

*Community Woman's Club Newsletter*

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# The Teacup



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**FROM THE DESK OF PRESIDENT SUZANNE BENNITT:**

We had a great Christmas luncheon, Chinese Auction, and 95<sup>th</sup> anniversary party last month. The Aging Matters community kitchen catered our luncheon and it was very good.



Thank you again for your generosity to the Palace Retirement Home, the Central Brevard Sharing Center, and Aging Matters.

We have a very important District meeting coming up on Friday, February 16, at our clubhouse. We will need your support to provide help with it, i.e., registrars, etc., and especially some homemade goodies for a light breakfast and a luncheon. You will be hearing more about this again!

Community Service Project Chairs please forward your reports to me for our 2016 – 2017 year.

**IMPORTANT DATES:**

Tuesday, January 9 –The January speaker for the Arts Program is Lolly Walton. She is a member of the Brevard Cultural Alliance and other art-promoting organizations in the area. She will speak to us regarding the Brevard Cultural Alliance. Crafty members, don't forget to bring your arts and crafts entries to our meeting!

After our general meeting, the Nominations Committee will meet for a short organizational meeting.

Monday, January 15 – Spring Cleaning at the clubhouse. Come at 10 a.m. and help spiff up our clubhouse! Theresa Vossenkemper will have a sign-up sheet at our January meeting.

Tuesday, January 16 - Board meeting, 10 a.m., at the clubhouse.

**HANDBOOK ADDITIONS:**

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**JANUARY BIRTHDAYS:** January 23 – Cheryl Korman; January 27 – Anne Greco

## **GFWC California Disaster Relief Fund**

According to the California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection, there have been 8,711 fires in the state which consumed 1.3 million acres, or about 2,000 square miles this year. That is an area larger than the state of Delaware! Thousands of structures have been destroyed including the homes of several GFWC clubwomen.

To help these members of our Federation family recover from their devastating loss, GFWC California has established a Donation Fund. Anyone who would like to offer assistance may send a contribution to the **GFWC California Disaster Fund** C/O Reggie Mattox, 2867 Banyon Tree Lane, Hemet, CA 92545.

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