



Mississippi Federation of Women's Clubs, Inc.



June 22, 2023

Dear GFWC-MFWC Club Members, Club Presidents, District Officers, and Executive Board Members:

Greeting Ladies,

You are cordially invited to the **2023 Summer Executive Board Meeting** of the GFWC-Mississippi Federation of Women's Clubs, Inc., via Zoom on Saturday, July 15, 2023. All GFWC-MFWC Clubwomen are invited and welcome to attend the 2023 Summer Executive Board Meeting from 9:00 am to 11:00 am with only the Executive Board Members voting. Please complete the attached registration form so that we can send you the link to the Board Meeting. Each member attending the board meeting must fill out a registration form. By having our Board meeting via Zoom, we can go onsite to the Mississippi Library Commission (MLC) the following Saturday, July 22.

Our 2023 Summer Institute will be onsite Saturday, July 22 from 9:30 am to 2:30 pm at the MLC's Headquarters in Jackson, MS. Summer Institute is a valuable experience where GFWC-MFWC members can receive relevant information by attending and networking with other clubwomen.

This year, we are having morning break-out sessions, and you can pick two you wish to attend. The break-out sessions are as follows:

- Club Leadership for Club Presidents and Incoming Club Presidents, Sherri E. Reid and Libby D. Everett
- Club Communication, Becky C. Wright
- Club Membership, Dr. Carolyn S. Tedford and Shirley Wiltshire
- President's Special Project, Pam Keith and Penny J. Barr

After lunch, we will have three stations set up for our service project where you can make buttons with MLC's button maker and roll up posters to put in tubes or stuff bags with an assortment of books and promotional items. By doing these service projects, we are helping the MLC with National Book Festive on August 12th and the Mississippi Book Festival on August 19th.

Summer Institute will include a registration fee with the following information. Following this cover is the enclosed registration materials for our Summer Institute. The cost for the entire day is \$35.00, which includes:

- Registration Fee.

Bloom Where You Are Planted, "Getting Back To Our GFWC Roots"
by promoting public libraries, education, and literacy!

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- Continental breakfast in the morning, along with coffee, soft drinks, and water.
- Lunch and drinks will be provided.
- We are blessed to partner with MLC, which offers their facility free of charge. A donation from collected registration dues will be made to MLC for the use of their facility.

Hope to see you via Zoom for our Executive Board Meeting on Saturday, July 15, and then for our onsite Summer Institute on the following Saturday, July 22. Members are encouraged to wear GFWC, MFWC, and Bloom tee shirts for both events. Please note that all apparel may be casual.

In Appreciation for Your Volunteerism,
Theresa Buntyn
2022-24 GFWC-MFWC President