



The Junior Circle

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Our next club meeting

is 6:30 p.m.,

Thursday, November 11th,
at the
Westminster Riding Club
for the Barter Dinner.

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The Co-Presidents' Message

Happy Thanksgiving!

I hope everyone had a fun Halloween!! So much excitement in the Brock household!!!

This is the month of giving thanks. With that said, our Annual Barter Dinner will be on November 11 at the Westminster Riding Club. This is a fun meeting. The Family Support Committee always feeds us well. We will have a guest speaker and do new member inductions! So please plan to attend and bring a friend. This is a great meeting to bring guests for introduction to GFWC. Don't forget your gift card to "barter" for your dinner. Contact Kristin Barmoy if you plan to attend.

Mark your calendars . . . We will be hosting the Mid-Winter Rally on January 29. The place for the event is pending. Please try to make this meeting. Also be sure to keep up with the calendar of events attached with the newsletter.

Thanks to all who showed up for the Halloween parade. What a fun night!! I think everyone enjoyed seeing all of the costumes.

Jessica and Cecilia



Family Support's Annual Barter Dinner



The Annual Barter Dinner is scheduled for November 11, 2010 at 6:30 p.m. (with social time) at the Westminster Riding Club, 366 North Colonial Avenue, Westminster. We plan to eat at 7:00, so please come a little early! The Barter Dinner is always fun with a lot of socializing and less business than usual!

The Family Support Committee will be cooking dinner for the club. In return, we ask each attending member or guest to bring either a monetary donation toward the purchase of grocery gift cards or a grocery gift card to one of the Westminster grocery stores. If you really want to shop, you could purchase household cleaning supplies, household paper products (like toilet paper, paper towels, etc.), or personal care items.

The club will then be helping two or three families for the holidays through the Neighbor's In Need program. (Details are currently being worked out.) There will also be Christmas tags with desired Christmas gifts for the families' members at the barter dinner. The wrapped and tagged gifts will then be collected from club members at the Christmas party and delivered to the families by the committee.

Thanks to everyone for your generosity!

Kristin & Wanda

Members on the Move

We would like to thank all our members, families and friends who came out to support, cook or volunteer for our Annual Chili Cook-Off! Now that November is upon us, it can mean only one thing . . . Barter Dinner. This year's dinner will again be held at The Riding Club on Thursday, November 11th; so please mark your calendars now. We are very excited to taste the delicious food being prepared by our Family Support Committee. Please remember to bring your grocery store gift cards or cash so you can "barter" for your meal. The Family Support Committee distributes the cards and money to needy families to purchase their own Thanksgiving dinners. During the evening we will be inducting our newest members and welcoming them into our club family. As December approaches, we draw closer to our Holiday Party. Please contact the Membership Committee, if you are interested in hosting the party at your home. Keep in mind that you need not prepare food or drink (this will be done by the Membership Committee), just share your home with us for the evening. Keep up the good work with wearing your name badges at the meetings!



Jesse & Sandy

Membership Word of the Month

Honeyfuggle (v.) 1. To obtain by deception

Congratulations to the members who answered it correctly: Kristin Barmoy, Jessica Brock, Pat Coburn & Vickie Kyle!

Appreciation for Your Service



Thanks to all who contributed to the Domestic Violence Vigil refreshment table on Tuesday, October 19. Everyone felt angry, confused and then inspired as we listened to several survivors of Domestic Violence as they told their stories for the first time in public. There was music, poetry and an uplifting feeling of success as we celebrated their freedom from their abusers. Jennifer Danko took time to publically recognize and thank our club for the delicious goodies. I would like to add my thanks to all who generously answered the call for help.

Babs

Introducing “Your Party Connection”

If anyone needs a DJ for the upcoming holidays or anytime (parties, weddings, etc.), my husband, Jimmy Hopple, has been a DJ for 29 years. We are trying to get his name, "Your Party Connection" out in the Westminster area. Please call us for any upcoming event you have planned. Call 410-596-6482 and lets see what we can work out.

Anita Hopple



Chili Cook Off 2010



The chili pots are hung up to dry for another season, the antacid bottles are empty and we want to extend a huge thank you to all the club members for making our 6th Annual Chili Cook Off a great success.

We appreciate all your time, hard work and effort that went into making this a great event.

It was a wonderful day and the weather was perfect for chili. The JWC kitchen was busy making and serving funnel cakes. There was a good turn out at the door. The Ravens versus Patriots football game added lots of excitement and the crowd stayed late to watch the end of the game. The vendor area was well attended. The children’s activities were a big hit. The final numbers show we made over \$14,000 to benefit Access Carroll.

Please know how much this money will allow Access Carroll to continue to serve the uninsured residents of Carroll County.

Please know how much your contributions of time, talent and hard work are making a difference in the lives of these patients.

Many thanks,
Trish and Tammy



One Present, Two Gifts

There's something for everyone on your holiday list at Amazon.com. And, for every purchase you make at Amazon.com, you can give two gifts with one purchase! Amazon will automatically donate up to 15 percent of your total purchase to GFWC. The referral funds we receive will help build stronger volunteer programs. For more information, visit www.GFWC.org/GFWCMembers and click “Affinity Programs & Benefits.”

- From GFWC News & Notes, October 28, 2010

15th Annual Santa's Workshop

GFWC STARS Juniorette Club of Westminster

(a volunteer service organization for girls in middle and high school)

Date: Saturday, December 11, 2010, 1 - 4 PM

For children ages 4 to 10 Cost: \$20 per child

All siblings of a full price child are just \$15.

Place: **St. Paul's United Church of Christ (Fellowship Hall)**

on the corner of Bond & Green Streets, Westminster



Our *Santa's Workshop* is a delightfully fun filled afternoon. Register your children and their friends to create a wonderful holiday memory they will want to repeat each year. Space is limited - so register early. Simply bring your child inside the Fellowship Hall just before 1 PM and return at 4 PM to pick them up - OR you may stay to watch if you wish. We will teach them how to make 10-12 crafts, provide juice and cookies and present a short holiday play for their entertainment.

Please register my child for the 15th Annual Santa's Workshop December 11, 2010.

Name of child: _____ age: _____

Address: _____

E-mail address for future mailings: _____

Emergency phone number during workshop: _____

Name of second child: _____ age: _____

Name of third child: _____ age: _____

Name of fourth child: _____ age: _____



Cut off the lower half of this form and mail BEFORE December 1, 2010 . . .

OR . . . call Babs @ 410-848-4171 to make sure there is still space.

Include check made payable to: The GFWC STARS Club of Westminster (see prices above)

Mail to: STARS CLUB, c/o 1224 Martin Drive, Westminster, MD 21157

GFWC Jr. Woman's Club of Westminster

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DATES TO REMEMBER

November 5-7	Southeastern Region Meeting / The Greenbrier Hotel, White Sulphur Springs, WV
November 11	Barter Dinner (November Meeting) / New Member Inductions
November 16 (Baltimore)	GFWC-MD: Board of Directors Meeting / Columbus Gardens
December 8	Holiday Open House/ GFWC Headquarters: Washington, D.C.
December 9	Holiday Party (December Meeting) / Gift Exchange / Bring Family Support Gifts
December 11	"Santa's Workshop"
January 13	Reporting Workshop (January Meeting) / Speaker / Dr. Seuss sign-up
January 29	Mid-Winter Rally / Westminster (We are hosting this event.)
February 10	February Meeting / Speaker
February 25/28	Dr. Seuss Readings @ Local Schools
March 10	March Meeting / Nominating Committee Alected Beneficiary Discussions Nominate Members for: Babs Condon Award/ Jr. Award/ Rookie of the Year
April ???	Tea Party Fund Raiser
April 14	April Meeting / Committee Preference Sheets & Brief Committee Overview Officer Nominations and Voting
April 30-May 1	GFWC State Meeting (Junior Day)
May 12	May Dinner (May Meeting) New Member Inductions Officer Installations Beneficiaries Announced

<h2>November Birthdays</h2> 	<h2>November Hostesses</h2>	<h2>Meals on Wheels</h2> 
<p>November 16th - Heidi Landry</p> 	<p>The Family Support Committee Kristin Barmoy & Wanda Dixon, Co-Chairs</p> <p>Lynne Brecker Jesse Corbi Kim Hinton Kris Ingalsbe Jen Mace Peggy Markovic Amy Michael</p>	<p>Contact: Martha Brown 410-848-6036</p> <p>November - & Martha Brown</p> <p>Call Martha, If you are able to assist with delivering meals to the seniors of our communities.</p>

Newsletter Deadline

Articles for the December newsletter are due by November 24th to Sandy Lynch. Articles can be e-mailed to sanlyn790@gmail.com, mailed to 3495 Woodholme Drive, Hampstead, MD 21074, or called to 410-970-6306.

News from the Editor

This month's revised Club Roster includes new member information for Brenda Marks.

The Junior Circle is published monthly for the GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Westminster, Inc. For more information about events and information, please contact Cecilia Alcorn at massagebycecilia@gmail.com or Jessica Brock at sweetpea1972@comcast.net. For questions concerning the electronic version of the newsletter, please contact Sandy Lynch at sanlyn790@gmail.com.

Thanks for helping with our club communications! Sandy

New Businesses Open

Loafers Glory is located at 812 South Main Street in Hampstead. ---Primitive . Colonial . Traditional . . . Home Accessories, Gatherings and Needfuls. Grand Opening & Christmas Open House scheduled for December 19, 20, and 21, 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m. Great time with drawings and refreshments and surprises.



Steamin Mad Crabs also located at 812 South Main Street in Hampstead. Telephone number is 410-374-2722. Seafood and Deli. Open 10:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m., seven days a week.

See Wanda Dixon, owner of Loafers Glory with any questions.

