

## TWC GENERAL MEETING, APRIL 1, 2009

President Kathleen Davis called the Board Meeting of the Torrance Woman's Club to order on April 1, 2009 at 11:03 a.m. Those present were welcomed and guests were introduced.

Kathleen announced that Marina District Ambassador Jean Hayos was supposed to attend today's lunch but is ill.

Member health issues were discussed.

The renewal of the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Kathleen.

The inspiration was given by Jo Polichetti.

Members celebrating April birthdays were recognized.

Introductions were made by President Kathleen of all special guests, dignitaries and guests at individual tables.

Recording Secretary, Lynn Robinson, read the following Executive Board recommendations for March:

1. TWC provide 5 volunteers for the Switzer Center "Woman of the Year Lunch" on May 8, 2009.
2. TWC pay for lunch for Mary Lou and Robert of Frontier Kettle Corn at our May meeting.

The recommendations were approved as read. The complete minutes of the March 4, 2009 general meeting have been be posted.

Parliamentarian, Barbara Bounds was not present. Madonna Davenport distributed the election ballots.

Corresponding secretary, Barbara Crocheiter read thank you notes from USDA – Pennies for Pines, Barbara Crochetiere for the get well cards and Barbara Freeman for her recognition by the Mayor for her work with the USO.

Treasurer Jeaninne Glomboske was not present. Mary Linn read the treasurer's report for February. As of February 28, 2009, there was a balance of \$8,009.07 in the general account and \$13,473.88 in the clubhouse account.

First Vice President Deanna Hansen reported that 10 members attended the March 20<sup>th</sup> District meeting at the Santa Monica Bay Women's Club. She announced our District Art contest winners. April 18 is the District Convention in Marina Del Rey. The CFWC Convention will be held April 30 to May 2 at the Crown Plaza at LAX. Deanna encouraged everyone to attend.

Second Vice President Beverly Greeno introduced new member Faye Garry. Beverly reminded everyone that membership renewals are now due.

Third Vice President Fran Day reported that the recycle bins for our plastic glasses are here today. She will provide 5 volunteers for the Switzer Center "Woman of the Year Lunch" on May 8, 2009

Ways and Means Chairman, Judy Burrow, reported that Bunco will be April 15<sup>th</sup>. She thanked Lillian Albanese and her helpers for their work on the Paper Bag Auction. The bus trip to the Museum of the Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising was a great success. The bus trip to Laughlin is April 7 through 9, 2009. Joan Gillum reported that the Fashion Show is sold out. She will be making baskets for the

fashion show on April 20<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m. Judy Ciampa reported that the Bradford 5K Walk had 18 people and made \$600.00. The Torrance Civic Choral needs volunteers to help at their concert on April 25<sup>th</sup>.

Newsletter Chairman Barbara Freeman announced that the deadline is April 15<sup>th</sup>. She thanked everyone for the donation of the items for the USO and thanked Barbara Crochetiere for the newsletter labels.

Reservations Chairman Mary Alice Platz reported that there were 69 members and 3 guests present for a total of 72.

#### Reports:

Betty Herbst reported that Helping Hands made bags for Rainbow Services. Helping Hands will meet in April.

Louise Lowery has Collected \$160.00 for Rainbow Services.

Lynn Robinson and Sandra Burchell announced that the District Art contest went well but we need to get more students involved.

Sharon Hooper reported on the scarves for veterans project. She will be going to the Long Beach Veteran's Hospital once a month to deliver items. They need socks and underwear for men and women.

Lee Large announced that the June Get Away will be at the Embassy Suites in Oxnard.

Kathleen thanked Joan Gillum, Betty Abbey and Jeanne McRae for the decorations.

The next board meeting will be April 29<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m.

The hat contest was held. The Prettiest was Joanne Free, the funniest was Eleanor Edwards and the most unique was Marjorie McKarns.

Lunch was served.

Madonna Davenport announced the election results.

President	Deanna Hanson
First Vice President	Barbara Freeman
Second Vice President	Beverly Greeno
Third Vice President	Fran Day
Recording Secretary	Edith Tucker
Corresponding Secretary	Betty Abbey
Treasurer	Jeaninne Glomboske
Auditor	Mary Linn Coleman
Ways and Means	Barbara Bounds
Program Chairman	Sandra Burchell
Press Chairman	Louise Lowery
Yearbook Chairman	Frances Demeules
Newsletter Chairman	Joan Earhart
Reservations Chairman	Mary Alice Platz

The TWC Fractured Follies Players presented "The Shooting of Dan McGrew".

The meeting was adjourned at 1:15 pm.

Recording Secretary, Lynn Robinson