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### **CWC Chair - Javonna Earsom**



The past three years have taken me on an amazing journey where I have made some awesome friendships. It has been such an honor and education to serve Country Women's Council, USA as the 2015-2017 Chairman!

In 2015 CWC celebrated its 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the council meeting complete with ice sculpture, cake, punch, and international guests. The meeting was held in Tulsa,

Oklahoma, hosted by Oklahoma Home and Community Education. During the meeting CWC members chose to adopt our first ACWW Project to fund; Project #973, Greenhouse Development in Mongolia. The project was totally funded within twelve months with funds leftover to begin funding the next project.

In 2016 the CWC board chose the ACWW Project #1007. The aim of this project is to promote indigenous rice and vegetable crops through sustainable farm methods among marginalized women in Pudukottai district, Tamil Nadu. Women farmers in six villages were mobilized and given orientation on the goals of the project. This project was completed this year.

Forty of us traveled from the USA to the UK to join 600 delegates from seventythree other countries to discuss, decide, and celebrate ACWW working together for an improved quality of life for women worldwide at the 28<sup>th</sup> Triennial Conference in Warwick, UK. CWC, USA introduced two resolutions and one recommendation during the conference; all three passed unanimously. Visit the CWC website to read all of the resolutions and recommendations adopted.

The 2017 CWC, USA / ACWW Area Meeting was a productive meeting. ACWW World President Ruth Shanks, ACWW Deputy World President Margaret Yetman, ACWW UN Committee Chairman Kerrie Maw-Smith, Canada ACWW Area President Sheila Needham, and Canada Women's Institute President Linda Hoy were in attendance and participated in the program. President Shanks encouraged the attendees to report all of their projects and programs to ACWW. She stated that "women just do what - continued page 2



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### **CWC Chair - Javonna**





they do", women aren't recognized - we just do what needs to be done. Deputy President Yetman addressed the group regarding the Zero Hunger Challenge. She encouraged the group to support Jo Almond's suggestion of collecting dimes in a 6 oz. water bottle which would equal \$50, turn them in to the CWC treasurer and one-half would stay in the USA. The Zero Hunger Challenge was launched by United Nations Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon in 2012. The Zero Hunger vision reflects five elements from within the Sustainable Development Goals, which taken together, can end hunger, eliminate all forms of malnutrition, and build inclusive and sustainable food systems.

During the area meeting members present worked together to choose the top three project choices for funding a third ACWW Project #1023. Remember to collect your Pennies for Friendship and send in donations for Project #1023 when you send in your 2018 CWC and ACWW dues to the CWC Treasurer (due Dec. 1).

As I leave office I pass the gavel to NVON representative Linda Gause from Indiana Extension Homemakers Association. Linda has a history of service and leadership; I know she will serve you well. Incoming treasurer will be Coleen Van Dyke from the Iowa Master Farm Homemakers Guild. Coleen is the state treasurer for IMFH.

CWC has accepted an invitation from Iowa Master Farm Homemakers Guild to be held in Dubuque, Iowa, September 10-12, 2018. I look forward to seeing each of you there.

Javonna Earsom



# ACWW USA AREA PRESIDENT



Societies & Members

The ACWW/USA Area Meeting was a huge success. Society leaders and ACWW individual members came away with new ideas, updates of ACWW international activities, New Campaigns and enthusiasm. The following paragraphs will explain and highlight what was accomplished at this meeting.

After much discussion of projects presented, three were selected. I contacted ACWW Projects secretary, Juliet Childs, for conformation and our first selection "Enhancement of Nutritional Health Security through Home Gardens for Dalit Women" #1023 was granted to us for sponsorship. The amount CWC societies needed to raise is \$4,475.00. Please go to the website, <u>www.cwcusa.org</u>, and locate the form and general information on the project for your society donation. By the way, individuals may contribute also to this project.

I also talked about the Projects Anniversary Appeal. The projects committee is wanting to raise  $\pm 150,000$  to mark the 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Projects Committee, if an individual, group or society would like to do a onetime donation please do. If you chose to donate, please make a note on your check so that it will be added to the Appeal fund. Let's help the projects committee reach their goal.

As you may all recall, the CWC societies put forth two resolutions and one recommendation at the last triennial in Wales with all being approved. It was discussed and decided, to work on topics for this triennial in Melbourne, Australia. Linda Gause will be chairing this committee along with Annette Lanham (Florida) and Jane Chapman (Illinois) as committee members. Three topics were selected for research. These will be submitted to the resolutions and recommendations committee in London for review. If selected they will be presented at the triennial conference in 2019. If you have any suggestions for research please contact Linda Gause. Her email address is <u>lindag0607@sbcglobal.net</u>.

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# **ACWW USA AREA PRESIDENT**



**ZERO HUNGER** is my chosen Campaign for this triennium. At the Area Meeting, those in attendance, received a small water bottle with a logo on it and a cloth pocket to fill with funds. Attached to the bottle was a poem that stated "Check your pockets every day for any dimes if you may. To help bring hunger to an end, Fill this little bottle to the Brim". These are to be used as examples to promote and support this campaign. The proceeds from this campaign will be split between a United States hunger program and ACWW. Let's see what kind of a dent we can put into eliminating hunger throughout the world. (The poem, logo's and pocket directions for ZERO HUNGER can be found on the CWC website, <u>www.cwcusa.org.</u>) If you have any questions about this campaign please contact me at <u>acwwusajo.com</u>. Funds should be sent to the CWC Treasurer.

At the area meeting we were very privileged to have some special dignitaries join us. These included Ruth Shanks, ACWW World President, Margaret Yetman, Deputy President, Kerry Maw-Smith, United Nations Committee Chair, Sheila Needham, Canada Area President and Linda Hoy, President Federated Women's Institute of Canada. I really appreciated their support and sharing of ACWW information.

I must mention a couple other <u>very important</u> items:

ACWW has moved...... All mailed correspondence should be sent to this

#### **<u>NEW</u>** address:

ACWW, A04 Parkhall, 40 Martell Road, London, SE21 8EN, United Kingdom

The phone, website and email has stayed the same. Please make a note of the change.

#### 29<sup>th</sup> Triennial World Conference will be <u>April 4-10, 2019.</u>

#### The Location is Melbourne, Australia.

Start saving, this should be a great conference and you don't want to miss it. There is a short power point presentation on the CWC website with added information.



Don't forget next year the ACWW/CWC meeting is in Dubuque, Iowa, hosted by Iowa Master Farm Homemaker Guild on September 10-12, 2018

Please let me know if your society wishes for me to attend and/or present at a function you are having.

I will do my best to attend.

Jo Almond ACWW/USA Area President



## Meet Members around the World as a Letter Friend



The ACWW Friendship Links Program is the pen friend plan of the Associated Country Women of the World<br/>(ACWW). It is just one part of ACWW's commitment to Connecting and Supporting Women and Communi-<br/>ties Worldwide, and incorporates both traditional handwritten letters as well as digital means such as e-mail,<br/>social media messaging and online friendship.www.acww.org.ukinof@acww.org.uk

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# Linda Gause, Country Womens Council USA, Chair 2018-2020





Linda Gause was born and raised in Grinnell, IA. She is married to Phil and they just celebrated their 49<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary. In 1973 they moved to Bloomington, IN after short stops in Iowa City, Iowa and Champaign/Urbana, Illinois. They have two married sons and 5 grandchildren which range in age from 11 to 27. Linda and Phil own Vance Music in Bloomington which is a full line music store. From 1980 to 2007 Linda was employed by United Ministries in Higher Education, an ecumenical campus ministry that served the Indiana University students, faculty and staff. Currently Linda is employed by the music store and joins Phil and son Eric.

Linda has been a member of IEHA for 27 years and has served her county and state in many positions including IEHA State President. She is currently serving as IEHA

Home and Family conference registrar and is the Co-Chair of First Books for Kids. 2011-2013 she served as President of the National Volunteer Outreach Network. Linda is a member of the Country Women's Council USA and ACWW and has attended the last four triennials serving as a member of the planning committee for the triennial in Hot Springs, Arkansas. At the CWCUSA annual meeting in 2014 she was appointed as Resolutions and Recommendations Committee Chair. Two resolutions and one recommendation were presented at the 2016 Triennial and all 3 passed unanimously.

Linda's hobbies include paper crafts and reading, attending grandchildren's sporting and music events, and Indiana University baseball and women's basketball.



## **Dorothy Bates - National Master Farm Homemakers Guild**





Dorothy joins the CWC Board as the President of National Master Farm Homemakers Guild and will serve until December 31, 2019

She and her husband live on an irrigated farm near Kersey, CO where they raise corn, wheat and alfalfa. Her family includes one daughter and a son-in-law plus two granddaughters, both of whom are in college.

She enjoys tending her flower beds and vegetable gardening in the summer. With that comes canning and freezing the produce. Other enjoyable activities include baking, cooking and sewing. Dorothy was inducted into the Colorado Master Farm Homemakers Guild in 2008. She has held the offices of secretary in Colorado and has served as National Vice President and is currently President of National Guild through December 2019.

She has been an active member of Colorado Family & Community Education Association for 28 years. A 4-H leader for 35 years, and a host family for 20 different students from Thailand over a 10 year period. Dorothy is also active in her church as a member and volunteer in various areas.

She retired in 2007 from Aims Community College, Greeley, having worked in the Human Resources department for 20 years.

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### Coleen Van Dyke Elected as Treasurer 2018-2020

Coleen was elected to serve as CWC treasurer, replacing Jo Almond beginning January 1, 2018.

Farm life best describes me. As a teenager my motto was "wait till I meet the right farmer-then I'll consider marriage! Glenn and I were married in 1962 (55 years ago), purchased our farmstead near Searsboro in 1967. We have been blessed with 3 children-**Greg** has taken over the farming operation; **Gerry** is parts manager at Ver Meer Mfg; **Cherie** is part time chef. They are all married and we have an 'Angel Collection' of 10

grandchildren and 4 great grandchildren. Through the years I have gained a lot of experience sorting hogs, feeding cattle, helping with field work and being the accountant.

In 1958, I graduated from high school and later graduated from college with a degree in elementary education, business (accounting) and sociology. I taught school full-time until our children were born. In order to remain current with curriculums, I continued being a substitute teacher and am still a regular in our school system. I keep telling the principal as long as I have 'fun', I will come. It is a nice 'break' from the activities on the farm.

Through the years, I have served (or currently serve) on the Extension Board, USDA and FSA Board, Poweshiek County Board of Adjustments, Good Samaritan Inner City Board and School Foundation Board. I am the accountant for our business which includes us, our son and grandson. I was inducted into the IMFH in 2006 and since 2015 have been Iowa Master Farm Homemaker's treasurer. My husband and I are active in prison ministry; we teach Sunday school and mentor former inmates. We are active members of Lynnville Friends Church and we strive daily to reflect Christ's love through our actions.

It's time to start promoting the Ruth B. Sayre Scholarships. If you know of a deserving person who has gone back to school and could use some help have them fill out an application per instructions below.

**Ruth B. Sayre Scholarships** 

Application forms, available on CWC website - must be sent through applicant's state society chair or president of an ACWW-CWW affiliated society listed on website <u>www.cwcusa.org</u>. **Due Date is March 1** 

Annually up to 4 - \$500 scholarships are awarded.

1. Applicant must be a legal resident of USA

3. Demonstrate leadership ability

5. Carry a minimum of nine.(9) credit hours.

Member Societies can be found on the Website and include: National Master Farm Homemakers Guild, National Volunteer Outreach Network and Affiliated Societies

Donations to the Sayre Scholarship can be made by sending check to CWC Treasurer listed on website:

#### www.cwcusa.org.

4. Have financial need

2. Live in a state of a CWC member society











# ACWW CWC USA Area Meeting - Huntsville Alabama 2017



If you didn't get to Huntsville, you missed a great time. The ladies of Alabama treated us to good food, education and entertainment. As well as a great tour day.

The 2017 Handbook was given to the society presidents. Upon arriving it was noted that the ACWW offices had moved and that page 4 of the handbook needed to be totally replaced. Those corrections have been mailed and you should have the correct information by now. If you did not receive them contact me and I will see that you get them via email or mail.

As Editor I also need to keep the addresses up to date for mailing the News Sheet. I handed out copies of my current listing and would like to have them back as soon as possible if you haven't already done so. (*Every time a news sheet gets sent back to me for incorrect address or unable to forward, it costs CWC \$3.46*) this typically adds up to nearly \$30 with every mailing. I try to stay on top of the addresses, but it can only be done with your help. Thank you for any help you can give.



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Beverly Earnhart CWC Editor

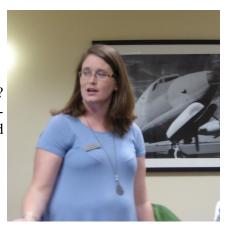


Craft time - Folded tree



Our speakers from Alabama Extension -Rudy Pacumbaba and Alex Tigue Rudy spoke on "What is a GMO? & Alex spoke on "Facts about antibiotics and Hormone use in Food Animals." Very informative.

> Kelly East Spoke on DNA research



# International Visitors

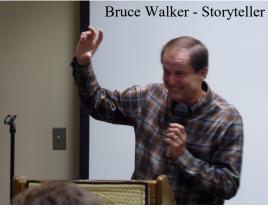
### 2018 - CWC Board





Sheila Needham, ACWW Canada Area President Margaret Yetman ACWW Deputy President, Canada Ruth Shanks ACWW World President, Australia Kerry Maw-Smith, United Nations Committee Chair, New Zealand Linda Hoy, Canada Federated Women's Institute President Beverly Earnhart - CWC Editor Loretta Lyons - CWC Vice Chair Linda Paramore - CWC Secretary Linda Kaletch - NVON President Linda Gause - Incoming CWC Chair, Jo Almond - ACWW USA Area President Dorothy Bates - National MFHG President Coleen Van Dyke - Incoming Treasurer Pam Hanfland - CWC Webmaster









1848 Home seen on tour of Twickenham District. One of many we drove by.

Tour guide - Robert Reeves was an excellent source of information on Civil War era.

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## Success Stories - Cleveland County NC ECA



The photo shows Les Dixon and Jean Ann Privett of the Belwood Club, Cleveland County ECA, donating 22 "My Stuff Bags" to Tina McNeilly (center of photo) a DSS staff member who works with children in Foster Care.

"My Stuff Bags" contain items that are age and gender appropriate for children who come to Foster Care often leaving everything behind. The bags contain a variety of supplies such as toys, books, stuffed animals, school supplies, personal care items, clothing and

"security blankets" that help the children who find themselves in Foster Care without many of these basic care and comfort items. Mrs. McNeilly has expressed that the My Stuff Bags are a welcomed surprise and comfort to the children. It also gives them their own duffle bag for their personal belongings.

#### **CLEVELAND COUNTY ECA COOKS!**

Tasty meal preparation is one the many talents Cleveland County ECA members possess. As a means to raise funds for ECA projects, the members of Cleveland County ECA clubs have developed a project to provide meals for the Cleveland County Commissioners. At their regular meetings the Commissioners are treated to a delicious and healthy meal by ECA members. The Commissioners are pleased to have a nutritious meal and are very appreciative of the efforts of ECA members to provide the meals.



Shown in the photos are some of the ECA members who have prepared recent meals for the Commissioners Meal Project: Mary Sue Boyles, Lorinda Richard, Jean Ann Privett, Karen Hubbard and Pat Farley.



## Thank You to 2017 Outgoing Officers



Thank you to the officers who will be leaving the Country Women's Council Board as of December 31, 2017.

To Chair Javonna Earsom and Treasurer Jo Almond, we greatly appreciate your time and service that you have given to the organization the past three years.

Best wishes for your future endeavors.

Note: Jo stays on the board as the ACWW USA Area President until April, 2019.



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### **Resolutions & Recommendations 2016 - 2019**



At the 28<sup>th</sup> ACWW Triennial Conference held at Warrick University 10 resolutions and 3 recommendations were presented and adopted by the delegates. Resolution topics ranged from ACWW constitution and membership issues to food sovereignty, fructose and shale gas. The recommendation topics were refugees and the gold mining industry. Also adopted were "Disease Eradication" and "Wasting Water" resolutions along with a recommendation "Immigrant Children" which were presented by CWC-USA. The adopted resolutions and recommendations will help guide the work of ACWW over the next 3 years. ACWW societies are mandated to work on resolutions and urged to work on the recommendations. All of these resolutions and recommendations can be found on the CWC-USA website <u>www.cwcusa.org</u> under ACWW.

During the CWC-USA meeting in Huntsville, Alabama, members met in round table discussions to offer possible ideas for new resolutions and recommendations. Several topics were chosen and research is currently underway by members. The deadline to submit paperwork to the ACWW Resolutions and Recommendations committee is in March of 2018 so lots of work will be done in the next three months. If you have any topic ideas for resolutions please feel free to contact me via email <u>lindag0607@sbcglobal.net</u>.

Linda Gause Resolutions and Recommendations Committee Chair

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CWC USA Area Meeting September 10-12, 2018 Grand Harbor Resort Dubuque, Iowa

> National Volunteer Outreach Network, Inc. July 16-18, 2018 Country Springs Hotel Pewaukee, Wisconsin

National Master Farm Homemakers Guild September 27-29, 2018 Clarion Inn Fort Morgan, CO Associated Country Women of World 29th Triennial World Conference April 4 - 10 2019 Melbourne Convention Center Melbourne, Victoria, Australia

## **United Nations News**



We would like to thank Patricia Altshuler for her many years of service as the ACWW USA Representative to the United Nations. Patricia was honored at the UN Women's Forum earlier this year as she retired.

We wish you the best in whatever your future holds.

The current USA Contact: is Ms. Anushka Wirasinha 305 West 50th Street Apt 25K, New York, NY 10019



### Women Walk The World



APRIL 29 IS ACWW DAY

Every year in April, ladies from all over the globe come together for a very special event - Women Walk the World. This encourages everyone to get out and spread the word of ACWW's good work, walking in your local area with flyers and information and of course, it provides a fantastic social activity too. Children, dogs and even husbands can be included. Get your walk sponsored, and don't forget to take photos. Each year we pick the best photo from Women Walk the World, and it features on the front cover of the July issue of our quarterly magazine, The Countrywoman.

This year we are issuing a special challenge - how far can your group walk? Count the number of steps (why not use one of our Pedometers?), multiply it by the number of people in your group and let us know.



## ACWW HAS MOVED!!!!



PLEASE NOTE: ACWW has moved.... The new address is

ACWW A04 Parkhall 40 Martell Road London

SE21 8EN

**United Kingdom** 

The website has more changes as well.

The individual membership categories have been revised.

The previous Category IVb is now Category V

1 year renewal is £25 or \$34.00 US 3 year renewal is £65 or \$85 US.

Dues are to be paid by January 1 each year. Payable online at <u>www.acww.org.uk</u>



### **ACWW News**



Please Note: 2016-2019 Triennium Membership dues have increased.

Dues: Associated Country Women of the World have increased dues effective January 1, 2017.

The membership form is on the following page with the new figures. You may go online to <u>www.acww.org.uk</u> to renew with a credit card. The site is a locked secure site. All dues are payable by January 1, of each year.

<u>Women Walk the World</u> is again going to be held on April 29th. Make plans now to hold an event and send pictures of your event to the Country Woman. You may see yourself on the front cover.



# Associated Country Women of the World

ACWW CONNECTS AND SUPPORTS WOMEN AND COMMUNITIES WORLDWIDE

#### APPLICATION / RENEWAL OF INDIVIDUAL (Category IVb) MEMBERSHIP IN ACWW

- An individual interested in the work and activities of ACWW
- She may attend Triennial Conferences, Council and Area Conferences, space permitting.
- She does not have a vote, but may speak with the permission of the Chairman.

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# CWC ACWW Project # 1007 Final Report



# #1007 India - Indigenous rice and vegetables cultivation among marginal women farmers



#### MONITORING REPORT SUMMARY

India – Success Trust - Promotion of indigenous rice and vegetables cultivation among marginal women farmers and prevent their migration to towns – No. 1007

ACWW Resource Person Elizabeth Swamy visited this project and reports that this organisation uses rented offices and has rooms for activities such as training in computers, agricultural practices and others. The Trust has received help from other agencies such as Water for Humanity, USA, to dig bore wells, and Share the Global

Resources – Quakers USA, in the past.

Elizabeth found that the 40 women beneficiaries had been given motivational training regarding the project; they had then been given training in the preparation of natural manure and pesticides. They had started to prepare these, using earthworms, storage drums and other materials.

Indigenous varieties of rice seed and vegetable seeds had been distributed and the beneficiaries were preparing the fields to sow the seeds. It had been raining for a week at the time of Elizabeth's visit, so the conditions were appropriate for sowing, whereas for the past two years there had been no proper rains.

Elizabeth interviewed some of the women (self-help group leaders and members), and found that they appreciated the training they had been given and were looking forward to a successful harvest and an improved diet.

The trainers and monitors are experienced agriculturists who are interested in reviving traditional methods of farming, which are sustainable and use organic methods. Elizabeth discussed the project activities with them and was told that the indigenous varieties of rice are more nutritious than some new ones, and that the farming methods being taught should enable the Trust to establish a 'seed-bank' for different crops.

Elizabeth reports that other farmers in the area had expressed interest in taking up this type of organic farming, so the project appears to be having considerable impact in the area. She believes that a further monitoring visit

to view the fields at harvest-time would be beneficial,



Education classes in session





#### COUNTRY: India SOCIETY: Deepam Trust PROJECT: Enhancement of nutritional health security through home gardens for Dalit women PROJECT NO: 1023 ACWW GRANT: £3,420\* \$4,475.00 US

The beneficiaries of this project will be 250 Dalit women and their families (around 2,150 people in total) who are in 25 deprived rural villages in Thanjavur district, Tamil Nadu.

Deepam Trust's field staff have carried out a study of the nutrition status of women, adolescent girls and children under five years of age in five of the target villages. Personal stories of food insecurity, malnutrition and disease were shared, and the staff developed an action plan as a result of this study.

The beneficiaries will be trained in nutrition education, breastfeeding promotion, food safety, home gardening and sustainable cooking methods over two days, in groups of 50. The training will be carried out by resource people from the Tamil Nadu Government's Horticulture and Agriculture Department and Health Department, supported by self-help group leaders and volunteers from Deepam Trust.

Seed kits and seedlings of species suitable for home gardening will be distributed to the beneficiaries, who will be encouraged to grow green vegetables and fruits for their families. The Trust's field staff will make regular visits to the beneficiaries and their home gardens to offer advice and support.

Village-level awareness meetings on locally-available, inexpensive nutrition, sustainable cooking methods and the production of chemical-free foods, will be carried out twice a month in the 25 villages (600 meetings in all). Awareness of the availability of government-sponsored vitamin supplements, de-worming tablets etc. for children will also be spread at these meetings.

It is expected that the beneficiaries will have an improved diet and will be less dependent on local markets for their food than before. They will be able to build their household's capacity to prepare inexpensive, nutritious food and, as the main caretakers of their home gardens, will be empowered as a result of this project.

# Country Women's Council USA

Project in Common Donation Form Country Women's Council USA – ACWW Project in Common Number: #1023

#### Enhancement of Nutritional Health Security through Home Gardens for Dalit Women

#### **Amount Needed: \$4,475.00**

Complete Form on Page 15

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## **CWC News Sheet Subscriptions & Handbook**

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*CWC News Sheet* Please note that a printed copy is sent to 5 Executive officers of each Society. This cost is covered by the dues paid to CWC by the Society.

Individual subscriptions are currently 3 years for \$18. That is 6 newsletters total. The form is included if you wish to have your own printed copy or know of someone who does not have access to a computer to download off the website. For those who do have a computer, you can download, at <u>www.cwcusa.org</u>.

Please check website for details of upcoming ACWW/CWC Area meeting October 2-4 in Huntsville, AL.

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*Country Womens Council Handbooks* are printed every three years. There is a new handbook this year. If your society noticed any changes to your name that needed to be made please let me know as soon as possible so the changes can be made in the next issue.

The Handbook has been distributed (2) per society. Additional Handbooks will be available for purchase by members for a \$3.00 fee, plus postage & handling of \$1.25. CWC Editor

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# Country Women's Council USA

## Project in Common Donation Form

#### Country Women's Council USA – ACWW Project in Common Number: #1023

#### Enhancement of Nutritional Health Security through Home Gardens for Dalit Women

Society: Deepam Trust

Location: India

#### **Amount Needed: \$4,475.00**

Donation Amount being given: \$

Name of Society/Individual making Donation:

The Current information is also located on the CWC website at: <u>www.cwcusa.org</u>

Please remit donation along with a copy of this form to:

Jo Ellen Almond (present to DEC.31,2017) CWC Treasurer 11753 N. Shelby 700 W. New Palestine, In 46163

Phone: 317-432-5706

Email: <u>cwcusa.jo@gmail.com</u>

Coleen Van Dyke (January 2018-2020) CWC Treasurer 4815 50th Searsboro, IA 50242

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## **ACWW-CWC Area Meeting 2018**

# GRAND HARBOR RESORT SEPTEMBER 10 – 12, 2018 DUBUQUE IOWA

Located on the banks of the Mississippi River, with a scenic river walk.

Luncheon and cruise on the river boat Celebration Belle.

Mississippi Museum and Aquarium

**Ride the trolley and shop the Dubuque Stores** 

