

CLUB MEMBERSHIP GRANTS AVAILABLE FROM GFWC VIRGINIA

- Funding is now available to help with membership recruiting and retention projects in your club.
- GFWC Virginia is offering up to \$500 in total funding.
- With very little effort, you can apply for the funding necessary to conduct a successful recruiting event or retention project.
 - * Please review the guidelines found below.
 - * Determine how the grant can best be put to use to support your objectives.
 - * Complete and submit the application.
- As a grant recipient, you also will complete a simple assessment form, detailing how your club developed and implemented your creative membership project.

GUIDELINES

- Awards will be based on merit, program effectiveness as outlined on the application, and available funds.
- Clubs that apply must hold active membership (per capita dues paying) in their District, GFWC Virginia, and the General Federation of Women's Clubs.
- Grants are limited to one per club.
- Clubs must complete an application to be eligible for a grant.
- APPLICATION DEADLINE: January 20, 2017.
- The funding is for projects conducted between March 1, 2017 and March 1, 2018.
- Clubs must use the funding for the project outlined in the application.
- Funding may be up to but not exceed \$100 per club.
- An assessment form, which will be included with the funding check if the application is approved, must be completed after the grant is used.
- The project must be completed and the assessment form returned by April 1, 2018.
- **Be creative! Think outside the box!**

APPLICATION INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE BY CONTACTING:

- Martha Matthews, GFWC Virginia 2nd Vice President / Membership Chairman
- GFWC Virginia website at www.gfwcvirginia.org
- Your district 2nd Vice President / Membership Chairman



GFWC Virginia MEMBERSHIP Club Grant Application

Name of Club: _____

District: _____

Name of Applicant: _____

Position:

Club President

Club Membership Chairman

Other _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone Number: _____ E-mail: _____

Date Submitted: _____

On a separate, attached sheet, please provide a brief but detailed response to each of the following:

1. Describe the proposed Membership Retention or Recruitment project. Include basic goals and how you plan to achieve them.
2. Tell us how the money will be spent. **Specify amounts** for things like printing, incentives, refreshments, rental costs, promotional materials, etc. **Do your homework!**
3. How will this funding impact the project? Will the club go forward with the project if partial or no funding is awarded?

Questions?

Contact:

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