General Federation of Women's Clubs – New Hampshire



Official Call Merrimack South District Meeting Nashaway GFWC Club Pilgrim Congregational Church 4 Watson St. Nashua 03064 Thursday, September 14, 2023, 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM

GFWC Theme: "Living the Volunteer Spirit" GFWC-NH Theme: Celebrating NH Women: Past, Present, Future District Director: Chrystina Moran Hostess Club: GFWC -GFWC Nashaway Woman's Club GFWC NH Presidents Project: Assisting NH Homeless Teens and Young Adults Costs: \$23 Registration Deadline: September 8th, 2023 Anticipated Schedule:

5:00 PM Arrival/Registration/Social Time/Finger Fare sandwiches & Salads/Raffle Tix Sales for Fall Baskets and 50/50... (All proceeds to support the President's Project)

5:30 PM	Call to Order and Invocation Pledge of Allegiance Welcome: President of Nashaway GFWC Woman's Club Response: Denise Raisanen, GFWC-NH President Elect Presentation of Club Officers, Chairmen and Guests Chrystina Moran, Merrimack District Director, Roll Call, Ice Breaker
6:00 PM	Welcome: Beth Roth, GFWC-NH President, 2022-2024 President's Project Update
6:15 PM	Reports of the GFWC-NH Chairmen (approx. 3 minutes each)
7:00 PM	Remembrance of past members
7:15 PM	Guest Speaker, Kristen Welch, NAMI NH Continuation of Chairmen Reports and Club Reports (2-3 minutes each)
7:45 PM	Raffle: Winners Announced for the fall baskets, 50/50, food pantry Closing Thoughts
8:00 PM	Adjourn

Registration form to follow.

For Questions or concerns please reach out to Chrystina Moran icravemakeup27@gmail.com_603.234.5612

We would like to encourage each club to bring a "Fall themed item or basket" These items will be raffled off to help support the president's project for Stepping Stones.

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NOTES BEFORE MEETING FOR PRESIDENTS

Notes to Presidents:

1) We are thrilled to see you all and kick off our 2023-2024 year. Please try to have a full attendance as we have a wonderful meeting and exciting news planned.

2) <u>There will be two raffles to benefit the President's Project. One is a Fall themed raffle and the</u> other is a 50/50. Watch for more details regarding the raffles. If each club brings an item or basket containing interesting fall items, we will have fun!

3) For recently deceased members, please email member's name and club to: <u>icravemakeup27@gmail.com</u>, please bring a memory and short biography to share (approx. 1 min) You may also ask another attending member from your club to speak.

4) We want clubs to share as many resources as possible. If you have a favorite resource that helps your club, please email information about them to Chrystina Moran, <u>icravemakeup27@gmail.com</u>.

5) If your club has any current or past samples of brochures, business cards, postcards, new membership info or any other types of info that helps your club, please email digital copies or bring hard copies to our meeting. We will try to have as many samples as possible.

6) We are encouraging each club to bring a non perishable food item to be donated to the local food pantry in Nashua (Corpus Christy) your club will receive a raffle ticket for each item received for the pantry. There will be a special prize for the club with the most food items donated!

7) We have not included traditional driving instructions. Everyone seems to navigate via various map apps. Please email Chrystina if you will need driving instructions.

District Meetings are for ALL club members, and easily reached from all hometowns! We would love to have each club represented by you and other club members. Please spread the word. It is going to be fun and you are going to want to have all your club members there!!

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REGISTRATION FORM

FEES: Registration Fee: \$23

Early Bird Finger Fare: Hors d'oeuvres (finger sandwiches), Salad, drinks, Dessert assortment

LOCATION: Pilgrim Congregational Church, 4 Watson St. Nashua 03064

RSVP DEADLINE DATE: September 8, 2023

RESERVATION AND PAYMENT TO: Please make check out for \$23.00 to Nashaway Woman's Club. Mail to Joan Prue, 12 Beacon Ln, Amherst, NH. 03031-2863

Clubs may use registration form to submit a single registration form for all members attending or members can submit their own individually.

CLUB NAME:_____

CONTACT NAME:_____ PHONE NUMBER:_____

Attendee Name	Registration \$5 per person	Meeting \$18 pp	Total
TOTAL ENCLOSED			

QUESTIONS: Feel free to email or phone Chrystina Moran, Merrimack District Director, icravemakeup27@gmail.com or 603-234-5612