

FAIRFIELD GLADE LADIES CLUB
GENERAL MEETING MINUTES
Minutes of November 1, 2017

Pledge of Allegiance – Introduced by Colleen Mall Lead by Senior Chief Gunners-mate Jack Fogel. Jack Fogel is the coordinator for the Cumberland County Veterans Assistance Council (CCVAC). He formed the CCVAC in 2014 understanding the need for helping veterans in emergency situations in Cumberland County. He might say a few words about the CCVAC as that organization is the Service project for December. When he isn't glued to the computer involved with other Veterans Organizations issues, he is out in his yard doing gardening and trying not to have the worst lawn in the neighborhood. He loves his 20 different varieties of hosta plants. He served 28 years in the U.S. Navy, retiring in 1986. TN and Crossville, is where his love for the veterans and our country took root and has stayed. He was stationed on eight different ships and was a Boat Captain on River Patrol Boats in Vietnam for four years during his career. During his last three years in the Navy he was attached to the Chief of Naval Technical Training Command in Millington, TN, where he was a Training Program Coordinator over seeing four separate weapons training schools throughout the U.S. During his last years in the Navy he received a Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering Degree while going to school at night. He later took Computer Engineering classes for two years. He retired for the second time in 2007 from Federal Express Ground as the Regional Maintenance Manager for the Southeast Division out of Memphis, TN. He currently resides in Crossville with his wife (Julie) of 37 years, who is with us today.

The minutes of the June General Meeting conducted October 4, 2017 were approved.

Ms Goodman recognized the following sponsors :

There are 16 attendees representing 9 of our sponsors at the Fairfield Glade Ladies Club November 1, 2017 Luncheon. They are:

- Mart Witt with Witt Financial Group;
- B.J. Brown from Crye-Leike/Brown Realty;
- Andrea Held of Good Samaritans Society- Fairfield Glade;
- Christine Gage & Janet Morningstar with Mays The Downsizers;
- Jennifer Thompson, Marketing/PR Manager and David Manestar, Physical Therapy Manager from Cumberland Medical Center;
- Janice Seymore from Dr. Gallaher Plastic Surgery and Spa;
- Dr. Tammy Collins and Ellen Sells with Crossville Medical Group;
- Karen Dunivan representing Zurich Homes;
- Ronnie Brock and Robbie McCluskey from Hiller Plumbing, Heating, Cooling & Electric Company;
- Josh Lee Assistant Executive Director and Jeanine Bennett of Life Care Center of Crossville.

- Nancy Burns of Crain Burns Associates LLC.

News Reporter/available/ purpose: The news reporter is sponsored by Nancy Burns, Crain Burns Associates LLC. There are copies on each table and additional copies are up on the stage platform.

COMMITTEE REORTS:

Membership: (Becky Price, Wyonne Morningstar):

- Membership Total as of October 30 is 448, of those 41 are new.
- New Members: Gayle Burroughs, LuAnn Klein, Pat Richmond
- Guests: Julie Bockman, Mary Box, Linda Coulter, Diane Dolan, Dianne Garmany, Ruth Hughes, Louise Keeton, Arlene Kozemzak, Nancy Leach, Sharon Moore, Julie Moore, Joni Peters, Vivian Ressler, Charlene Smith, Dolores Snyder, Pam Wheless, Betty Witt, Camella Halicke

Programs: (Viva Bosland)

- November Program is Richard Cook, “Manhattan Project”
- December Program is Terri Utsey, Christmas Music

Treasurers Report: Located in the table book at each table. Contact Carol Pontius for questions.

Service: (, Phyllis Betz, Celeste Fohr)

- November Service Project is Cumberland County Arts, Music and Drama. They need cash to repair instruments, used instruments, baby wipes, Volunteers, Sharpie pens, art supplies, glue sticks and volunteers. Donations received today totaled \$432.00.
- December Service Project is Cumberland County Veterans Assistance Council. Need cash donations to help with Utilities, Food and other types of needs on an emergency basis.

Anyone who has donated to our service project table today is eligible for the drawing of a \$25. Restaurant gift card provided by BJ Brown of Crye-Leike Realty

Ways and Means: (Judy Lynn, Sharie Leonard)

- The Book, Bake, and Bargainza Sale which was sponsored by Mays the Downsizers and storage from Glade Stor ‘ N Lock, was a success. We raised a total of \$4154.55. I would like to thank each and every volunteer, baker, setter upper, "donator", shopper, cleaner upper, and anyone that I forgot for assisting with this event.
- The 10th Annual Mistletoe Marketplace sponsored by Covenant – Dr. Tamara Collins, Exit Realty, Gallaher Plastic Surgery & Spa MD & Mayberry’s will be held on Saturday, November 4th from 9:00 AM-3:00 PM at the Community Center. Baked goods may be dropped off under the canopy of the Community Center from 8:00 AM till 9:00 AM. Judy Johnson is the chairperson for the Bake Sale. Please see her to sign up for the bake sale. If you are in town during the times of this event please come out and support the club. Your participation is appreciated.

- The Silent Auction is being held at the February 7th meeting. Check to see if you have something that you would like to donate for the auction. Also, we need a chairperson to coordinate this event. Do you know of anyone who would like to take this position?
- We need baskets for the Wine and Cheese Raffle. If you have any baskets to donate, please see Judy Lynn or Sharie Leonard.

Travel: (Barb Troxtel, Mary Ann Trent):

We are pleased to announce two (2) new trips for Fall of 2018

- Our first trip is an 1850's Appalachian Wedding! this is a 2-day trip to Kingsport, Tennessee. Our journey begins at the largest nature preserve park in TN - Bays Mountain Park. You'll be able to hear the wolves howl; or visit the planetarium show or take a barge ride. The evening is a tour of the Allandale Mansion, which is referred to as "The White House of Kingsport". The dinner will be the most unusual rehearsal dinner you've ever been to. The next day we are heading over to have a tour of the beautiful Kingsport Carousel, then onto the wedding. Step back in time to the 1850's for an Appalachian Wedding at the Exchange Place. This is a living history farm. After the beautiful wedding, the reception begins we will have a catered lunch and you'll be able to mingle with the Bride & Groom. This trip is September 10 & 11, 2018.
- Our second trip is all about Fall – You will be taken to see Autumn in the Shenandoah Valley and West Virginia. This is a nine day trip from September 18- 26th. You'll see spectacular fall foliage; carriage tour of historical Lexington, VA; Stonewall Jackson House; Monticello, Tour of Gettysburg battlefield; Flight 93 National Memorial; a back roads tour of Ohio Amish country; for all you football fans we will also be stopping at the Pro Football Hall of Fame; and the World Famous Warther Wood Carver museum. We'll also have an exciting night of entertainment at the Gandy Dancer Dinner Theatre and a train ride on the New Tygart Flyer thru the WV mountains.
- Travel brochures for these two trips and all our other trips are at the Travel Table.
- Those of you going with us to Nashville to see *An American in Paris* this Saturday the 4th, our motor coach arrives at the Discovery Center at 10:00 and we depart promptly at 10:30.
- If you're going on the trip to Chattanooga on 11/9. Swing by the Travel table and see Nancy French for your travel packet. Thank you for your time.

Reservations: (Anita Lawrence, Sharon Adams):

- 297 Attendees
- 33 Tables

Fashion Show:(Pam Oberle, Janice Cahill):

- Many thanks to the generosity of those who have signed up for theme basket donations. However, we are in need of more. If you have "thought" about doing one, but have not signed up, we have provided a basket form on each table and will collect these at the end of today's meeting. Janice and Pam began accepting basket donations today and will continue doing so through the March meeting. Remember, the baskets

will be assembled by our chair people, Donna Thompson and Christine Schneider. All we need are the donations and list of names contributing.

- PLEASE, please, please.....If you have an empty basket to donate, it would be most appreciated!!
- Many of you have approached Janice or Pam volunteering to help with the fashion show. Where we need help is behind the scenes, getting models dressed, hanging up clothes, and getting the ladies lined up in correct order. If you are interested, please see Janice or Pam after today's meeting.
- Tickets for the Be YOU tiful Fashion Show will go on sale at the December 6th meeting. On your tables today please find the group seating request form. Select a group contact person to take the responsibility of collecting money and individual checks and making the reservations. Ticket price is \$25.00 and is non-refundable. At this time, tickets are ONLY available to Ladies Club members.
- After the December meeting, tickets will be available at Collage, checks only and still only to Ladies Club members. Depending on availability, tickets to non-members will be going on sale in February.
- Lastly, just on a footnote.....Just like all of us, we are a variety of shapes and sizes. The models selected for the fashion show are too.

Old Business:

- No Report

New Business:

- No Report

Motion made by Sandy Warner and seconded by Viva Bosland to adjourn the business meeting.

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President's Minute:

- We have many volunteer needs for Ladies Club officers, events and service . We are adding a "Want Ad" section to our web site posting positions needing to be filled and volunteers needed.
- Please keep positions In mind for Elected Officers for next year's Executive Board. We have one candidate for President Elect. Please submit nominations to Vicki Lahti. You can feel free to call me (Louise) with questions about any position.
- Regretfully we cannot take special food requests for our luncheons; even what we consider the slightest change has a ripple effect far too challenging for all concerned.

Drawings:

- 50/50: \$657 collected 8 envelopes with \$43 in each envelope available for the drawings. Lucky winners were: Denise Ranger, Carol Vaughn, Carletta Rightler, Rosemary Kessberger, Treva Dillon, Karen Seely, Pat Vincent, Dee Haberman.
- Jan Kellis won Tickets to the playhouse
- A lucky donor to today's service project, won a gift certificate to Longhorn Saloon donated by B.J. Brown, Crye-Leike/Brown Realty.
- A lucky person won the Wine Basket sponsored by Fairfield Glade Realty
- Baskets were assembled by Donna Thompson
- Denise Teal won a gift certificate to Fifth Street Market Street, donated by Nancy Burns of Crain Burns Associates, LLC.

Invocation: provided by Becky Price

Lunch Served

Viva Bosland introduced Richard Cook, author of "Manhattan Project". The book is about the forgotten heroes of WWII, the Manhattan Project Workers of Oakridge TN. Mr. Cook showed slides of the project and talked about the many women who worked there during the war. He talked about "building K-28" where uranium was made. Mr. Cook introduced Louise Keaton, who worked on Manhattan Project. The Manhattan Project is a very big piece of Tennessee's history.