



2016



GFWC X-JWC **Hotline**

Editor Carolyn Turbiville

Bunco-December 13 Lunch 11:30, bunco 12:30 Airport If you need to cancel during Dec, Jan., Feb. and March, please call Karen Lee.

Crafts-There will be no crafts in December.

Literary December 20 7 p.m.- Tell the Wolves I'm Home by Carol Kifka At Brant Barnes and Noble Bookstore in the reading right corner at the back of the store.

Bunco Fundraiser February 10, 2017 Unitarian Universal Church Eat at 5:30 Bunco 6:15

May 4 & 5, 2017 GFWC-W State Convention Holiday Inn Laramie, WY Mark your calendar!

How many teeth does an average adult human have?

Leadership from State Leadership Chairman Carolyn Turbiville

"Leadership is the art of giving people a platform for spreading ideas that work." -- Seth Godin



Tidbits From the Past

Ernie Shriner, member of GFWC Civic League, served as International GFWC President 2004-2006. She is the only GFWC member from Wyoming to serve in this position. As

As President, she needs to reside in GFWC International Headquarters in Washington, D.C. and needs a lot of help. She and her aids are there about two weeks at a time for Board Meetings. This happens about 4 times a year. Our own X-JWC member, Carol Pralle, was asked from our club to be an "aid". She served as a greeter. Ernie asked her to do that as Carol liked to talk more than cook. Carol's purpose was to make people feel at ease when they came to visit the Headquarters

Patty Benskin, X-JWC and Civic League member, also served as an aid. Carol said she met many lovely people.

Additions and Corrections to Membership Handbook

Delete emails addresses for: Chris Ryan and Beth Schieck

Welcome **New Members**

Lee Briggeman 3324 Frontier 82001 720-891-6575

Bea (Beatrice) Wiss 1514 W Leisher Rd 82007 635-7281

We Support Our Members

Elaine Lucas had foot surgery November 8. We hope she has a speedy recovery!

Thelma Harrell had a short visit to the hospital to get some medication regulated. She is doing great from her knee surgery.

Carol Steinhour has been in and out of the hospital having fluid removed.

December meeting-We will be collecting items for men for the Wyoming Coalition for Homeless. Items needed are men's heavy socks, men's gloves and hats.

Websites:

X-JWC Website: gfwcx-jwccheyenne.org --

State GFWC: gfwcwyoming.org -

International GFWC: gfwc.org

X-JWC now has a Post Office Box with our own address: P.O. Box 2053 82003

Conservation

Recycling



The Cheyenne City Sanitation Department is asking city residents to bag their recycling materials to help prevent items from blowing away. Residents can use either a plastics bag between 15 and 30 gallons or a large paper bag. The bag can then be placed in recycling container. They encourage to bag recycling material through March 31.

Please bring all used **batteries** to the meeting to be recycled. Do not discard them in the trash. Phyllis Salzburg will be collecting them.

Prescription medicines can be taken to the Police Station to be disposed of.

Curly cue light bulbs can be taken to Lowes.

Glass can be recycled at two locations:

WYCO 2600 Missile Dr -Glass **must** be separated clear glass from colored glass. All glass containers will be accepted including beer and wine bottles. Other types of glass will not be accepted, like automotive glass, windows and light bulbs

Reclaimed Glass Works -112 W 8th Street Need to go in alley, it is easy to find. 307-256-3264

--Carolyn Turbiville is collecting Box Tops for schools.

What is Operation Smile? Trish Peoples, State International Outreach Chairman



Operation Smile is a children's medical charity providing free safe treatment and surgery for those who suffer from facial deformities such as cleft lip and cleft palate.

Where is Operation Smile? EVERYWHERE!

Just this month, November 2016, there are Operation Smile medical teams in the Philippines, Vietnam, Thailand, Colombia, Peru, Nicaragua, Jordan, Russia, Morocco, and China.

How do I help?

As you have in years past, you can create surgical gowns and armbands or dolls for the children. I can send you the patterns. Also, how about a Smile Jar? How often do we smile and not even think that there are people out there who can't? This holiday season why not toss a quarter in a jar every time you smile? Not only will it help Operation Smile, but it will make you realize how much there is to smile about in our daily lives.

GFWC/X-JWC OF CHEYENNE HELD A FUNDRAISER WITH THE HELP OF 95+ YEAR OLD, PHYLLIS BLACK



X-JWC in partnership with Texas Roadhouse sponsored a fundraiser to benefit the Children's Museum, the Friendship Park at Cahill Park and LCCC scholarships. The event took place Wednesday, November 9th at the Texas Roadhouse in Cheyenne. There were lots of volunteers that showed up, but of special note was our extra special volunteer, Phyllis Black. You can see Phyllis everywhere there is an

event. For this one, she was a "table busser" and she worked really hard keeping the tables clean in between customers. We are so blessed to have a member and super hard working volunteer like Phyllis. Thank you, Phyllis!! Kathleen Petersen

5th Annual Fundraiser at Texas Roadhouse

The very successful luncheon was held November 9, 2016. There were 49 members participating by selling tickets, giving a donation, and working at various positions at the Roadhouse that day. This is 82% of the members participating. It took about 204 volunteer hours to put on the benefit. We also had 6 husbands delivering 175 lunches to 22 businesses. We sold 388 tickets and had \$1, 192 in

donations netting approximately \$3,200, the most ever. Thanks to all of you in helping this event be a successful one!

Karen D Lee and Carolyn Turbiville Ways & Means Committee

Businesses who purchased lunches for the Texas Roadhouse Fundraiser, we thank them for their support!

Allstate, Avenues Pet Clinic, B&B Appliance, Brown Shoes, Cheyenne Chiropractic Clinic, Cheyenne Orthodontics, Cheyenne Pet Clinic, Cheyenne Regional Hospital TCU 4th floor , First Education Federal Credit Union, First Interstate Bank, Hirst Applegate, Lew Broyles, Raymond James, State Beauty Supply, Tonso/Kincheloe Dental Office, Town and Country Liquor, Town and Country Pharmacy, Toyota-Spradley Barr, Underwood Flowers, United Peoples Credit Union, Wasatch Railway Contractors, Wiederspahn Funeral Home

Business who made a generous donation to our benefit, we thank you for their support!:

Dr. Morrow, Laramie County Chiropractor; Heritage Construction, Angie Depew #1 Properties, and Yoder Women's Group

Crafts Bev Campbell

During the month of November 2016, 10 members made 144 candy bar snowmen. 100 snowmen were ordered by members for \$3.00 each bringing in at least \$300. 10 were set aside to deliver to Hospice and 15 were made to present to the December entertainment singers. Any remaining snowmen we will be sold.

There will be no crafts during the month of December. The January crafts will meet on January 18, 2017. The planned project will be shared at the January meeting.

How many teeth does an average adult human have? 32

X-JWC women celebrating Veteran's Day at the November 11 Ceremony in Cheyenne.

Phyllis Salzburg, Trish Peoples and Carol Steinhour

Julia Ortner, Maureen Hurley,

