



# De Anza District

GFWC California Federation of Women's Clubs  
Member General Federation of Women's Clubs International



**DISTRICT CONFERENCE**  
**January 20, 2025**



**Woman's Club of Holtville**  
**219 East 6th Street**  
**Holtville, CA 92250**

**Cost: \$20.00 (registration and lunch)**

**Registration: 9:00 am - 10:00 am**

**Call to Order: 10:00 am**

*Please print a paper copy if needed.*

# AGENDA

## REGISTRATION & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST

**Sign in** at the Registration table.

Enjoy a **continental breakfast**.

**Inspirational Women of De Anza District** - Complete form and turn it in for a drawing.

**First-time Attendees** and the person who brought them will both be entered into a drawing to win a fabulous prize.

## CALL TO ORDER

Mickie Reed, District President

## OPENING CEREMONIES

Pledge of Allegiance

Cindy Yaryan, Woman's Club of Holtville

Patriotic Song - God Bless America

Deborah & Joan Thornburg, Woman's Club of Holtville

Introductions

Mickie Reed, District President

Inspirational Message

Sherry Terrill, Woman's Club of Holtville

Greetings from the Hostess Club

Pam Edwards, President, Woman's Club of Holtville

Response

Bev Webb, President, Temecula Valley Woman's Club

Honor First-time Attendees / Birthdays

Penny Ramirez, Amenities

Special Drawing for First Time Attendees  
& Member Bringing First-timer

A Moment in Women's History

Peg Boortz, WHRC Chair

## ROLL CALL

Carol Soliday, Recording Secretary

## APPROVAL OF THE NOVEMBER CONFERENCE MINUTES

Carol Soliday, Recording Secretary

## OFFICER REPORTS

Financial Secretary's Report

Reggie Mattox, Financial Secretary

Treasurer's Report

Amelia Nieves, Treasurer

Auditor's Report

Deborah Thornburg, Auditor

Corresponding Secretary's Report

Lois Bailey, Corresponding Secretary

Parliamentarian's Report

Robbie Kennedy, Parliamentarian

3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President's Report

Darlene Wharton, 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice President

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President's Report

Carol Conway, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President

## **OFFICER REPORTS** (continued)

1<sup>st</sup> Vice President's Report

Lynda Krisko, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice President

President's Report

Mickie Reed, District President

## **SPEAKER**

Margaret Strahm, Yellow Ribbon Club

## **MEAL BLESSING**

Julie Velasco, Woman's Club of Holtville

## **LUNCH**

Regular meal: Taco Salad with beef and Carrot Cake

Vegetarian meal: Taco Salad (without meat) and Carrot Cake

## **AFTERNOON PROGRAM**

LEADS Candidate Presentation

Jan Emde, Leadership Chair

Moment of Joy Sing-along

Mickie Reed, District President

"Done in a Day" Project - Lanyards

Bev Webb, Civic Engagement & Outreach Chair



## **CHAIR REPORTS**

Fundraising

Paula Munoz, Fundraising Chair

Convention

Kimberly Ryan & Heidi Dodd, Convention Co-chairs

## **NEW BUSINESS**

None

## **CLOSING ACTIVITIES**

One Minute Announcements

Open to anyone

Credentials Report

Claire Whitney, Chair

Inspirational Ladies - Sharing & Drawing

Mickie Reed, District President

Silent Auction & Opportunity Drawing

Paula Munoz, Fundraising Chair

Collect for Clubwomen & Song "May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You"

Everyone

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Mickie Reed, District President

## Registration

**Members:** Please pay your **registration fee to your club**. Notify them which **lunch** you want to eat. There are two options for lunch:

Regular meal: Taco Salad with beef and Carrot Cake

Vegetarian meal: Taco Salad without meat and Carrot Cake

Your club will provide additional details regarding registering with your club.

**Clubs:** Each club needs to register its participants by **Sunday January 12, 2025** using the club registration form which was sent separately.

## Black Box

### CLUB PRESIDENTS AND CHAIRMEN:

Important - please put one copy of any flyer(s) you put in Black Box folders in the President's folder.

*The **Black Box** at each District Conference is for the Club President and Chairmen to collect information to take back and **SHARE** with their club.*

- Please check the box after lunch to give everyone time to put their information in the box.
- The **Black Box** contains general information from your District Board for all clubs as well as information from your District Program Chairmen.

*The **Black Box** is a vital communication system. **Please check the box at each conference**.*

*IF you are unable to attend the conference, please delegate someone to bring the information to your club.*

## **The Collect for Club Women**

Mary Stewart, Colorado 1904

*Keep us, oh God, from Pettiness;  
Let us be large in thought, in word, in deed.  
Let us be done with fault-finding and leave off self seeking.  
May we put away all pretense and meet each other face to face,  
without self pity and without prejudice.  
May we never be hasty in judgment and always generous.  
Let us take the time for all things;  
Make us to grow calm, serene, gentle.  
Teach us to put into action our better impulses,  
straightforward and unafraid.  
Grant that we may realize  
it is the little things that create differences,  
that in the big things of life we are at one.  
And may we strive to touch and to know the  
great common human heart of us all.  
And, O Lord God, let us forget not to be kind.*

## **May the Good Lord Bless and Keep You**

Meredith Wilson

*May the good Lord bless and keep you,  
whether here or far away.  
May you find that long awaited golden day today.  
May your troubles all be small ones  
and our fortune ten times ten.  
May the good Lord bless and keep you 'til we meet again.*