



GFWC Florida

GENERAL FEDERATION of WOMEN'S CLUBS
living the volunteer spirit



FACT SHEET

- GFWC Florida (www.gfwcflorida.org) is comprised of 193 women's clubs with 8,400 club members across the state of Florida.
- Volunteers from GFWC Florida clubs across the state attend to the diverse needs of their local communities through hands-on service projects, fundraising, education, leadership and friendship.
- While diverse in age, ethnicity, interests, and experiences, GFWC Florida clubwomen are united by a desire to create positive change in their communities.
- In 2019, GFWC Florida club women across the state volunteered over 850,000 hours and donated over \$3.5 million in grants, scholarships, cash and in-kind donations.
- GFWC Florida is a volunteer, non-profit 501c3 organization headquartered at 4444 Florida National Drive, Lakeland, FL, 33813
- GFWC Florida was organized in 1895, admitted to the General Federation of Women's Clubs in 1898 and incorporated in 1915
- GFWC Florida is a member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs (www.gfwc.org). Founded in 1890 and now 80,000 members strong, GFWC is united in its dedication to volunteer community service. While diverse in age, interests, and experiences, GFWC clubwomen in all 50 states and 14 countries are united by a desire to create positive change in their communities.
- GFWC is distinguished by the breadth of our outreach. Club women serve their communities in the areas of arts & culture, civic engagement & outreach, education & libraries, environment and health & wellness. Signature projects include domestic violence awareness & prevention and advocating for children.
- In any given week, GFWC clubwomen across the state of Florida are preparing meals for the homeless, sewing blankets for kids in foster care, supporting our veterans, collecting and promoting literacy by distributing new and gently used books to children, and much more.

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