



## Dunwoody Woman's Club September 2018 Newsletter

### President's Message: Maria Barnhart

***Lead, Encourage, Inspire!*** This is the theme for the 2018-2020 administration for GFWC Georgia. I cannot think of a better way to start our Fall Season! DWC provides wonderful **leadership** opportunities, we **encourage** each other, and we strive to **inspire** all members to embrace the volunteer spirit by participating in our worthwhile projects. Thank you for your support, leadership and participation in DWC programs and activities. Our community is better because of DWC.

Check out the link for the video summary of this year's GFWC Georgia Institute that was held in Athens, GA, August 17-19. It was a fun and inspiring event.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G4oWKraY3cM&feature=youtu.be>

Increasing membership continues to be a top priority to keep our Dunwoody Woman's Club growing. I encourage each member to take a few minutes and invite neighbors, family or friends to a DWC event or a meeting. Let them know that we are a group of women giving of ourselves to help others. And we have fun in the process!

Congratulations to our own **Linda Mote** for being named **GFWC Georgia State Chairman for Tallulah Falls School**. Be sure to ask Linda about the "Tee Time at Tallulah." Tallulah Falls School continues to be an important part of GFWC Georgia and DWC.

Kudos to this year's Home Tour Committee, chaired by Chris Cox. **The 46<sup>th</sup> Annual Home Tour** is around the corner and will be Wednesday, October 3, 2018 from 9:30 am – 3:00 pm. We need all hands on deck to staff the homes. It is our major fundraiser and allows the club to help others by funding our projects. And remember to sell your Home Tour Tickets. It will be a wonderful home tour!

I look forward to seeing you soon.

Maria

## Calendar

*Please double check with Main Article; This Calendar may have typos and/or omissions!*

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event Sponsor</u>	<u>Meeting Place/Carpool Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
September 13	Home Life	St. Luke's to carpool	10:00
September 23	Stage Door Players	Theater	2:30
October 2	Book Club	TBA	1:15
October 3	DWC Home Tour	Various	9:30

### Ways and Means – Home Tour: Chris Cox

The 2018 Home Tour is in the Home Stretch!

A huge thanks to all who have so generously devoted your time and efforts to making this years Home Tour another success.

Our most important needs now are:

**1. Tickets Sales.** Please encourage your network to purchase tickets to tour the homes or just make a donation.

**2. Staffing in the homes and Traffic**

Please consider asking husbands, neighbors, friends etc. to help with parking and staffing our homes.

We would be delighted to have nonmembers help as well.

For help with Staffing/Hostesses please contact Martha Blondheim: [mkblondheim13@gmail.com](mailto:mkblondheim13@gmail.com)  
or Jill Jordan: [lightningjordan@yahoo.com](mailto:lightningjordan@yahoo.com)

For help with Traffic or general questions contact Chris Cox [cczbz@bellsouth.net](mailto:cczbz@bellsouth.net)

### Membership: Debra Love

Seven new members received orientation over the summer and will be inducted in December. They are:

Kim Dreiling, Dixie Wedding, Kay Moe, Linda Kenney, Jennifer Parker Nancy Reid, and Beverly Clark.

Please welcome these lovely additions to our club. Small red hearts will be on their name tags for the September meeting and Home Tour, so they can be easily identified. Most of these ladies have been pretty active in our recent events.

The membership committee is always open to new suggestions for obtaining members. The best way is bringing neighbors, friends, women from your church or synagogue, etc.

The next membership committee meeting will be in late October.

## Collectors' Corner

- Pill bottles with caps and it's ok to leave on labels-to Roswell Recycling
- Newspaper, blankets, towels, animal food and monetary donations for PAWS
- 3"-6" plastic plant pots to go to AG Rhodes for the "Seeds for Senior's" program
- Clean mascara wands to go to a wildlife refuge to help clean the fur from small animals.
  
- Rain jackets, coats, mittens, warm scarves for both women and children.
  
- Pill bottles for Atlanta Animal Shelter- labels off
- For PAWS: \$'s, pet food, newspapers, towels, blankets
- Garden related items for the Audubon Auction in Dec...

## COMMUNITY SERVICE PROGRAMS

Arts: Jan Slater: [janetslater13@aol.com](mailto:janetslater13@aol.com)

**October 17** - Dawsonville to the sunflower farm, historic court house, and The Bowen--Center for Arts

On Wed., Oct. 17 we are planning a trip to Dawsonville with Conservation and Public Issues to visit the sunflower farm, the historic courthouse, and The Bowen - Center for the Arts. This is a lovely arts center with lots of activities. The exhibit from Sept. 28 - Oct. 25 is the annual Heart in Hand Quilt Guild exhibit. Lunch will be at the Blue Bicycle. If you haven't been there, it will be a real treat.

Two important e-mail sites for local information are e-letter for Dunwoody and the e-letter for Sandy Springs. I suggest you sign up for both of them. Lots goes on in our area all the time.

Information from the current e-letters that have to do with the arts are as follows:

Dunwoody:

1. An all-media exhibit is opening in the Spruill Education Center that is exploring "the Cup" from Sept. 9-Dec. 21.
2. Back to Spruill Week begins Sept. 8
3. Learn about the Spruill Arts Guild at an Open House held Sept. 24 - 11:30-1:30 in Room 4 in Spruill Center for Arts.
4. The Stage Door Players - Sept. 21-Oct. 14 - "A Red Plaid Shirt"

Sandy Springs:

1. Sept. 7 - Movie "The Greatest Showman" - Green at City Springs
2. Sept. 8 - Taj Mahal Trio at the Byers Theater in the new Sandy Springs Performing Arts
3. Sept. 9 - Concert by the Springs - 7-8:30 - Heritage
4. Sept. 23 - Home by Dark - A song can change your life - 7:00 - City Green
5. Sept. 29 - The Fun Show by Cat and Nat 7:00 Byers Theater
6. City Springs Theater Company - "42nd Street" - Sept. 14-23 in Byers Theatre

Do you know what "Moving in the Spirit" is? This is another organization that the Arts sponsors with Home Tour money.

**Conservation: Kathy Hanna , Becky Schaaf & Gang**  
**kak1941@aol.com, becky.schaaf43@gmail.com**

**Sept. 29 Sat. 9:00-4:00** Couples trip to Elijay River Vineyards, brunch in the mountains

**Oct. 17, Wed 9:00-3:00** Joint Meeting to Dawsonville with Arts and Public Issues. Fausett Sunflower Farm

**Nov. 9, Friday 9:00-3:00** Fall tour of Gibbs Gardens

**Collecting:** Pill bottles for Atlanta Animal Shelter- labels off  
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Garden related items for the Audubon Auction in Dec...

**Sept. 29 Sat., 9:00-4:00** we will carpool to the Brummer's **Eljay River Vineyards** for a tour and lecture on wine making in GA followed by brunch in the mountains... Dr Brummer was our guest at the Robinson's Garden Party this spring, and many of you enjoyed his selections of great wines.... This is a couples invite and of course our members are welcome to attend as a single... If you can drive let Kathy know....

**Sept. 13, Thursday, 6:00PM** meet us at **Dunwoody Nature Center's North Woods Pavilion** and hear Executive Director, Alan Mothner, update us on the plans and tell us about the community's involvement in the Center's growth... Please RSVP to Pat & Su at [patadams40@bellsouth.net](mailto:patadams40@bellsouth.net)

**Brook Run Master Gardeners:** Nancy reports that **Sept. 8, 11-12 noon** Ann will be speaking in the BR Barn on Planting Fall Vegetables

**Dunwoody Nature Center Master Gardeners:** Su reports that: Landscaping is in progress for the area by the North Woods Pavilion using native trees and shrubs... The City is hosting a city-wide volunteer day on **Oct. 13 & 14** to install the plants, come join us by contacting the city parks department... Financial donations toward the planting are always welcome. The MG's are working on a plan to "dress up" the Austin School retaining wall, and until construction is completed the entry gardens are on hold...

**Dunwoody Nature Center:** Pat says on Sunday, **Sept 16 2-4:00** a program on the monarch migration from Atlanta to Mexico is being given in the North Woods Pavilion with butterfly expert, Estela Romero, and a film on The Flight of the Butterflies is a free offering. [www.dunwoodynature.org](http://www.dunwoodynature.org)...

**Lost Corner:** Diana reports we have these offerings at the Preserve on Mondays 7-8:30.... Sept. 10- Fall and Winter Lawn Care; Sept 9 History Lecture on Oak Grove (Sandy Springs) and the Civil War; Sept 16 Natural History 2-3:00; Sept. 24- Shade Gardening; Sept 22-23 9-6 on Sat. 10-5 on Sunday is the SS Festival and Lost Corner will have a booth... Sept. 8-29 Fall Plant Sale featuring native azaleas... Oct. 1 lecture on Growing Fruit in GA & Oct. 8 a composting class. Work days in the gardens Sat. Oct 13 9-noon.

**Animal Shelters:** Beck is collecting pill bottles with labels removed for Atlanta Animal Shelter... Also collecting for PAWS: \$'s, food, towels, newspapers and blankets...

**Tips:** Marsh Creek Rain Gardens in Sandy Springs continues to win awards for their water saving progress... Winsor Meadows Park ribbon cutting will be 9/14 at 10:00 on Winsor Parkway near P'tree-Dunwoody Road....

**Education: Susan Wittenstein sirwit@comcast.net**

Keep your eyes out for sales on school supplies. Bring them to the general meeting in September. They will be donated to Community Assistance Center and Hightower Elementary. They can use all items especially pencils, pens, notebook paper, glue sticks, child-sized scissors and spiral notebooks.

The Friends of the Dunwoody Library's next book sale starts September 27. FODL members can shop first from 1-4 pm on Thursday. Non-members can shop from 4-8 pm that day and 10 am -5 pm on Friday and Saturday.

Bag day is Monday from 10 am - 5 pm. Memberships start at \$5. You'll find books, magazines, CD's, DVDs, games and puzzles for children and adults.

Thank you to Diane Norris for coordinating our members who read at Hightower Elementary. If you are interested in reading to young children, please let either Diane or me know and we'll get you on the schedule. We show up and the books are waiting for us to read. It's so fun and rewarding to share some time with the students.

**Home Life Community Service: Susan Crawford**  
**770-698-8737 Susanpc1@bellsouth.net**

Although most club members were busy this summer with family and vacations, **Home Life** still was able to help support our community. Many, many thanks to Sandra DuBois for making and taking 30 pillows to Northside Hospital Auxiliary Network of Hope for cancer patients. And thanks to Diane Norris, Jan Slater, and Faye Cashwell for spending a morning getting an Interfaith Outreach Home apartment ready for a new family. This new home looked very inviting by the time we left thanks to the generosity of our club.

Also, thanks go to Kathy Hanna for making us aware of a super organization, **Most Valuable Kids**, that we as a club can support. MVK provides an avenue for season ticket holders of professional sports and entertainment events to distribute unused tickets to children in need and in return receive a tax deduction for their donations. All you need to do is go to their website, <https://www.mostvaluablekids.org/atlanta>, click on Donate, and follow the prompts to donate your unused tickets and automatically be issued a tax deductible receipt. Then if you would email me what tickets you donated and their value, Home Life will keep track of DWC's donations to this worthwhile organization. What an easy way to bring a smile to a child's face!

The Dunwoody **DowWagers** Investment Club meets the first Wednesday of every month at 1:15 p.m. in the Card Room at Dunwoody Country Club. Contact Marilyn Dumon or Diane Norris if you are interested in joining this group. We will not meet on October 3 (Home Tour.). Please check the sign up sheet at the General Meeting to know when we will meet in October.

**Upcoming Programs**

**Sept. 13 Home Life Community Assistance Center 10:30am**

Come see the results of your support! We will meet at **Saint Luke's Presbyterian Church Parking Lot at 10am and carpool** to CAC's new location at 8607 Roswell Rd. Once there we will tour the facility and find out about additional ways we can get involved. **Please look through your closets and bring items** with you for the Boutique. Lunch will follow at Hammock's. Contact Susan by email or phone if you would like to attend.

**Oct. 11 Home Life Saint Luke's Presbyterian Church Session Room 10:30am**

Russ Yeager, owner of **Fitness Together**, is a sponsor of this year's Home Tour and will speak to us about nutrition and fitness. Lunch at a Dunwoody restaurant will follow for anyone interested.

**Please note that September** is Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month, National Gynecologic Awareness Month, Healthy Aging Month, National Infant Mortality Awareness Month and Cholesterol Awareness Month. This month's **Walk With a Doc will be at Brook Run Park on September 8 from 9-10am.**

**International Outreach: Linda Mote 404-504-2402**  
**Immote@mindspring.com**

Continue collecting items for the Mothers and children in the Mommie and Me program. I hope to plan a trip to the Friends of Refugees new facility in October. We can take items to them during our visit.

As you are sorting laundry and find that one sock that doesn't have a mate save it and we can use it to make puppets for Operation Smile. Arts and International are teaming up in November for a workshop.

**Sept 8<sup>th</sup> is International Literacy Day**-This year's theme is 'Literacy and skills development.' Despite progress made, literacy challenges persist, and at the same time the demands for skills required for work, evolve rapidly. The day focuses on skills and competencies required for employment, careers, and livelihoods, particularly technical and vocational skills.

**Sept 21<sup>st</sup> International Day of Peace**-The theme for the International Day of Peace in 2018 is "The Right to Peace - The Universal Declaration of Human Rights at 70"

The theme celebrates the 70th anniversary of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. The Universal Declaration of Human Rights is a milestone document in the history of human rights. Drafted by representatives with different legal and cultural backgrounds from all regions of the world, the Declaration was adopted by the United Nations General Assembly in Paris on 10 December 1948 as a common standard of achievement for all peoples and all nations. The Universal Declaration – the most translated document in the world, available in more than 500 languages - is as relevant today as it was on the day that it was adopted.

"It is time all nations and all people live up to the words of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, which recognizes the inherent dignity and equal and inalienable rights of all members of the human race. This year marks the 70th anniversary of that landmark document." -- Secretary-General António Guter

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### **Dates to Remember**

#### **September 2018**

National Preparedness Month – Look for an informational handout at the September General Meeting.

**September 23 – 29<sup>th</sup>** – Child Passenger Safety Week

**September 29<sup>th</sup>** – National Car Seat Check

### **Upcoming Programs**

**October 18<sup>th</sup> – October General Meeting** - Barbara Gibson, Safe House Director, Women's Resource Center to End Domestic Violence, will be our Guest Speaker. We'll collect "after school snacks" for Barbara to take back to the Safe House. A suggested snack list will be provided at the September General Meeting and again in the October Newsletter. Thank you in advance for your help with this project.

## Standing Committees

### Book Club: Jean Kammerer

The September meeting of the book club met at St. Luke's Presbyterian church for the discussion of The Perfect Horse by Elizabeth Letts. We had a good discussion of not only horses, but the second world war and locations in Poland and Austria.

The October 2 meeting of the book club will feature The Swan House, by Elizabeth Musser, led by Maria Barnhart. This has local Atlanta connections, and reminds us of our tour of the Atlanta History Center and Swan House last year. The book is available in paper back as well as on a kindle. Some libraries may carry it. The location of the October 2 meeting is still not firm due to continued construction at DCC. You can always email me at [kammererj@bellsouth.net](mailto:kammererj@bellsouth.net).

### Dunwoody Dowagers: Debra Love

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### GFWC Clubwoman: Judy Bertrand

#### **Military Women Initiative**

One of the Seven Grand Initiatives for the 2018-2020 Administration is a focus on women in the military. Their role has expanded immensely over time, and as more opportunities open up, more women join every year. With Labor Day just past let's recognize the contributions made by women who serve and also those who have made sacrifices, so their spouses can serve. Women in the military truly hold some of the most important jobs! Here are a few ways you can give women in the military the honor they deserve:

**Create Mommy Bags** - Most VA Hospitals are not equipped for mothers-to-be. We could help pregnant women veterans feel supported and loved by donating mommy bags to military hospitals. The bags can hold items she'll need for the baby, such as diapers and wipes, but also items like lotion, nail polish, and candy so she can feel a little TLC during her pregnancy.

**"Thank You, Your Bill Has Been Paid."** - A little kindness goes a long way. If you see a woman in a military uniform, ask the waiter if you can pay for her meal. Our club could create accompanying cards that read, "Thank you, your bill has been paid!" so the soldier will feel appreciated.

**Cinderella Closet**- Collect ball gowns and formal attire for women living on military bases. Whether they are active duty or married to someone who is, women on military bases deserve luxury once in a while. There are many formal military functions, and not every woman who lives on a base has the time or means to dress up. By giving them access to a Cinderella Closet, they can have a night of their dreams.

Women have worked hard to earn their place in military roles, and we can help honor that with projects that will make them feel even more respected and acknowledged.

### **Legislation: Linda Mote**

With the new administration in GFWC and GFWC GA there come ideas for projects and programs the following comes from our GFWC national organization.

“Legislation is the second emphasis area. GFWC’s passion for positive change in communities through legislation is part of our history. In 1906, thousands of members of GFWC, who without a vote, only a persistent voice, passed the Pure Food and Drug Act. We will go back to our roots, raise our voices, and reclaim our role as the unified organization that can make things happen. Members will understand the process of how a bill becomes a law and their part in the process. We will select two bills and work actively for them to become laws. We will work to establish the GFWC brand with the members of the United States and State Legislatures by the “RECOGNIZE THE RED” campaign. We will select one bill and on one day all members of GFWC will be asked to call their legislator and urge action on the bill.

GFWC’s advocacy efforts should also help to raise awareness of GFWC as an organization. To maximize this awareness, GFWC is launching the “Recognize the Red” campaign. • Any time a GFWC member engages in written correspondence with her legislator, she should use the color RED, the color of GFWC’s official flower, the red rose, for her signature. Whether the correspondence is a traditional letter or an email, the member should sign her name (and the name of her club and State Federation and GFWC) in RED. • For traditional letters, the member should write her return address in RED and put a big check mark in RED on the outside of the envelope. Eventually, when a legislator or legislative aide sees a red signature or a red return address, she will recognize that she is again hearing from a GFWC member.”

If you write a letter or email to our legislators, please let me know and be sure to sign in RED.

### **Leadership: Donna Knowlton and Bernice McGuire**

#### **Leadership Begins with Knowledge – Know Your Organization – GFWC Georgia**

In the year 1895 Georgia was spreading her wings, the state was progressing in many areas. Through the leadership of men like Henry Grady, Georgians were feeling much better about their state than they had in years. Through this leadership they had staged several magnificent Cotton States expositions, letting the nation see the kinds of products and the kinds of talent available in Georgia. It was in the Woman’s Building of the Cotton States and International Exposition that the Biennial Council of the General Federation of Women’s Clubs was held in this year of 1895.

The Elberton Georgia Sorosis and the Atlanta Woman’s Club, both already members of the General Federation, took the initiative of inviting women from all over the state to gather together and consider the advantages of Federation. Minutes written on October 29, 1896 list sixteen varied organizations as Charter Clubs of the new Federation. One writer later commented, “The Georgia Federation did not develop out of nebulosity but, was an orderly assemblage of vigorous bodies that came together in 1896 to unite theirs efforts for humanity.”

Many of the first clubs existed largely for self-culture, and it is a tribute to their leadership and to the individual members that they so soon involved themselves in a combination of study and service, in line with departments of work already initiated by the General Federation. Georgia certainly provided enough area of service by these dedicated women, with all the problems inherent in making the transition from an agriculturally oriented society



to a society that included industry as well as farms...a society that must educate all its children, in rural hamlet, in city slum, or mountain village...a society that must decide whether Woman's place truly was only "in the home."

They were women of ability and determination, those who met together to map the course that has been followed these past years, leading and goading on their fellow Georgians to be a better state. The caliber of those present can be understood when we consider the words of the president of the Atlanta Woman's Club, Rebecca Douglas Lowe, that October day in 1896.

"We, as Southern women, owe a greater debt to our fellow beings than the women of other sections. We have been the exotics of civilization: reared in the lap of luxury, with more time at our command than ordinarily falls to the lot of women, guided by mothers and grandmothers, not only endowed with superior intellect, but with that graceful tact, which enables a woman of education and brilliance to carry conviction in all she says."

### **We'll learn more in the October Newsletter**

"If you look back in history at the women who are most memorable, they were never followers of fashion. They were the ones who were unique in their style, breakers of the rules. They were authentic, genuine, and original. They were not following the trends." - Nina Garcia, editor in chief of Elle magazine

### **Stage Door Players; Sharon Clark, Lois Kroeger**

Sunday, Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2:30 pm, we will be attending "The Plaid Shirt". Following the play, we will have dinner at Vintage Pizza. Reservations call 396 1726 -mention DWC for seating. Signup at the September meeting or call Sharon or Lois.

### **Tallulah Falls School: Linda Mote, Diane Norris**

At Institute just a few short weeks ago we had a booth for TFS. It featured the State President's project "Tee Time at Tallulah". We had a raffle basket and putting green to earn seed money for this project. We will be raising funds for the new high tech Golf Lab at the school. This lab will provide an opportunity for all students to learn golf or to practice. The golf teams are very excited about the Golf simulator. It will help them perfect their game.

Thank you to our club members who stopped at the booth and took time to putt. Thank you to Susan Crawford for her donation of three sets of golf clubs. Many clubs donated golf balls and while I could not count them it seems to me there were at least a thousand.

We also collected prom dresses and jewelry; those, along with the golf equipment, were delivered to the school the Monday after Institute.

We are trying to set a date for our fall trip to TFS stay tuned for more information.

### **Women in History: Suzanne Bentz**

**August - Saint Benita Zita, Patron Saint of Lost Keys**

Have you ever misplaced your car keys? They have to be in the house somewhere. After all, you drove your car to Publix, returned home, unpacked, walked the dog, made supper, watched “Jeopardy,” then walked the dog one last time before bed. Next day, those keys are nowhere to be found. And your dog is desperate to hit the dog park. Where to look. Who to call upon. What to do?

I have discovered that there is a saint for everything and everyone. Soldiers appeal to Saint George, sailors to Saint Elmo, animal lovers to Saint Francis of Assisi, judges to Saint Ives, editors to Saint John Bosco, poets to Saint Cecelia, housewives to Saint Martha. Want good weather? Call upon Saint Swithin. Itchy eyes? Call upon Saint Raphael, patron saint of pharmacists, chemists, eye diseases, lovers and shepherds...an odd combination, for sure. The list of saints and patronage is seemingly endless.

Lost keys, however, are the specialty of Saint Benita Zita. Saint Zita was born in Tuscany in 1212. At the age of 12, she became a servant in a wealthy household where she was overburdened and ill-used. Despite unjust treatment, Zita never lost her inner peace or love of those who wronged her. Her faith enabled her to persevere and her piety gradually moved the family to place her in charge of all the affairs of the house. Zita once said that devotion is false if slothful. She rose early and took on her duties with such diligence that “she seemed to be carried to them on wings.” She is often depicted with a bag of keys.

When Zita died at age 60, she was widely venerated by the family she had served and her story spread throughout Europe. In England she was popularly invoked by maidservants and housewives, particularly in the event of having lost one’s keys. You could say that behind every successful household is a strong woman and a sack of odd keys.

So...giving a nod of faith to Saint Zita and taking a sip of caffeinated coffee one morning earlier this summer, I wracked my brain and finally remembered I had put on a light jacket for that trip to Publix the day before. Sure enough, that’s where the lost car keys were to be found. I was relieved, my dog was ecstatic, and just maybe, Saint Zita had worked another miracle.

### **YEARBOOK ~ Diane Norris**

If you have not received your yearbook, they will be available at the September General Meeting. We have had several changes over the summer:

- Lois Kroeger has moved to Mount Vernon Towers and can be reached by her cell phone 404-964-4417
- Hazel Schingen has moved to Somerby, Apt. 2208, 25 Glenlake Parkway, NE and can be reached by her cell 770-841-1049.
- Donna Knowlton has moved, and her new address is: 2017 Wheaton Way, Sandy Spring, GA 30328 ~ Home: 470-225-1050 and Cell: 404-308-1874
- Kay Moe (new member), 2329 Briarleigh Way, Dunwoody, GA 30338, Home: 770-394-4709 and Cell: 770-596-8469 Email: [mkmow@bellsouth.net](mailto:mkmow@bellsouth.net)
- Phyllis Weisser no longer has a home phone and can only be reached by her cell phone: 770-560-2561.

Please direct any additional changes to Diane and we will have a handout at the September General Meeting with all the changes.

**DWC COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM ~2018-2020**     **Diane Norris**  
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1. School is back in session and we are already beginning projects for our CIP Hightower Elementary School. Projects that we are currently working on include:
2. We hosted the teacher workday breakfast on July 30. Thanks so much to everyone who helped and supplied food.
3. Arts CSP is working with the Art teacher on a few projects
4. Reading to Kindergarten students on a daily basis (12:30 to 1:30 p.m.) We will begin reading on September 24. We need more readers. If you can spare one hour once a month, please contact Diane to get on the schedule.
5. We are collecting **Box Tops** for Education. Please bring them to the General Meeting.
6. We have a committee in place to come up with a plan for the kids to enjoy recess on a 2-1/2 acre field.

So, you are asking, “**How can I help?**” There are lots of opportunities and they are highlighted above.

**Announcements**



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