GFWC AWARD/CONTEST DEADLINES

Unless otherwise indicated, members or clubs must submit entries for state judging prior to entering GFWC contests. After the state judging, GFWC Maryland Chairmen will submit winning entries to GFWC for national judging. Your club may be a winner!
Please see your **GFWC Club Manual** for complete details on all contests and awards. Entry guidelines may vary.

GFWC CREATIVITY AWARDS

GFWC presents a $50 Club Creativity Award to one club in the nation in each of the Community Service Programs (CSP), Special Programs (SP) and Advancement Plans.

Each state is permitted one entry in each CSP, SP and AP. These entries are selected by the state chairmen from the reports submitted by the individual clubs.

The deadline for club reports is **January 31, 2027** to the Vice President/Dean of Chairmen.

Special Programs

GFWC Signature Program: Domestic and Sexual Violence Awareness and Prevention
Juniors' Special Program: Advocates for Children

Community Service Programs

Arts & Culture
Civic Engagement & Outreach
Education & Libraries
Environment
Health & Wellness

Advancement Plans

Communication & Public Relations
Fundraising
Leadership
Legislation and Public Policy
Membership
Women's History & Resource Center

Community Impact Program Contest (January 1, 2026-December 31, 2027)
One club in each state receives a $100 first place award.
One club in each of the GFWC state membership categories receives a $2500.00 award.
Deadline: March 1, **2028** to State Chairman, Karen-Marie Wasik.

GFWC Contests	GFWC Award	Deadline	State Chairman
For Clubs:			
Newsletter Contest	Certificate	March 1, 2027	Jo Miller
Website Contest	Certificate	March 15, 2027	Becca Zarrelli
For Individuals:			
Photography Contest	$50-$100	State Convention	Wilsonia Cherry
Writing Contests		March 15, 2027	Jo Miller
Member	Certificate		
Youth (K-12)	Certificate		

Please contact state chairmen or consult the GFWC Club Manual for details and entry requirements.