**GFWC Plantation Woman’s Club**

**General Meeting VIA ZOOM**

**April 13, 2021**

The meeting was called to order @ 10:05 AM by Bev Payne.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Darlene Vlazny.

Collect for Women was led by Darlene Vlazny.

Inspiration by Karinne Bernstein - “My A Team”

Minutes Cece Ramirez

1. Minutes of March General Meeting

MOTION TO ACCEPT AS DISTRIBUTED:

 1st – Bev Payne

 2nd – Cece Ramirez

 MOTION PASSED

Correspondence Karen Hodish

 No report

Treasurer’s Report Joan King

 a) Expenses

 b) Monthly report

 Accepted as distributed.

 Financial Secretary Nancy Dzoba

 No updates

 1st V.P. Programs 2021 Lou Ireland

 a) April program will commence today with Scholarship awards.

 b) May program will be a business meeting and announcement of the Woman

 of the Year for 2020.

 2nd V.P. Membership Helen Ackerman

 a) Introduction of new members:

 Carol Norman

 Rebecca Solomon

 Susan Warren

 (GFWC Members will be automatically accepted. By-Laws to be addressed).

 b) LEADS brainstorming meeting to be set up by Helen.

3rd V.P. Ways and Means Laura Palazzo

 a) The April Social will include the sale of cookbooks, vendors and entertainment

 of a guitar player at a cost of $150.

 b) The May Social will include the ice cream truck vendor.

4th V.P. – CIP DELETE - Michelle Moskowitz

 a) The Police Department and Fire Department are working on their wish lists.

 b) Golf Tournament – A request was made from the Fire Department for the Annual

 Golf Tournament for a $1,500. Level sponsorship

MOTION:

 1st – Lou Ireland

 2nd – Joan King

 MOTION PASSED

 Michelle to forward paperwork to Judy for check issuance.

 (Pat Livingston addressed a possible conflict of interest and this was determined

 not to be the case).

 Reports of Committees

 Arts - Roberta Carraway…. she has a few craft ideas.

 Conservation - Martha Gregory…. The Rare Fruit and Vegetable Council of Broward

 County is having a spring plant sale on April 17th, 18th and 24th at

5105 SW 208 Lane, Southwest Ranches.

 Home Life - Pat Livingston….no report

 Culture - Gail Triviz…. working on ideas

 Public Issues - Gloria Merritt…. working on the videos

 Education -Karen Hodish…scholarship program this date

 Sunshine - Eirene Stansbury….

 Big thank you to Michelle for all of the handmade greeting cards.

 Pat Livingston is recovering well.

 Yearbook - Gloria Merritt….no report

 Woman of the Year - Cece Ramirez….

To be announced at the May General Meeting

The committee will be meeting to determine the colors for the tables and

 designs. A mock-up will be done to see what works.

 Roberta is working on the corsages.

 Old Business

 Darlene is working on a visit to the Plantation Historical Museum for May 8th at

 10 AM and 11:15 AM

 Adjournment at 11:20 AM to present scholarships.

 Membership Attendance : 29

 Education Program Karen Hodish

 The students receiving scholarships:

 Madison Rodriguez – USF – Pediatric Cardiology

 Haylee Thomas – FL A&M – Journalism and Communication

 Katelyn Spohn – Univ. of Florida – Clothing Design

 Riley Boerger – Univ. of Florida – Statistics

 Ketnie Domond – BCC - Dentistry

 Brandon Rae – Harriett Wilkes Honors College of FAU – Medical Career

 Each student read a self-written essay about themselves and the desire for their future

 endeavors.