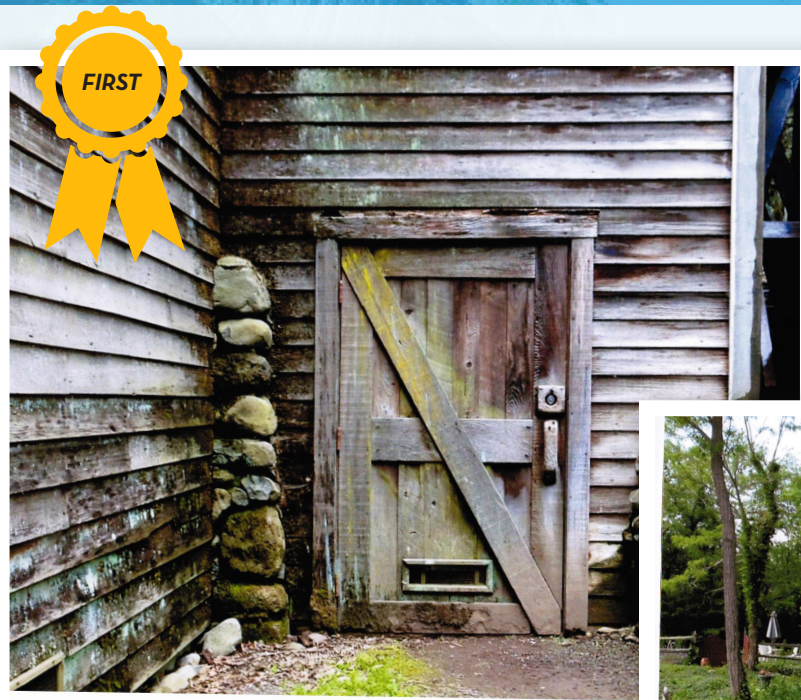


**FIRST PLACE** | Roe Boatson Blue Water | Joan Stapleton (GFWC Connecticut)

**SECOND PLACE** | Cottages for Rent in Flam | Elayne Cannarozzi (GFWC Delaware)

**THIRD PLACE** | Ha Ha Tonka State Park | Amy Haney (GFWC Iowa)

# STILL LIFE



**FIRST PLACE** | Door to the Old Gristmill | Louise Tucker (GFWC Washington)

**SECOND PLACE** | The Maritime Gallery | Ginny Ax (GFWC Virginia)

**THIRD PLACE** | Old Dublin | Karen Martinek (GFWC Iowa)

# VOLUNTEERS IN ACTION



**FIRST PLACE** | Good Clean Fun | Cheryl Shaw (GFWC Georgia)

**SECOND PLACE** | Cookie Ladies | Sue Ellen Lexier (GFWC Maine)

**THIRD PLACE** | You Want To Do What? | Janice B. Gardner (GFWC New Jersey)

# COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS



## ARTS

### PROGRAM AWARDS

- I GFWC California
- II GFWC Texas
- III GFWC Maryland
- IV GFWC Mississippi
- V GFWC Maine
- VI GFWC Colorado

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Dedham Junior Woman's Club  
(GFWC Massachusetts)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Fairview Heights Woman's Club  
(GFWC Illinois)



## CONSERVATION

### PROGRAM AWARDS

- I GFWC Illinois
- II GFWC Georgia
- III GFWC Missouri
- IV GFWC Iowa
- V GFWC New Hampshire
- VI GFWC New Mexico

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Prestonburg Woman's Club  
(GWC Kentucky)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Silsbee Woman's Club  
(GFWC Texas)



## EDUCATION

### PROGRAM AWARDS

- I GFWC New Jersey
- II GFWC Pennsylvania
- III GFWC Michigan
- IV GFWC Delaware
- V GFWC Montana
- VI GFWC New Mexico

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Mount Prospect  
Woman's Club (GFWC Illinois)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Bremen Junior Woman's Club  
(GFWC Georgia)

## ESO EPSILON SIGMA OMICRON

- I GFWC Florida
- II GFWC Texas
- III GFWC Michigan
- IV GFWC Ohio
- V GFWC Washington
- VI GFWC New Mexico

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Portales Woman's Club  
(GFWC New Mexico)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Circleville Junior Woman's  
Club (GFWC Ohio)



### OUTSTANDING HOBY STATE AWARD

GFWC West Virginia  
GFWC Arizona  
GFWC Delaware

### OUTSTANDING HOBY CLUB AWARD

GFWC Capital City Woman's Club  
(GFWC Florida)

GFWC Woman's Club of Tallahassee  
(GFWC Florida)

GFWC Junior Woman's Club of  
Midtown (GFWC Florida)

GFWC Tallahassee Junior Woman's  
Club (GFWC Florida)

GFWC Florentine Evening Club  
(GFWC Mississippi)

GFWC Woman's Club of Oxford  
(GFWC Ohio)

GFWC Thompson Falls Woman's  
Club (GFWC Montana)

GFWC Lamoille Woman's Club  
(GFWC Nevada)





# COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS



## HOME LIFE

### PROGRAM AWARDS

- I GFWC Florida
- II GFWC Pennsylvania
- III GFWC Alabama
- IV GFWC Mississippi
- V GFWC New Hampshire
- VI GFWC Oregon

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Mountain Top  
(GFWC Pennsylvania)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

Exeter Area GFWC  
(GFWC New Hampshire)



### STATE AWARD

GFWC Florida

### CLUB AWARD

GFWC Woman's Club of Vista  
(GFWC California)

GFWC Alamo Women's Club  
(GFWC California)

GFWC Oviedo Woman's Club  
(GFWC Florida)



### SHELBY P. HAMLETT AWARD

#### STATE AWARD

GFWC Illinois

#### CLUB AWARD

GFWC Azalea City Woman's Club  
(GFWC Georgia)

GFWC Miami Springs Woman's Club  
(GFWC Florida)



## INTERNATIONAL OUTREACH

### PROGRAM AWARDS

- I GFWC California
- II GFWC Pennsylvania
- III GFWC Tennessee
- IV GFWC Ohio
- V GFWC Indiana
- VI GFWC Colorado

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Peterson Tuesday Club  
(GFWC Iowa)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Civic Woman's Club of  
Picayune (GFWC Mississippi)



### TOP 7 LIFESAVER STATES

- GFWC North Carolina
- GFWC California
- GFWC Tennessee
- GFWC Georgia
- GFWC Arizona
- GFWC Virginia
- GFWC Wisconsin

### TOP 5 FUNDRAISING CLUBS

- GFWC Morrystown Woman's Club  
(GFWC Arizona)
- GFWC Statesville Woman's Club  
(GFWC North Carolina)
- GFWC Cookeville Junior Women's Club  
(GFWC Tennessee)
- GFWC Great Bridge Woman's Club  
(GFWC Virginia)
- GFWC Dahlonga Woman's Club  
(GFWC Georgia)



- I GFWC California
- II GFWC North Carolina
- III GFWC Alabama
- IV GFWC New York
- V GFWC Kansas
- VI GFWC Colorado

### LINDA DENNIS HEIFER HOPE AWARD

Janet Pantazo (GFWC Woman's Club  
of Vista, GFWC California)



### PAULA CUTLER AWARDS

- I GFWC Virginia
- II GFWC North Carolina
- III GFWC Alabama
- IV GFWC South Carolina
- V GFWC Kansas
- VI GFWC Idaho

### 2017 KATHY MAGEE SERVICE AWARD

GFWC Florida



### TOP STATES

- GFWC New Jersey
- GFWC Massachusetts

### TOP CLUBS

- GFWC Rhinelander Woman's Club  
(GFWC Wisconsin)
- GFWC Warren Junior Women's  
League (GFWC Ohio)
- GFWC Women's Civic League of  
Cheyenne (GFWC Wyoming)
- GFWC Progress Club of Las Cruces  
(GFWC New Mexico)

# COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS



## PUBLIC ISSUES

### PROGRAM AWARDS

- I GFWC New Jersey
- II GFWC Georgia
- III GFWC Alabama
- IV GFWC South Carolina
- V GFWC New Hampshire
- VI GFWC New Mexico

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Starbuck Study Club  
(GFWC Minnesota)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Bridgeport Junior Woman's  
Club (GFWC West Virginia)



### STATE AWARD

GFWC Florida

### CLUB AWARD

- GFWC Playa Del Rey  
(GFWC California)
- GFWC Providence Women's Club of  
Madison (GFWC Alabama)
- GFWC Charlotte Women's Club  
(GFWC North Carolina)



- I GFWC California
- II GFWC Georgia
- III GFWC Tennessee
- IV GFWC Ohio
- V GFWC Indiana
- VI GFWC Nevada

### TOP VOLUNTEER HOURS

GFWC Virginia

## SPECIAL PROGRAMS



**SIGNATURE  
PROGRAM:  
DOMESTIC VIOLENCE  
AWARENESS & PREVENTION**

**PROGRAM AWARDS**

- I GFWC Florida
- II GFWC Massachusetts
- III GFWC Tennessee
- IV GFWC Arizona
- V GFWC Washington
- VI GFWC Oregon

**HONORABLE MENTION**

GFWC Book and Needle Club of Oradell (GFWC New Jersey)

**CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD**

GFWC Solon Women's Club (GFWC Iowa)

**PREVENTION FUND AWARDS**

1. GFWC Pierce Arrows
2. Cynthia K. Geis
3. GFWC Illinois
4. GFWC Woman's Club of Maplewood (GFWC New Jersey)
5. GFWC Florida
6. GFWC Massachusetts
7. GFWC Herndon Woman's Club (GFWC Virginia)
8. GFWC North Carolina
9. GFWC Arkansas
10. GFWC Atlanta Woman's Club (GFWC Georgia)



**JUNIORS' SPECIAL PROGRAM:  
ADVOCATES FOR CHILDREN**

**PROGRAM AWARDS**

- I GFWC Florida
- II GFWC North Carolina
- III GFWC Tennessee
- IV GFWC Arizona
- V GFWC Indiana
- VI GFWC Colorado

**HONORABLE MENTION**

GFWC Plymouth (GFWC Pennsylvania)

**CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD**

Fine Arts Club of Bruce and Twentieth Century Club of Bruce (GFWC Mississippi)



**St. Jude Children's  
Research Hospital**

- I GFWC Virginia
- II GFWC Massachusetts
- III GFWC Tennessee
- IV GFWC Mississippi
- V GFWC Arkansas
- VI GFWC District of Columbia

**2016-2017 TOP MARCH FOR BABIES STATE**

1. GFWC Virginia
2. GFWC Florida
3. GFWC Kentucky
4. GFWC Colorado
5. GFWC South Carolina

**2016-2017 TOP MARCH FOR BABIES CLUB**

1. GFWC Junior Women's Club of Loudon (GFWC Virginia)
2. GFWC New Tampa Area Clubs (GFWC Florida)
3. GFWC West Virginia
4. Southwest Region Woman's Club (GFWC Colorado)
5. GFWC Woman's Club of Nitro (GFWC West Virginia)

# ADVANCEMENT AREAS



## COMMUNICATIONS & PUBLIC RELATIONS

- I GFWC California
- II GFWC Georgia
- III GFWC Tennessee
- IV GFWC Arizona
- V GFWC New Hampshire
- VI GFWC New Mexico

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Lake City Women's Club  
(GFWC Michigan)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Covina Women's Club  
(GFWC California)



## FUNDRAISING AND DEVELOPMENT

- I GFWC Illinois
- II GFWC Georgia
- III GFWC Kentucky
- IV GFWC South Carolina
- V GFWC Nebraska
- VI GFWC Colorado

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Sebastian River Junior  
Woman's Club (GFWC Florida)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Agawam Junior Women's Club  
(GFWC Massachusetts)



## LEADERSHIP

- I GFWC New Jersey
- II GFWC Georgia
- III GFWC Michigan
- IV GFWC South Carolina
- V GFWC Nebraska
- VI GFWC Colorado

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Callaway Juniette Club  
(GFWC Missouri)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Eastlake Women's Club  
(GFWC Ohio)



## LEGISLATION/ PUBLIC POLICY

- I GFWC California
- II GFWC Massachusetts
- III GFWC Michigan
- IV GFWC Mississippi
- V GFWC Nebraska
- VI GFWC Colorado

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Star Woman's Club  
(GFWC Mississippi)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Blountstown Woman's Club  
(GFWC Florida)



## MEMBERSHIP

- I GFWC Florida
- II GFWC North Carolina
- III GFWC Wisconsin
- IV GFWC Arizona
- V GFWC Washington
- VI GFWC Nevada

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Evening Chapter of the Mesquite  
Club of Las Vegas (GFWC Nevada)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Woman's Club of Omar  
(GFWC West Virginia)



## WOMEN'S HISTORY & RESOURCE CENTER

- I GFWC California
- II GFWC Massachusetts
- III GFWC Kentucky
- IV GFWC Arizona
- V GFWC New Hampshire
- VI GFWC Colorado

### HONORABLE MENTION

GFWC Norcross Woman's Club  
(GFWC Georgia)

### CLUB CREATIVITY AWARD

GFWC Women's Club of Aurora  
(GFWC Illinois)

# CONTESTS



## NEWSLETTER

### STATE LEVEL

- I GFWC Illinois
- II GFWC Texas
- III GFWC Maryland
- IV GFWC Ohio
- V GFWC Montana
- VI GFWC Colorado

### CLUB LEVEL

- 1st GFWC Woman's Club of Cypress (GFWC California)
- 2nd GFWC Hemet Woman's Club (GFWC California)
- 3rd GFWC Plantation Woman's Club (GFWC Florida)



## WEBSITE

### STATE LEVEL

- I GFWC New Jersey
- II GFWC North Carolina
- III No Entries
- IV GFWC Mississippi
- V GFWC New Hampshire
- VI GFWC Rhode Island

### CLUB LEVEL

- 1st GFWC North Pinellas Woman's Club (GFWC Florida)
- 2nd GFWC Woman's Club of Colorado Springs (GFWC Colorado)
- 3rd GFWC Woman's Club of Rock Hill (GFWC South Carolina)



## YOUTH WRITING CONTEST SHORT STORY

- I Chloe Powell (GFWC Woman's Club of Rock Hill, GFWC South Carolina)
- II Mary Arengo (GFWC Montgomery Woman's Club, GFWC Ohio)
- III Catherine Galanti (GFWC Playa Del Rey Women's Club, GFWC California)
- IV Nora Halder (GFWC Seward Woman's Club, GFWC Nebraska)

## YOUTH WRITING CONTEST POETRY

- I Gabby Hall (Alma Ladies Reading Circle, GFWC Kansas)
- II Elizabeth Dimock (Ladies Tourist Club, GFWC Minnesota)
- III Mackenzie Flowers (GFWC Murray Woman's Club, GFWC Kentucky)
- IV Allison Oman (GFWC Amery Woman's Club, GFWC Wisconsin)



## WRITING CONTEST SHORT STORY

- 1st Jodi Hodges (GFWC North Carolina)
- 2nd Lauren Tetrick (GFWC Illinois)
- 3rd Billie Williams (GFWC Texas)

## WRITING CONTEST POETRY

- 1st Sharon Paulson (GFWC Wisconsin)
- 2nd Angie M. Mayo (GFWC Florida)
- 3rd Nancy Stricklett Galaway (GFWC Nebraska)

# SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARDS



## MILLIE CROM AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN JUNIOR STATE LEADERSHIP

### PLATINUM LEVEL

Preshus Howard (GFWC Kentucky)  
Amanda Guidry (GFWC Tennessee)  
Martha Cassasa (GFWC Massachusetts)

### GOLD LEVEL

Loretta Caron (GFWC Wisconsin)  
Katie Moydell (GFWC South Carolina)  
Rebecca Wagman (GFWC Maryland)  
Heather Bolick (GFWC North Carolina)  
Sarah Jarrett (GFWC West Virginia)  
Deidra Devore (GFWC Ohio)

### SILVER LEVEL

Sandy Ahearn (GFWC Georgia)  
Joy Makowsky (GFWC Virginia)  
Kelly Holmes (GFWC Florida)  
Becky Akins (GFWC Louisiana)  
Jeanette Wells (GFWC Illinois)

### BRONZE LEVEL

Tara Plasek (GFWC Nebraska)  
Anne Marie Byrnes (GFWC New York)



## JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP INCREASE

GFWC Georgia  
GFWC Indiana  
GFWC Kentucky  
GFWC Massachusetts  
GFWC Michigan  
GFWC Nebraska  
GFWC New Hampshire  
GFWC New York  
GFWC Ohio  
GFWC Tennessee  
GFWC West Virginia



## INTERNATIONAL AFFILIATES STATISTICAL REPORTING

GFWC American Women's Club of Toronto (Canada)  
GFWC Grand Bahama American Women's Club  
GFWC Woman's Club of Aruba



## NATIONAL CLUBS STATISTICAL REPORTING

GFWC Pierce Arrows  
GFWC Laister's Phoenix Firebirds



## SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARDS



### JUNIORETTE PARTICIPATION

#### GFWC ALABAMA

GFWC Hoover Juniorette Club  
GFWC Alabama Les Belles Juniorette Club  
GFWC Randolph County High School Juniorette Club  
GFWC Serenity Juniorette Club  
GFWC Tri-M Juniorette Club

#### GFWC FLORIDA

GFWC Sunshine Juniorette Club  
GFWC Palatka Juniorette Club  
GFWC Sebastian River Juniorette Club  
GFWC Tampa Juniorette Club  
GFWC Little Women of Lutz  
GFWC Clearwater Juniorette Club  
GFWC St. Petersburg Juniorette Club  
GFWC Temple Terrace Juniorette Club  
GFWC Little Women of Ocala  
GFWC New Tampa Juniorette Club  
GFWC Little Women of Fernandina Beach

#### GFWC ILLINOIS

GFWC Plainfield Juniorette Club  
GFWC Joliet Juniorette Club  
GFWC Naperville Juniorette Club

#### GFWC KENTUCKY

GFWC Benton Juniorette Club

#### GFWC MASSACHUSETTS

GFWC Girls for a Greater Good Juniorette Club  
GFWC Marlborough Juniorette Club

#### GFWC NORTH CAROLINA

GFWC Fuquay-Varina Juniorette Club  
GFWC Lumberton Juniorette Club  
GFWC A.L. Brown Juniorette Club  
GFWC St. Stephens High School Juniorette Club  
GFWC Wake Forest Juniorette Club

#### GFWC OHIO

GFWC Ohio Warren Juniorette Club  
GFWC Boardman Poland Juniorette Club  
GFWC Austintown Juniorette Club

#### GFWC TEXAS

GFWC Bluebonnet Drama Club  
GFWC Fireside Juniorette Club  
GFWC Junioresettes of Alpine  
GFWC Teens of North Texas  
GFWC Lady Lobo Junioresettes of MHS

#### GFWC UTAH

GFWC Juniorette Club of Tooele



### LEGISLATIVE ACTION CENTER AWARDS

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- V GFWC Louisiana
- VI GFWC Utah

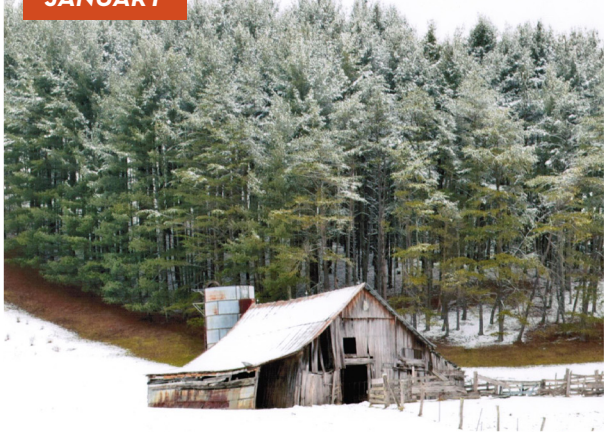


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- II GFWC Pennsylvania
- III GFWC Alabama
- IV GFWC Arizona
- V GFWC Washington
- VI GFWC Alaska

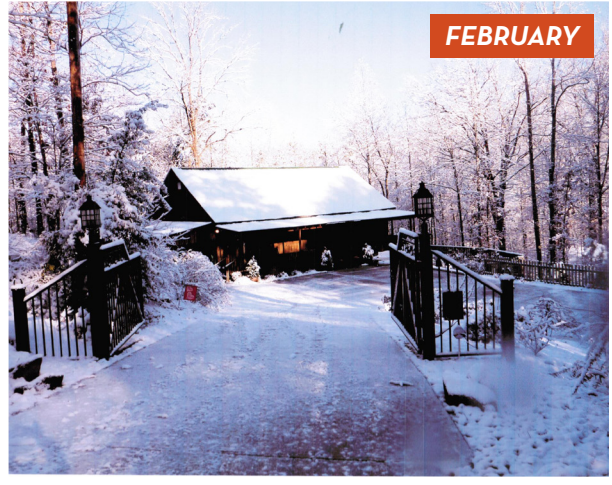
# A YEAR IN PICTURES

**JANUARY**



Frosty Pines Thelma McMillion (GFWC West Virginia)

**FEBRUARY**



Sun in the Morning Sandra Duffy (GFWC Georgia)

**MARCH**



Winter on Dumas Lane Linda Bennett (GFWC Kentucky)

**APRIL**



Spring Tulips Elayne Cannarozzi (GFWC Delaware)

**MAY**



Remembering Our Fallen Heroes Ann Smilanich (GFWC California)

**JUNE**



Hazel Discovering Poppies Fran Fuller (GFWC Michigan)



# A YEAR IN PICTURES

**JULY**



America's Roots Sandra Marrow (GFWC Florida)

**AUGUST**



Getting Ready for the Country Fair Judy Loewe (GFWC Minnesota)

**SEPTEMBER**



Kenosha Pass in the Fall Susan J. Walker (GFWC Colorado)

**OCTOBER**



The Warmth and Bounty of Fall Barbara Ware (GFWC California)

**NOVEMBER**



Bar Harbor Buoys Martha Kirsch (GFWC Maine)

**DECEMBER**



Sunset with Airplane Trail Carol Bellucci (GFWC Connecticut)