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GFWC Kitsap Peninsula Buzzings

May 2025



President's Message –Happy Mother's Day! We will have a speaker at our meeting from Shepherd's Table. Congratulations to Juanita for 70 years in Federation!

See you soon, *Nancy Burdick*
GFWC Kitsap Peninsula President



Next Meeting May 15th, 12:30 pm
St. Paul's Episcopal Church

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Calendar

- May 8 Happy Birthday Juanita!
- May 11 Happy Mother's Day
- May 15 May Meeting**
- Jun 5-9 GFWC Convention in Atlanta
- Jun 6 -8 Tractor Pull/Swap Meet
- Jun 19 June Meeting

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Things to Save and Bring to the Next Meeting

- A friend**
- Food for Food Bank
 - Used Towels for Humane Society
 - Used Card Fronts
 - Plastic Bread Tags
 - Items for Scarlet Road
 - Pop Tabs
 - Bingo Prizes for assisted living home.
 - Craft supplies for Vintage Retirement Home

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Meeting Host Pat is host for May.

Shepherd's Table cookie bakers Pat, Sue, and Sally for April.



GFWC-Washington State Convention- Julie, Sally, and Nancy attended convention in Longview. It was a shortened convention (2 days) held in a community center. GFWC Kitsap won Civic Engagement and Mark of Excellence awards. Sally Gill won the Clubwoman of the Year. We had a speaker about emergency preparedness. We had fun meeting other GFWC members.



Tractor Pull- We will have a booth at the Tractor Pull/Swap Meet the first weekend in June. It will be at the Kitsap County Fairgrounds. We will be selling yard sale items so start collecting/saving items that we can sell. Set up will be on Friday afternoon.



Bingo Prizes- We are collecting bingo prizes for Canterbury Manor and Pinewood Manor. Small items for adults are needed (jewelry, books, small games) at Canterbury. For Pinewood, personal items like small household items, paper towels and breakfast or snack items.

Plastic Bread Tags – GFWC Apple Blossom Club is collecting the tags for "Danielle Cares for Chairs." The money from recycling goes to wheelchairs for kids.



scarlet ROAD (Safe place for girls to get off the streets). In need of stress balls, essential oils, stress relieving teas, inspirational stones, heat packs, colored pencils, gift cards (Fred Meyer, Walmart) snacks (organic applesauce, cheese sticks, nuts).

Juanita's 90th Birthday Party. Juanita's grandchildren held a surprise birthday party for her. Our club was asked to help. Several members helped with the food and invited her friends. We presented her with a pin for 70 years of membership in GFWC.



Juanita receiving her pin.



Carlene, Nina, Gail, Donna, Cindy, Laura, Nancy, Kathy Beth, Sue, and Juanita with Flat Mabel.

Diapers – We collected and donated **604** diapers to KidVantage.



Humane Society – We continue to collect old towels for the Humane Society. You can also make cage blankets, 18 X 27 inches.

Meet & Greet – We held a “Meet & Greet” at Subway on Kitsap Way in West Bremerton. Nancy, Sally, Julie, and Pat attended. One of the workers was interested. Plans are to hold more events during the summer at other locations.



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