

**GFWC-MFWC IMPORTANT DATES**  
**2024-2026 ADMINISTRATION**  
**DR. CAROLYN S. TEDFORD, PRESIDENT**

## 2024

June 29-July 2	GFWC 2024 Annual International Convention, Hilton Chicago, Chicago Illinois
July 2	Installation of 2024-2026 GFWC Officers and Adjournment
July 5	MFWC Finance Committee & Executive Committee Meeting by Zoom Video Conferencing
July 12	MFWC Officers Orientation
July 13	MFWC Summer Executive Board Meeting and Summer Institute, MS Library Commission Headquarters, Jackson, MS. <a href="#">Link</a>
July 27	MFWC Juniorette Retreat, Decatur, MS
July 20	GFWC Board Directors Meeting
September 28	2024 GFWC National Day of Service. <a href="#">Link</a> 2024 St. Jude Walk/Run to End Childhood Cancer, Virtual or in-person (local event at Starkville, MS)
October 3-6	GFWC Southern Region Conference, Greenville, SC. <a href="#">Link</a>
October 20-26	GFWC Advocates for Children Week
November 1	MFWC State Club Dues must be postmarked by this date each year to receive Honor Club status. <a href="#">Link</a>
December 4	GFWC Holiday Reception Headquarters Washington, DC

## 2025

January 1	MFWC State <b>Club Dues</b> must be postmarked by this date each year for club reports to be judged and to be eligible for awards. <a href="#">Link</a>
January 1	MFWC <b>District Club Dues</b> . Please note: District Dues must be sent to your District Treasurer.
February 1	MFWC <b>Club Reports</b> must be submitted by this date each year for reports to be judged. <a href="#">Link</a>
February 1	MFWC <b>Challenge Grant applications, Hebron Memorial Scholarship and GFWC Writing Contest entries</b> must be submitted by this date each year to be eligible for consideration
February 10	MFWC <b>Clubwoman of the Year Award applications, Juniorette of the Year Award applications, and MFWC LEADS applications</b> must be submitted by this date each year to be eligible for consideration
February 15	MFWC <b>Scrapbooks and Yearbooks</b> must be postmarked by this date each year to be eligible for consideration
February 17	MFWC Finance Committee & Executive Committee Meeting via Zoom Video Conferencing
February 22	MFWC Winter Board Meeting & MS LEADS
March 1	<b>Jennie Award nominations, Sarah Peugh Butterfly Scholarship application, and Club History Form</b> must be submitted by this date each year to be eligible for consideration.
March 5	GFWC Women's History Celebration
March 15	<b>Newsletter Contest</b> entries must be sent via postal mail and postmarked by March 15 <sup>th</sup> in the year in which they will be judged
March 15	<b>Website Contest</b> entries must be made via email and submitted by 11:59 p.m. on March 15 <sup>th</sup> in the year in which website entries will be judged

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March 15	Southern District Convention, Gulfport, MS
March 22	Northern District Convention, Bruce, MS
March 29	Central District Convention, Mervin United Methodist Church, Florence, MS.
April 20	Easter
April 20-26	GFWC Volunteers in Action Week
April 24-26	MFWC Annual State Convention, Gulfport, MS
April 24	General Federation Day
June 7-9	GFWC 2025 Annual International Convention, Omni Atlanta Hotel, Atlanta, GA.
July 13	MFWC Finance Committee & Executive Committee Meeting by Zoom Video Conferencing
July 19	MFWC Summer Board Meeting
July 19	MFWC Summer Institute Workshop
TBA	MFWC Juniorette Retreat
September 27	GFWC National Day of Service
September 27	St. Jude Walk/Run, Memphis, TN or National Virtual Walk/Run
October 16-19	GFWC Southern Region Conference, Huntsville, AL, <a href="#">Link</a>
October 19-25	GFWC Advocates for Children's Week
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February 1	MFWC <b>Challenge Grant applications, Hebron Memorial Scholarship, and Writing Contest</b> entries must be submitted by this date each year to be eligible for consideration
February 10	MFWC <b>Clubwoman of the Year Award applications, Juniorette of the Year Award applications, and MFWC LEADS applications</b> must be submitted by this date each year to be eligible for consideration
February 16	Finance Committee & Executive Committee Meeting via Zoom Video Conferencing
February 15	MFWC <b>Scrapbooks and Yearbooks</b> must be postmarked by this date each year to be eligible for consideration
February 21	<b>MFWC Winter Board Meeting &amp; MS LEADS</b>
February 22	<b>GFWC Community Impact Program Award</b> material must be submitted by this date to be eligible for consideration

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March 1	<b>Sarah Peugh Butterfly Scholarship application</b> and <b>Club History Form</b> must be submitted by this date each year to be eligible for consideration.
TBA	<b>Northern District Convention</b> , Location to be announced at Winter Board Meeting in February 2026 Women's History Celebration
TBA	<b>Southern or Central District Convention</b> , Location to be announced at Winter Board Meeting in February 2026
March 15	<b>Newsletter Contest</b> entries must be sent via postal mail and postmarked by March 15 <sup>th</sup> in the year in which they will be judged
March 15	<b>Website Contest</b> entries must be made via email and submitted by 11:59 p.m. on March 15 <sup>th</sup> in the year in which website entries will be judged
TBA	<b>Southern or Central District Convention</b> , Location to be announced at Winter Board Meeting in February 2026
April 5	Easter
April 19-25	GFWC Volunteers in Action Week
April 24	General Federation Day
April 23-25	MFWC Annual State Convention, hosted by Northern District
June 27-29	GFWC 2026 Annual International Convention, Westin Kierland Resort & Spa, Scottsdale, AZ
June 29	Installation of 2026-2028 GFWC Officers and Adjournment