

# GFWC Springdale

## April 2025 Newsletter

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**Most Sundays Game Day at Camas Valley Grange, starts at noon-check the bulletin board**

April 5: 6pm Bingo

April 16: 3pm-5pm Springdale Booster Club Food Pantry

May 3: 3pm Financial audit in Loon Lake

**April 12: MadHatter Tea**

April 20: Easter

May 10: NE District meeting in Spokane

*Recycle what you can when you can*

*~ Research ALL sources carefully ~*

*~ Dig to find the truth ~*

The March 15 meeting was at Lela Taylor's home. The topic was the MadHatter Tea. Tickets will be available at the Tea, created by Stacy, starting about 10:40am. **Please plan to attend.** Contact Casey, the person in charge of the silent auction, if you are donating items. Contact Cleo for raffle tickets to sell. **Your suggestions, ideas, help, etc. are needed.**

All paid members were "snail-mailed" a letter in August, 2024, and again in January 2025, asking for your input and suggestions. You can bring your responses to the Tea or to a monthly meeting.

The GFWC NE District meeting on May 10 is in Spokane.

**CHALLENGE:** Bring a friend with you to upcoming monthly meetings, which are usually the second Saturday, 9:30am, Sept-May, at Camas Valley Grange, in Springdale. Sometimes, due to family situations or road conditions, either the monthly meeting is held over the Face-Book Messenger phone, Zoom, re-scheduled or cancelled. Any change(s) should be posted on the GFWC Springdale Facebook page and/or sent out by email. Please join us!

It has been cloudy, foggy, cold, and snowy, with just a few days of sunshine, yet some Robins are here.

### **VOLUNTEERS ARE ALWAYS NEEDED FOR UPCOMING LOCAL EVENTS**

Be sure to keep in touch with family, friends, and neighbors. Read the GFWC Springdale and other groups' Facebook pages. Contact Stacy or Lela about any scheduled GFWC events or if you have any questions.

**RECYCLE** (1) plastic bread tags to GFWC Springdale; (2) empty plastic bottles (complete with labels and lids) and aluminum cans to Camas Valley Grange; (3) empty printer/copier cartridges to Tammy at Springdale Elementary; (4) gently used clothing to Wonder Women of Valley.

#### **Please remember to:**

Come to the monthly meetings,  
Participate in the club's projects & fundraisers,  
Invite a friend, or two, or three, or more, and

**ALL area small businesses, organizations and groups are STILL extremely busy trying to stay open and "catch-up". There are so many wonderful groups and fun things to do in the greater Springdale area - please volunteer and get involved in your community. Appreciate each group and small business for their dedication in trying to keep going. Be sure to support.**

**Budget:** Monthly reports provided at the meetings. Please contact Stacy or Lela for more information.

**By-Laws:** Review and discussion, any adjusting, and adoption at upcoming meetings.

**Literacy:** Promoting literacy and encouraging volunteerism are two of this club's main programs. Please let us know if there is an event where we can set up a table.

**Fundraisers:** Teas, Raffles, Book Sales and other events are needed and will be planned at upcoming meetings. Bring your ideas!

### **GFWC Springdale needs each member's ideas and input for years 2025-2029!**

The General Federation of Women Club was chartered by the United States Congress in 1893. Since then, States have chartered GFWC clubs, as well as communities.

Reminder: monthly newsletters are prepared and emailed/posted about a week before the end of the previous month.

*Please stay safe and healthy!*

**Contact Jan Buche if you know anything about the missing chicken costume**

**Contact Linda Ritts if you know anything about the missing "Desert Storm" memorial that was on display in the Springdale Town Park in the mid to late 1990's**

**Annual dues are \$25, and include International, Western Region, State, NE District, and**

**GFWC Springdale membership**

**GFWC State Website: <https://www.gfwcws.org/>**

**GFWC National Website: <https://www.gfwc.org/>**