

**FEBRUARY**



2016 X-JWC HotLine



*Calendar of Events:*

**Bunco- February 9** Lunch 11:30 Bunco 12:30 Two Doors Down

**Valentine's Day-February 14**

**Presidents' Day-February 15**

**Literary-February 15**

**Crafts-February 22**

**Board meeting-February 23** 10:00 a.m.-Pointe Frontier Craft Room.

All members, new and mature, are welcome.

**Crafts-March 28** Paint Pots

**State Convention- April 22 & 23** Rock Springs, WY

**International Convention-June 26-27** Baltimore, MD

**Our Members**

**We support our members!**



*-Willie Condron took a fall in her apartment and had to have stitches above both eyes. She is now at Life Care Rehab, Room 511, 303-524-4844 and would love to have visitors, phone calls and cards. She said she is working hard at her therapy so she can get back to her apartment at Pointe Frontier.*

*-Thelma Harrell has taken a couple of falls. Take care Thelma!*

I spoke with **Maureen Hurley's** husband on Thurs., and he gave me an update on how Maureen is doing. After returning home from being hospitalized for cellulitis, she is now recovering from an upper respiratory infection. Also, at some point she has strained her back. He says that although she doesn't feel like visiting on the phone, that we can call and speak to him to stay updated on how she is doing. Karen Lee

*-Marcy Iverson has been in the hospital and is now at Life Care Rehab. She said she is anxious to return to her apartment. Her son has been here, but will be leaving. Marcy wishes to thank X-JWC for the card that was sent to her.*

*-Carol Steinhour had a bout with pneumonia and ended up in the hospital for a few days. She is doing better, but gets exhausted. Carol would love to have visitors, phone calls and cards.*

*- Jean Rucker had a pace maker inserted in December and she says has lots more energy.*

*-Marie Kubal is now at home at Whispering Chase. Her new phone number is 214-8994 4350 East Lincolnway Apt. 404 82001*

### New Member



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*State GFWC [gfwcwyoming.org](http://gfwcwyoming.org)  
International GFWC [gfwc.org](http://gfwc.org)*

### **Tidbit from X-JWC Past 50 years**

X-JWC became very involved in Conservation in the 1970's. In addition to the puppetry club members worked with school children on tree planting, flower planting, and energy projections. Cans were collected for recycling and five granny afghans crocheted from scrap yarn were raffled. The proceeds from two raffles were given to the State President (1978-80) for her Conservation Project-the Wapiti Trout Pond for the handicapped near Cody, Wyoming.

### **President Speaks** Submitted by Bev Campbell



I hope you all have a great Valentine day. I also want to extend a personal thank you to all the helping hands who worked so hard to make the Bunco fundraiser a success. **THANK YOU!**

As I was doing the reports for the State and National I noticed that the reports do not encourage or emphasize the importance of growing the membership. I consider that to be one of the MOST IMPORTANT priorities. If we don't make an effort to increase our membership we WILL fall back to where we were about 7 years ago when we were in the low 40's for members. Carolyn Turbiville worked hard during her term and began increasing our membership. Our members have continued to work at increasing our membership and the result is that in 2014 and 2015 we have increased the membership by 19 with others to be installed in March. We must continue to make it a priority or our club will not be successful in participating in our community and meeting the goals of the club. I found something that the **Wyoming Federated Women's Club** created a long time ago. My understanding is that a new member wrote it. Let's make sure that never applies to us.

### **For the "old Member" from the 'New Member"**

*I see you at the meetings, but you never say hello,  
You're busy all the time you are there with those you already know,  
I sit among the people, yet I am a lonesome gal.  
The new members are strange as I, and the old timers pass me by.  
But darn it, you people asked me in, and talked of Friendship.  
You could just step across the room, but you never make the trip.  
Why can't you nod and say hello, then go and sit among your friends.  
Now that I understand, I'll be at your next meeting,  
Perhaps a nice afternoon to spend.  
Do you think you could introduce yourself?  
I want to be your friend.*

**CRAFTS:** During the month of January, 9 members got together and for the purpose of an International project, they cut out, sewed and stuffed 33 Operation



Smile dolls. Five of the Operation Smile bags were also made and will be filled with personal items like soap, shampoo, coloring book, crayons, etc for the child. It was a good time for all who participated.

On March 28<sup>th</sup>, the craft group will get together to paint flower pots. Time and location will be provided later. The pots will be used for the Home Life Project of providing plants to a non-profit organization (NEEDS) who in turn gives them to families receiving services. If you are interested in painting the pots please sign up.

Submitted by Jan Cline, Crafts Chairman

**Brainer Teaser:** Do not use a calculator for this:

You are driving a bus from New York City to Philadelphia.

In Staten Island, **17** people got on the bus.

In New Brunswick, **6** people get off the bus and **9** people get on.

In Windsor, **2** people get off and **4** get on.

In Trenton, **11** people get off and **16** people get on.

In Bristol, **3** people get off and **5** people get on.

And, in Camden, **6** people get off and **3** get on.

You then arrive at Philadelphia Station. Without going back to review, how old is the bus driver? (Answer on next page)

**Leadership tidbit,** submitted by Bev Campbell, State Leadership Chairman

Just a few simple but important thoughts and useful saying's this month.

- "To handle yourself, use your head; to handle others, use your heart." *Eleanor Roosevelt*
- "Our chief want is someone who will inspire us to be what we know we could be." *Ralph Waldo Emerson*
- Keep your fears to yourself, but share your courage with others." *Robert Louis Stevenson*
- "The greatest leader is not necessarily the one who does the greatest things. He is the one that gets the people to do the greatest things." *Ronald Reagan*
- "Power isn't control at all--power is strength, and giving that strength to others. A leader isn't someone who forces others to make him stronger; a

leader is someone willing to give his strength to others that they may have the strength to stand on their own." *Beth Revis*

- "Don't tell people how to do things, tell them what to do and let them surprise you with their results." *George Patton*

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Yoder Woman's Club would like to remind the members that every 5 years you need to reregister your phone numbers, also your cell phones. WITH DO NOT CALL.



The Do Not Call numbers has to be from the phone you are registering. The phone number is [1-888-382-1222](tel:1-888-382-1222) or you can go on line at Do not call and register all phones at one time.

***Businesses Who Generously Donated Gift Certificates  
for X-JWC Bunco and Bingo Fundraisers***

Brown's Shoe Fit Company  
Eileen's Colossal Cookies  
Grandma's Pickle Parlor  
Luxury Diner  
Perkins  
The Albany

Culver's  
The Prairie Pantry  
I.Qinary  
Peppermill  
Texas Roadhouse  
The Bread Basket

We appreciate the business's support in our fundraisers.

**We do thank them for their support!**

**Happy Valentine's Day**



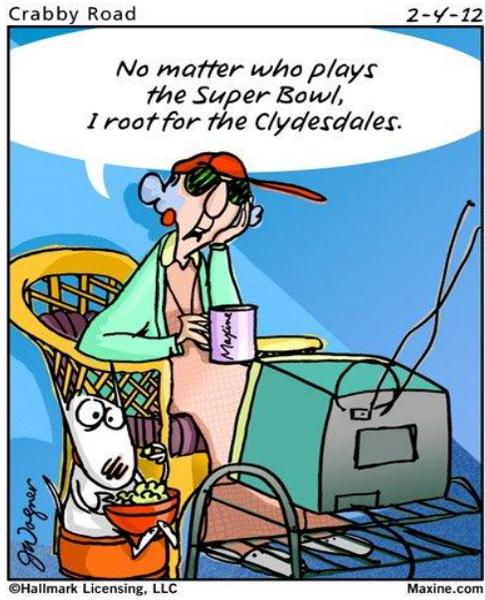
Answer to Brain Teaser-Now you can go back and review to find out who was driving the bus.

# Super Bowl 50 Sunday February 7

Denver Broncos



*Go Broncos*



Carolina Panthers



Go Panthers!

