

GFWC Florida Award Winners, 2019 reporting year:

LEADS Winner -- Metris Batts Coley, GFWC Miami Woman's Club, District 11

LEADS Alternate -- Stephanie Vasbinder, GFWC Jupiter Tequesta Junior Woman's Club, District 10

Volunteer of the Year -- Kathy Adams Pacheco GFWC Ft. Walton Beach Woman's Club, District 1

Charlotte Meeds Smith Junior Volunteer of the Year -- Jenny Rubin GFWC New Tampa Junior Woman's Club, District 8

Outstanding Chairman -- Kelly Holmes, Credentials Chairman and Legislation & Public Policy Chairman

Outstanding Junior Chairman -- Monique Allnutt, Registration Chairman

President's Gold Star Outstanding Chairman Award:

Sheryl Molter, GFWC Florida State Meetings Chairman

Outstanding District Director -- Theresa Crockett, District 4

Ginny Winsemann Outstanding Junior District Director -- Cheryl Van Buren, District 7

Unity in Diversity Award -- DD Candi Aubin & JDD Lauren Hayman, District 3

Women Returning to Work Scholarship Winners --

Jaelyn Benyard seeking Pharmacy Degree

Jennifer Chouinard single mom seeking masters in Family Practitioner

Sherie Evans seeking degree in Respiratory Therapy

Overall Website Winner

GFWC Naples Woman's Club--District 12

Short Stories:

Anita Jenkins-Hudson's Mom

Karen Sue Molis-Cat to Cow

Poems:

Donna Richardson-Just Because

Julie Babcock-Simple Things

Cheryl Benton-My Mirror

Club History Awards

GFWC Woman's Club of Macclenny

GFWC Santa Rosa Woman's Club

GFWC Arlington Woman's Club

Orange Park Woman's Club

Woman's Club Membership Increase

Category 1 - 75% Crawfordville Woman's Club (overall winner)

Category 2 - 31% Davie Woman's Club

Category 3 - 29% Cocoa Beach Woman's Club

Category 4 - 24% GFWC Fabulous Florida Flamingo Flock

Category 5 - 29% GFWC Woman's Club of Tarpon Springs

Joyce Johnston Junior Membership Increase

Category 1 - 73% GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Fernandina Beach (overall winner)

Category 2 - 21% GFWC Tallahassee Junior Woman's Club

Category 3 - 22% GFWC Brandon Junior Woman's Club

Teddy Hulse Junior to Junior Interaction Award: GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Midtown & GFWC Tallahassee Junior Woman's Club

Judy Lutz Federation Interaction Award:

GFWC Tallahassee Woman's Club, GFWC Capital City Woman's Club, GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Midtown & GFWC Tallahassee Junior Woman's Club

Youth Leadership Scholarships:

Alyssa Croft - nominated by GFWC St. Petersburg Junior Woman's Club

Veronica Jackson - nominated by GFWC Lake Placid Woman's Club

Duncan McEntyre - nominated by GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Lakeland

Autumn Miller - nominated by GFWC Plant City Junior Woman's Club

Alexandera Schaffer - nominated by GFWC Temple Terrace Junior Woman's Club

Madeline Schatzinger - nominated by GFWC Brandon Junior Woman's Club

Hannah Warkentin - nominated by GFWC Lake Placid Junior Woman's Club

Mary Ann Taylor Child Advocacy Award: Jennifer Craig, GFWC Tallahassee Junior Woman's Club on behalf of Sleep in Heavenly Peace

Nancy Crawford Leadership Award: Michelle Peragine, GFWC Lake Placid Junior Woman's Club

Gail Hill Smith Marketing Award: GFWC St. Petersburg Junior Woman's Club

Jennie June Croly Scholarship: Symantha Brott, GFWC South Brevard Junior Woman's Club

One Voice for Children Grants:

-- GFWC St. Petersburg Junior Woman's Club

-- GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Lakeland

-- GFWC Plant City Junior Woman's Club

-- GFWC Tallahassee Junior Woman's Club

-- GFWC South Brevard Junior Woman's Club

Community Improvement Awards -- Debbie Struk, Chairman

3rd place: GFWC Melbourne Woman's Club

2nd place: GFWC North Pinellas Woman's Club & GFWC St. Petersburg Junior Woman's Club

1st place: GFWC FT. Walton Beach Woman's Club

Woman's Club History Awards -- AJ Maier, Chairman

Orange Park Woman's Club

GFWC Woman's Club of Macclenny

GFWC Santa Rosa Woman's Club

GFWC Arlington Woman's Club

Overall Winner: GFWC Naples Woman's Club

Women's History Resource Center Winners -- Theresa Crockett, Chairman (no Junior awards)

Category 1 GFWC Woman's Club of Crestview

Category 2 GFWC Arlington Woman's Club

Category 3 GFWC Miami Woman's Club

Category 4 Orange Park Woman's Club

Category 5 The Woman's Club of Coconut Grove

Anniversary Clubs:

50 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Coral Springs Woman's Club

75 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Plant City Junior Woman's Club

100 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Eau Gallie Woman's Club

100 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Woman's Club of Macclenny

100 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Woman's Club of Lake Wales

105 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Indian River Federation

105 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Vero Beach Woman's Club

105 Years of Community Service -- Sorosis of Orlando

110 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Woman's Club of Leesburg

110 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Historic Brooksville Woman's Club

115 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Woman's Club of Tallahassee

115 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Oveido Woman's Club

120 Years of Community Service -- GFWC High Springs New Century Woman's Club

125 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Crescent City Woman's Club

125 Years of Community Service -- Village Improvement Assoc., Orange City Woman's Club

125 Years of Community Service -- Village Improvement Assoc., Green Cove Springs

and HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO US.....

125 Years of Community Service -- GFWC Florida Federation of Women's Clubs!

President's Project Smiles Across the Miles:

Category 1 GFWC Woman's Club of the Villages

Category 2 GFWC Woman's Club of Lake Wales

Category 3 GFWC Woman's Club of Welaka

Category 4 GFWC Gulf Coast Woman's Club

Category 5 GFWC Tampa Woman's Club

You Make Me Smile Awards (Top funds donated for Operation Smile):

2nd Place District 8 GFWC Tampa Woman's Club \$8,200

1st Place District 4 GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Fernandina Beach \$10,200

Operation Smile totals: GFWC Florida Reported 32,190 volunteer hours in 2019

2018 & 2019: \$30,905.70 in kind

2018: \$127,507.55 cash

2019: \$140,000 cash

Total cash to Operation Smile for 2018-2020: over \$265,000 will be presented in Fall 2020

GOLDEN TICKETS will be pulled at Fall Board, September 2020

Director's Project, Book Heroes:

Category 1 GFWC Pasco Junior Woman's Club

Category 2 GFWC New Tampa Junior Woman's Club

Category 3 GFWC St. Petersburg Junior Woman's Club
Book Heroes totals: 104,832 books donated May 2018-December 2019

Category winners -- we will ONLY announce 1st Place Winners for now:

Woman's Club Arts Winners -- Mary Jane Neale and Anita Long, Chairmen

Category 1 GFWC Brandon Service League

Category 2 Village Improvement Association, Green Cove Springs

Category 3 GFWC Woman's Club of Welaka

Category 4 GFWC High Springs New Century Woman's Club

Category 5 GFWC Lutz Land O'Lakes Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club Arts Winners -- Lauren Yeatter, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Tampa Junior Woman's Club

Category 2 GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Lakeland

Category 3 GFWC Brandon Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club Conservation Winners -- Elizabeth Fisher, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Greater West Palm Beach Women's Club

Category 2 GFWC Coral Springs Woman's Club

Category 3 GFWC Ft. Walton Beach Woman's Club

Category 4 GFWC Fabulous Florida Flamingo Florida-A Cyber Club

Category 5 GFWC Lutz Land O'Lakes Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club Conservation Winners -- Susan Rhea, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Orlando Junior Woman's Club

Category 2 GFWC Valrico Service League

Category 3 GFWC Four Corner Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club Education Winners -- Paula Lou Mapoles, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Milton Woman's Club

Category 2 GFWC Coral Springs Woman's Club

Category 3 GFWC Fort Walton Beach Woman's Club

Category 4 GFWC Oviedo Woman's Club & GFWC Temple Terrace Woman's Club

Category 5 GFWC North Pinellas Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club Education Winners -- Betty Medina, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Pasco Junior Woman's Club

Category 2 GFWC Temple Terrace Junior Woman's Club

Category 3 GFWC Naples Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club Home Life Winners -- Mireya Kilmon, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Woman's Club of Crestview

Category 2 GFWC Palm Beach Gardens Woman's Club

Category 3 GFWC Jacksonville Beaches Woman's Club

Category 4 GFWC Lakeshore Woman's Club

Category 5 GFWC Lutz Land O'Lakes Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club Home Life Winners -- Joanna Williams, Chairman

- Category 1 GFWC South Lake Junior Woman's Club
- Category 2 GFWC Tallahassee Junior Woman's Club
- Category 3 GFWC Four Corners Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club International Outreach Winners -- Elena Coates, Chairman

- Category 1 GFWC Greater West Palm Beach Women's Club
- Category 2 GFWC Palm Beach Gardens Woman's Club
- Category 3 GFWC Satellite Beach Woman's Club
- Category 4 GFWC Gulf Coast Woman's Club
- Category 5 GFWC Lutz Land o Lakes Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club International Outreach Winners -- Sherry Clendenin, Chairman

- Category 1 GFWC Orlando Junior Woman's Club
- Category 2 GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Lakeland
- Category 3 GFWC Lake Placid Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club Public Issues Winners -- Eleanor Foisy, Chairman

- Category 1 GFWC Greater West Palm Beach Women's Club
- Category 2 Village Improvement Association, Green Cove Springs
- Category 3 GFWC Crystal River Woman's Club
- Category 4 GFWC Temple Terrace Woman's Club
- Category 5 GFWC Lutz Land O'Lakes Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club Public Issues Winners -- Vi Zonfrelli, Chairman

- Category 1 GFWC Pasco Junior Woman's Club
- Category 2 GFWC Temple Terrace Junior Woman's Club
- Category 3 GFWC Four Corner Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club Fundraising Winners -- Michele Small, Chairman

- Category 1 GFWC First Coast Woman's Club
- Category 2 GFWC Coral Gables Woman's Club
- Category 3 GFWC Woman's Club of Welaka
- Category 4 GFWC Plantation Woman's Club
- Category 5 GFWC Naples Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club Fundraising Winners -- Mackensi Beers, Chairman

- Category 1 GFWC Williston Junior Woman's Club
- Category 2 GFWC Valrico Service League
- Category 3 GFWC Plant City Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club ESO Winners -- Stephanie Cantrell, Chairman (no Junior awards)

- Category 1 GFWC Greater West Palm Beach Women's Club
- Category 2 GFWC Philaco Woman's Club of Apalachicola
- Category 3 GFWC Mount Dora Woman's Club
- Category 4 GFWC Lakeshore Woman's Club
- Category 5 GFWC Rotonda West Woman's Club

Woman's Club Newsletter Winners -- Laurie Auth, Chairman (no Junior awards)

- Category 1 GFWC Capital City Woman's Club

Category 2 GFWC Wewahitchka Woman's Club
Category 3 GFWC Jacksonville Beaches Woman's Club
Category 4 GFWC Woman's Club of Palatka
Category 5 GFWC North Pinellas Woman's Club

Woman's Club Yearbook Winners -- Laurie Auth, Chairman (no Junior awards)

Category 1 GFWC Brandon Service League
Category 2 GFWC Arlington Woman's Club
Category 3 GFWC Crystal River Woman's Club
Category 4 Orange Park Woman's Club
Category 5 GFWC Lutz Land O'Lakes Woman's Club

Woman's Club GFWC Signature Program (Domestic Violence Awareness & Prevention) Winners -- Kathleen Hudson, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Greater West Palm Beach Women's Club
Category 2 GFWC Wewahitchka Woman's Club
Category 3 The Miami Woman's Club
Category 4 GFWC Miami Springs Woman's Club
Category 5 GFWC Grand Haven Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club GFWC Signature Program (Domestic Violence Awareness & Prevention) Winners -- Carla Connelly, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Pasco Junior Woman's Club
Category 2 GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Fernandina Beach
Category 3 GFWC Lake Placid Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club Juniors' Special Program Winners -- Candy Jackson, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Brandon Service League
Category 2 GFWC United Women's Club of Lakeland
Category 3 GFWC Williston Woman's Club
Category 4 GFWC Coco Plum Woman's Club
Category 5 GFWC North Pinellas Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club Juniors' Special Program Winners -- Michelle Cortazzo, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Williston Junior Woman's Club
Category 2 GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Lakeland
Category 3 GFWC St. Petersburg Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club Leadership Winners -- Bert Alberti, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Greater West Palm Beach Women's Club
Category 2 GFWC Palm Beach Gardens Woman's Club
Category 3 The Miami Woman's Club
Category 4 GFWC Miami Springs Woman's Club
Category 5 GFWC North Pinellas Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club Leadership Winners -- Joanne Schiefer, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Williston Junior Woman's Club
Category 2 GFWC New Tampa Junior Woman's Club

Category 3 GFWC Plant City Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club Membership Winners -- Sara Dessureau, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Greater West Palm Beach Women's Club

Category 2 GFWC Woman's Club of Lake Wales

Category 3 Cocoa Beach Woman's Club

Category 4 GFWC Fabulous Florida Flamingo Flock

Category 5 GFWC North Pinellas Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club Membership Winners -- Candice Postel, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Tampa Junior Woman's Club

Category 2 GFWC Temple Terrace Junior Woman's Club

Category 3 GFWC Brandon Junior Woman's Club

Woman's Club Legislation & Public Policy Winners -- Kelly Holmes, Chairman (no Junior awards)

Category 1 Lake Butler Woman's Club

Category 2 Village Improvement Association, Green Cove Springs

Category 3 GFWC Jacksonville Beaches Woman's Club

Category 4 GFWC Lakeshore Woman's Club

Category 5 The Woman's Club of Coconut Grove

Woman's Club Communications & Public Relations Winners -- Libby Sewell, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Greater West Palm Beach Women's Club

Category 2 GFWC Coral Gables Woman's Club

Category 3 GFWC Treasure Coast Women

Category 4 GFWC Temple Terrace Woman's Club

Category 5 GFWC Naples Woman's Club

Junior Woman's Club Communications & Public Relations Winners -- Nia Ramo, Chairman

Category 1 GFWC Pasco Junior Woman's Club

Category 2 GFWC Junior Woman's Club of Lakeland

Category 3 GFWC Four Corner Junior Woman's Club

GFWC 7 Grand Initiatives totals for 2019

3,502 Number of Trees Planted by clubs/ members on Arbor Day (215 in 2018)

50 Projects done by clubs/ members for women in the military (48 in 2018)

5,001 Number of pairs of shoes donated by clubs /members to Soles 4 Souls Nike Re Use a Shoe program (1,145 in 2018)

1,078 Number of Dr. Seuss Books donated by clubs/members to local inner city programs (31,796 in 2018)

253 Dr. Seuss Books donated to GFWC to distribute to Washington DC inner city programs

42 Programs for Martin Luther King Day 1-2020 (plus 14 reported for 2019)

791 Calls/Emails/Letters on September 23, 2019 urging passing of Miranda's Law plus 100 additional calls on other than September 23, 2019

750 Calls/Emails/Letters on October 23, 2019 urging passing of 3D Gun Safety Act plus 85 additional calls on other than October 23, 2019

105 Number of Club/State Projects planned to celebrate the 100th Anniversary of Women winning the right to vote

114 GFWC Florida Clubs donated to Turning Point Suffragist Memorial

272 Members signed up for Legislative Action Center

GFWC Florida joins the Million Dollar Club

GFWC Florida Campaigns with a resolution with the Florida Legislators for May Mann Jennings to be admitted to Women's History Hall of Fame-Florida.

Total GFWC Florida reporting figures-for 2019 8,407 Members—187 clubs

Woman's Clubs: 7,511 members —141 clubs

Junior Woman's Clubs: 573 members –30 clubs

Juniorette Clubs: 323 members—16 clubs

Total Projects 12,889 (Juniors: 1,616)

Volunteer Hours 1,235,289 (Juniors: 34,271)

In Kind Donations \$1,496,847 (Juniors: \$161,320)

Dollars Donated \$2,335,506 (Juniors: \$144,557)

ESO Books Read 4,410, Hours of Reading 99,922

GFWC Rotonda West Woman's Club Members alone read 2,086 Books!

Grand Bahamas Children's Home donations totaling over 1,400 books, toiletries, and personal care items. Plus we will donate \$1,485 in funds from GFWC Florida Clubs.

Day of Service totals: Chairman Jeri Lyn Cancel

2018 Very Special Arts mosaic mural, plus \$1,200 in 2019 and \$1400 in 2020.

2019 Orlando Fisher House making spaghetti, salad and writing cards of encouragement- Gave over \$500 in gift cards.

Other donations from 2019 remittance forms:

Canine Companions for Independence \$2,000 (plus \$4,300 from 2018)

Heifer International \$2,200 (plus \$2,100 from 2018)

HOBY \$7,800 (plus \$7500 from 2018)

Turning Point Suffragist Memorial \$1389.75

GFWC Capital Campaign \$2,000

March of Dimes \$800 (plus \$800 from 2018)

St. Jude Research Hospital \$1,220 (plus \$1100 from 2018)

Shot @ Life \$ 2,200 (plus \$1950 from 2018)