

## Woman's Club of Rock Springs

### October 2022 Newsletter

P.O. Box 314

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### Upcoming Meetings

#### MEETING

#### DATE/TIME/LOCATION

Board:	Thursday, October 6, 2022 @ 10:30 a.m. at White Mountain Library
Literature:	Monday, October 11, 2022 @ 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Health and Human Services building at 333 Broadway, Rock Springs.
General:	Tuesday, October 18, 2022 @ 11:30 a.m. at Lew's Restaurant, 1506 9 <sup>th</sup> Street, Rock Springs, \$15.00 cost of meal includes food, non-alcoholic beverage, and tip.
Busy Hands:	Tuesday, October 25, 2022 @ 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. in the Conference Room of the Health and Human Services building at 333 Broadway, Rock Springs.

### IMPORTANT

#### Next General Meeting

On Tuesday, October 18<sup>th</sup>, at 11:30 a.m., we will have a lunch meeting at Lew's, located at 1506 9<sup>th</sup> Street in Rock Springs. Their phone number is 307-382-9894. Cost for the lunch is \$15.00 and includes the meal, a non-alcoholic beverage, and tip. You may select from the following three choices:

1. **French Dip Sandwich** – sliced roast beef on a roll, with au jus and pickles on the side. Comes with a choice of French fries, mashed potatoes, garden salad, or fresh fruit.
2. **Deluxe Cheeseburger** – 8 oz. ground chuck patty made in-house with American or Pepper Jack cheese, lettuce, tomato, and onion, with pickles on the side on a pretzel bun. Comes with French fries, mashed potatoes, garden salad, or fresh fruit.
3. **Citrus Chicken Salad** – Mixed greens served with citrus fruits, cranberries, bleu cheese crumbles, and raspberry vinaigrette. Topped with grilled chicken strips and candied pecans.

When you receive a phone call from Cindy Moore to confirm your attendance, please let her know your food selection.

Our guest speaker will be Debra Moerke, author and women's advocate from Casper, Wyoming. She will be presenting to the club her plans for opening McKenzie Home, which will provide support and housing for single pregnant women. Soon, Debra's vision will come to fruition in bringing this service to our community.

### **100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration – Saturday, October 22, 2022**

This is a HUGE event, ladies! Hopefully, most, if not all, of our members will participate in the celebration. Several GFWC dignitaries from Wyoming and possibly even Washington D.C. will attend. Attendees from our group will dress up in clothes from the decade of their choice, if they want. The Actors' Mission has graciously offered to loan us clothes reflecting the time periods. Contact Gwendolyn Rydberg at 307-350-6327 and let her know that Norma Prevadel referred us.

Deb McGarvey, Marcia Volner, and Kimberly Kellum are on the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary committee and can answer any questions you might have. No matter what you decide to wear, members are asked to dress in their "Sunday best" for this event.

The celebration will take place at the Rock Springs Historical Museum at 201 B Street from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. Volunteers are needed in the morning to help set up. If you'd like to help, please contact Deb McGarvey or Marcia Volner for more information.

### **New Members**

We welcomed two new members at the September 20<sup>th</sup> meeting, Marty Politi and Charlene Stilton. We look forward to getting to know them better!

### **Fundraising**

The GFWC Fall Workshop will have the following items for sale on their website:

Aprons – on sale from \$25 to \$10

Horse and Rider pins are \$5 each

Pronghorn magnets are \$1 each

**As a club, we are always gathering the following items to donate. Please let Lynn Mornar know if there are any corrections, additions, or deletions to this list.**

**Dimes** – We will continue to strive for the Mile of Dimes for the *March of Dimes*.

**Art Supplies** – Leslie Jo Gatti asked members to collect art supplies for local schools. Budget cuts have seriously affected the art department. Needed items include: drawing pads, colored

pencils (**NO CRAYONS!**), art erasers, construction paper, Q-tips, styrofoam plates, small paper plates, flour, Sharpies, wax paper, aluminum foil, shaving cream, hair spray and rubbing alcohol. Members should bring supplies to the September General Meeting on September 20. Debra Soule has agreed to have a collection box at the Fine Arts Center; items can also be dropped off at Leslie Jo's house, 912 Peachwood Drive in Rock Springs.

### **New Business**

As we enter the next century of this vital community organization, it has been suggested that it is a good time to consider renaming the club with an identity that is more inclusive, giving recognition to the contributions made by women who happen to live in towns other than Rock Springs. To achieve that aim, it is proposed that the Rock Springs Woman's Club become the **Women's Club of Sweetwater County (WCSC)**. This an important proposal that calls for input from all the members of the Club. As of this writing, it is anticipated that the vote will take place at the General Meeting on November 15, 2022. You must be present for your vote to count.

### **Fundraising**

Terri Lynn Nuts are available to order on our Facebook Page and Website. Nuts will be sent directly to your home and our Club gets a donation. Our website address is: [www.gfwcrocksprings.org](http://www.gfwcrocksprings.org). There is a "donate" button on both sites. Please sign up for Smith's and Amazon Smile so that we can get a quarterly donation from these organizations. See Marcia Volner for details.

### **State Information**

WCRS website: [www.gfwcrocksprings.org](http://www.gfwcrocksprings.org)

WCRS Facebook Page: Woman's Club of Rock Springs GFWCWyoming

GFWC State Website: [www.gfwcwyoming.org/](http://www.gfwcwyoming.org/)

GFWC State Facebook: [www.facebook.com/WomansClubWY](http://www.facebook.com/WomansClubWY)

International Website: [www.GFWC.org](http://www.GFWC.org)

All information for the newsletter is to be sent to [lynnmornar@gmail.com](mailto:lynnmornar@gmail.com) Please text or call Lynn at 630-308-1375 to let me know to look for your email.

*Hope to see you all at the October meeting at Lew's Restaurant! Cost of the lunch is \$15.00. If any of you need a ride, please contact Deb McGarvey (307-212-1214) if you live in Rock Springs and Lynn Mornar (630-308-1375) if you live in Green River.*