



# Mississippi Federation of Women's Clubs, Inc.

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January 22, 2026

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

I am so excited and honored to issue the Call to the 2026 Winter Board Meeting/MS LEADS Workshop.

The 2026 Winter Board Meeting/MS LEADS Workshop of the GFWC-Mississippi Federation of Women's Clubs, Inc., will be held on **Saturday, February 21st** at the **Mississippi Library Commission (MLC) Headquarters** in Jackson, MS. All GFWC-MFWC Clubwomen and Juniores are invited and welcome to attend the Winter Board Meeting from 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. with only the Executive Board Members voting.

Our 2026 MS LEADS Workshop will be held immediately following the Winter Board Meeting from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The MS LEADS Workshop provides the opportunity to "Educate, Engage, and Empower" members by providing training that identifies and strengthens leaders throughout Mississippi. Juliet Casper, GFWC Treasurer, has prepared a training program to maximize this opportunity to create strong, confident, and capable leaders who can motivate and inspire general club members and Juniores to be motivated and successful.

Please take note of the following information:

1. Advocates for Children Service Project: Each club is asked to bring a stuffed diaper bag with essential items need for a baby.
2. Dress for Winter Board/LEADS in comfortable GFWC MFWC apparel.
3. The cost for the entire day is 15.00. GFWC-MFWC has been awarded a grant from the Lower Pearl River Valley Foundation enabling us to provide a reduced registration fee for this event.
  - Registration Fee
  - Breakfast
  - Lunch
  - Afternoon Treat
  - GFWC Treasurer Expense
  - Donation to MLC

The registration form is attached to this call. Your registration must be postmarked or emailed by **February 10th**.

I am looking forward to seeing each of you and what the New Year has in store for us.

In Federation Love,  
Carolyn

Dr. Carolyn S. Tedford  
GFWC-MFWC President 2024-2026

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*Big Hearts ... Little Feet*

*The littlest feet leave the biggest footprints in our hearts.*

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