


# Mayfield Women's Club, Inc. GFWC/OFWC

## Newsletter - April 2019

### Annual International Potluck & Basket Raffle

Monday, April 8, 2019 Mayfield Civic Center  
6222 Wilson Mills Road,  
Mayfield Village Doors Open & Raffle Ticket Sales  
Begin: 6:00 PM  
Dinner Begins: 7:00 PM - All Raffle items must be delivered by 5:00 PM

### *CO-PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE*

 Spring is officially here and we are currently working on making our Annual International Potluck Dinner and Chinese Raffle ready for April 8th. This year we are also including a Silent Auction which should be a fun event. Diane and I are both looking forward to seeing you there. We always have a great group of ladies to support our Scholarship Fund. See you there!

Diane and Georgene C

### April Program

- \* Annual International Potluck & Basket Raffle on April 8<sup>th</sup>!!! This event is great, fun for all, and an amazing Club fundraiser!
- \*The Committee needs all donations/baskets and other items to be dropped off at the Civic Center between 4-5 PM. This is so the Committee has time to arrange the tables. If you cannot make it by 5:00 PM, you must give your items to a member who is coming by 5:00 PM or earlier. Marie E [440-449-8639] will take baskets ahead of time **until Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>** and bring them to the Civic Center for you.
- \*Questions? Contact Vaughn W or Cathy W

### Committee Notes

#### Annual Meeting & Installation Banquet

Saturday, June 1, 20 19 - - 11 :30 AM - - Pine Ridge Country Club in Wickliffe. \*Sign-up will be available at International Potluck

NOTE: Checks MUST be given to Barb Schaefer by Monday, May 20. Checks should be made payable to the Mayfield Women's Club, Inc. GFWC/OFWC for \$25. Audrey will accept checks at the Potluck.

#### Conservation

I read on my Facebook page that a dead whale had washed ashore in the Philippines that had 88 pounds of plastic bags in its stomach, as reported by the National Geographic. Eighty-eight pounds! I know that a whale is large (this one tipped the scales at 1 100 pounds), but that amount of plastic is horrific! Does that affect us? Much of the plastic in the world contains carcinogenic elements, and if marine life is ingesting the plastic, it is getting into our food supply, as well as killing the animals.

While we cannot fix the problem worldwide, there are things we can do to make a dent in this problem. Here are 10 ways we can help: Wean yourself off disposable plastics

Boycott microbeads

*STOP* buying bottled water  
Cook more

Purchase items second hand  
 Bring your garment bags to the dry cleaners  
 Put Pressure on manufacturers

Buy in Bulk  
 Recycle (duh!)

Sue K

### **GFWC-Ohio Federation of Women's Clubs - Lake Erie District Legislation Day 2019**

Our Club won several Awards at Legislation Day for Outstanding Participation in: -

District:	Arts
	Communications and Public Relations
	Conservation
	Education
	Fund raising
	GFWC Junior Special Project: Advocates for Children
	GFWC Ohio Junior Scorecard Participation
	GFWC Signature Project: Domestic Violence Awareness & Prevention
	Home Life
	International Outreach
	Junior Special Emphasis - USO, Mobile Canteen
	Leadership
	Membership
	Public Issues
	Women's History and Resource Center
Special Recognition	First Club to turn in the Annual Report
State:	GFWC Ohio Annual Report
Traveling Award	The Gerry Gallagher Bowl. Donated by Eastlake Women's Club. Bowl is returned at the next Legislation Day.

-- Congrats to all MWC Members--

Betty Jo

### **Membership**

A warm welcome to Cheney B and Barbara K who were installed at our March meeting! Our numbers are growing as we now have 45 members!

Please add the following contact information to your Yearbook:

Guest Joan O attended her second meeting and has been given an application for membership. We look forward to her joining us!

Sally Y

Congratulations to our 2019-2020 MWC Officers who were elected at our March meeting:

<u>Co-Presidents</u>	<u>Georene C and Diane S</u>
<u>First Vice President (Membership)</u>	Sally Y
Second VP (Programs)	Joan and Loretta
Recording Secretary	Nan Morgan
Corresponding Secretary	Marcia
Treasurer	Audrey
Parliamentarians	Martii and Mary Ann



4/ 1 1 Carolyn A



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4/23 Barb P



- Monday, May 20
- Mayfield Village Civic Center
- Greeting Hostess: Loretta - Arrive at 5:30 PM • Please bring a devotion to read
- Serving Hostesses: Judy W /Chairperson), Carolyn A, Marty N, Sheila W

**May Newsletter** information is due Friday, **May 3<sup>rd</sup>**. Please send to either [mpecjakmwc@gmail.com](mailto:mpecjakmwc@gmail.com) or [mapc5175@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mapc5175@sbcglobal.net)

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