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### MESSAGE FROM LINDA GAUSE - CWC CHAIR

Hope everyone is having a great fall. The first news I want to share is that Javonna Earsom has stepped forward and will fill the office of CWC Treasurer. Javonna's term will end December 31, 2020.

A Big Thank You to the Iowa Master Farm Homemakers Guild for their hard work in hosting our conference in September. What a beautiful site and the weather couldn't have been better. Presentations by Naturalist Allie Schmalz from Dubuque County Conservation on Water Conservation and Annette Lanham from Florida HCE on Pollinator Protection were informative and fun. The post conference luncheon and cruise on the Celebration Belle down the Mississippi was enjoyed by all. It was a good time just to sit back and relax while

enjoying the food, music and most important the good conversation with friends.

In board news we are coming to the end of the year which means Vice President Loretta Lyons and Secretary Linda Paramore will finish their terms of office December 31, 2018. Thank you to both of them for their hard work for CWC.

Two new board members were introduced at our conference in September – Vice-President Debbie Mote, Oklahoma HCE and Secretary Rebecca Conley, Florida HCE. Welcome to Debbie and Rebecca who will officially take office January 1, 2019.

An update on the ACWW Project #1023 Enhancement of Nutritional Health Security through home gardens

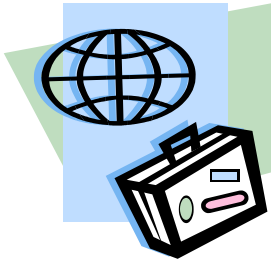
for Dalit women. The amount needed to fully fund the project was \$4,475.00. Donations to the project in 2017 were \$3,081.71 and donations to date for 2018 are \$210.82. The balance to fund the project stands at \$1,182.47. The project donation form can be found on the CWC website with the project description form.

And another reminder --- In order to vote for Area President and other positions at Triennial your .....Cont'd page 2

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**CWC CHAIR - LINDA GAUSE MESSAGE - CONT'D**

ACWW and CWC society dues must be paid by November 15<sup>th</sup>. The form and the dues check should be mailed to me. If you have questions please call or email.

It won't be long until many of us head to Melbourne, Australia to attend the 29<sup>th</sup> ACWW

Triennial. As members of CWC we should all be proud that two resolutions written by CWC members will be presented for a vote by the voting delegates. Iron Deficiency and Pollinator Protection are both important to all of us. A total of 13 resolutions will be brought before the voting delegates.

The accepted resolutions will guide the work of ACWW for the next 3 years. Circular 4 is a full list of resolutions to be presented and can be found on the ACWW website.

Linda Gause - Chair  
Country Womens  
Council USA

**ACWW USA AREA PRESIDENT REPORT**

**Triennial:  
Don't forget to bring  
your Tissue Holder  
for contest  
and baby items.**

Well, fall has finally arrived. The brisk winds, colorful leaves and rainy days. Let's enjoy these because the white flakes will soon be arriving.

I have lots to cover in this news article so here goes....

Our CWC meeting was great. We covered so many topics during the ACWW portion of CWC.

WE Fund – this is a new program for projects

Resolution and Recommendations – a list was gone over and topics were discussed

Triennial Accommodations and Venue – the website was demonstrated and information was reviewed.

Elections – Candidates were displayed and announcement of Jo Almond standing for Deputy President

Area Presidents Postal Voting – the postal voting was explained and announcement and introduction of candidates.

Which societies were attending Triennial and how others not attending can have representation

Global Survey – all members need to do this go to [www.ifrw.org.uk](http://www.ifrw.org.uk)

If anyone has a question on these topics please contact me. Or visit the ACWW website.

Since our conference in IOWA you should have received through email, Circular 7a and

7b.

7a... talks about Proxy Voting. This flier states that if you do not have anyone to carry your society vote from your society you can send this particular information to Central Office and they will find someone from another part of the world to carry your vote. We discussed this at the CWC conference and it was suggested to notify myself or Chair Linda Gause and we would connect you and your society up with an individual that will be attending from the United States. These individuals are willing to carry votes for the societies that were not able to attend.

7b... talked about the Area Presidents Postal Voting. All societies must send in the ....  
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## ACWW USA AREA PRESIDENT REPORT ...cont'd

information to Central Office. The information is self-explained and is easy to do. Just fill out the form and email it to [worldconference@acww.org.uk](mailto:worldconference@acww.org.uk) by December 31, 2018. If you do not get this information into the office your society will not have the opportunity to vote for your next Area President. The three candidates are listed and their bios are in the news sheet on page 4 and 5. Please take the time to

read their information and if you have any questions at all please contact any of them for the answer to your questions.

There are more forms and information that will be sent from Central Office, London ACWW) Please keep a look out for these. These are very important. If by chance you are having a change of leadership please forward the information to the new President.

Just a reminder, don't forget your dues are due NOVEMBER 15 to Linda Gause. You have to be a paid-up society to have a vote for the Area President and other positions at Triennial.

Have a great fall and if you have any questions please contact me whether it be by email, phone or mail.

JO Almond - ACWW USA Area President



## POST TOUR TO NEW ZEALAND

### Triennial Post Tour April 12- 21, 2018

**April 12:** Fly to Queenstown , New Zealand  
Hotel: Millennium Hotel  
3 nights - Breakfast included

**April 13:** Nature Cruise Milford Sound Scenic Flight

**April 14:** Free Day

**April 15:** Coach Transfer - Queenstown to Franz Josef  
Hotel: Glenfern Villas Continental Breakfast Included

**April 16:** Coach Transfer - Franz Josef to Christchurch

Train Ride through the Southern Alps (Tranz Alpine landscapes)

Hotel: Rendezvous Hotel Christchurch  
Full Breakfast included

**April 17:** Shuttle to Airport  
Fly to Blenheim  
Hotel: Chateau Marlborough 2 nights

**April 18:** Full day Tour: "Taste Marlborough"

**April 19:** Coach Transfer - Blenheim to Picton.  
Picton - Wellington Interislander - Shuttle - Ferry Terminal to Wellington City  
Hotels 2 nights  
Hotel: Rydges Welling-

ton Full Breakfast

**April 21:** Shuttle to Wellington Airport return to USA (flight to states not included)

**Approximate cost:**  
Land: \$ 5,900.00  
Air: \$ 1,400.00

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Complete Your  
Triennial experience  
with a tour of  
New Zealand







## BONNIE TEEPLES - OREGON FCE

I joined National Association for Family and Community Education because their values and those of ACWW closely align with my personal values. I am first and foremost a wife and mother to six grown children and grandmother to eleven. I am very concerned about the issues that face families around the world. The work each organization does reflects what I think is important in life. I know that the family is under attack on all sides and it is important that those of us who have the ability to do so should be doing all we can to influence officials to make policy that can help families meet basic needs. I have served in various leadership and organizational capacities in several organizations. I have attended 2 ACWW Triennial Conferences and three ACWW Area Meetings. I run my own business with 140 vendors and oversee 9 employees. I have served in various positions in my Study group, County Council, Oregon FCE, and National FCE organizations, including three years as National FCE President.

I have also been the National FCE Conference Chairman (4 years), Oregon FCE Conference chair) and have served on bylaws and handbook revision committees and written several educational

pieces for National and Oregon FCE.

Through the leadership abilities I have gained through my service in Oregon and National FCE, and the Family and Community Leadership program plus the skills that I have learned as a business owner and employer that I am qualified to fill this position. I have the support of my nominating society and more importantly my family.

I've been asked why I want to run? What do I think I can accomplish? The answer to that lies in the family values that I hold dear. I believe that every person on this earth is entitled to have their basic needs met. They deserve enough healthy food to eat, clean water to meet basic needs of hydration and cleanliness and very importantly, women and children deserve to be safe in their environment. I feel that as ACWW and its societies work together to accomplish this work we need all the willing hands that we can get. I want to be one of those willing hands and encourage others to be involved. I would love to see a Society wide project that can be accomplished by every society in the USA regardless of size. I'd like to see us all work together like we have on the Zero Hunger challenge.

I've also been asked how I feel about change. As a

business woman, I know that change is inevitable, but that same business woman in me does not believe in change for change sake. Before I make decisions about any change, I research the issues, get input from others affected and try to determine how it will affect all involved.

Another thing that drove me to apply was my trip to the Triennial in Chennai. I remember seeing families living in apartments that had the front of them cut off to widen the road. I can remember seeing the children playing in those open rooms, and seeing the mothers squatting over the brazier cooking dinner. Then in the village I visited seeing the complete joy on the faces of the people, especially the children. They were such a happy people, and I think I learned from them that day. That joy I felt in being with those wonderful people is something that I want to help others feel. As we develop, work on and complete projects that help others meet their needs is a source for that joy and feeling of accomplishment.



## CWC/ACWW - DUBUQUE IOWA HIGHLIGHTS



### Guest Tours CWC

The guest group toured Cornelius Seed Corn and Peters Beef Genetics on Monday.

On Tuesday, Sept. 11, 2018, a group of 16 men attending the CWC conference with their wives, and with Pat Carney, Cindee Schnekloth, Roger Poppen and Chuck Oldham as drivers, enjoyed a guided tour of Lock

and Dam 11 north of Dubuque on the Mississippi River. The tour was arranged by Chris Cornelius with lunch and wine tasting at Stone Cliff Winery followed by a tour of the winery. We had perfect weather to enhance the enjoyment of the camaraderie of the group.



Cornelius Seed Corn tour

## CWC Business Meeting

New officers -



Vice President,

Debbie Mote from Oklahoma Home & Community Education

January 1, 2019 - December 31, 2021

Secretary

Rebecca Conley from Florida Association of Home and Community Educators

January 1, 2019 - December 31, 2021

Treasurer

Javonna Earsom was appointed to fill vacancy for remainder of term

Current thru December 31, 2020

**DEBBIE MOTE - CWC VICE PRESIDENT 2019-2021**

Debbie is the immediate past president of Oklahoma and Community Education and has lived in Morrison, Oklahoma for 41 years. She graduated from Oklahoma State University with a BS Degree in Education. She has taught Middle School Reading for 29 years. Debbie retired in May 2018 from teaching and lives on a farm where she raises cows and chickens. She has three grown sons and

daughters-in-law and is blessed to be the proud grandma to eight grandchildren.

Oklahoma Home and Community Education became a part of Debbie's life over 36 years ago. She has served her local group as President numerous times, Vice President, Treasurer, Reporter, and has served on various committees throughout the years. On the County level,

Debbie has served as President numerous times, Secretary, and Parliamentarian, along with serving on many committees. She currently is serving her county as the By-Laws Chair. On the State Level, Debbie has served as Northwest District Representative, Arrangements Committee Member, President and is currently the Nominating Chair.



**REBECCA (BECKY) CONLEY - SECRETARY 2019-2021**

Becky is a member of the Florida Association of Home & Community Educators. She is currently serving as Florida FCE State President.

Club Vice President, President and Secretary, District Vice President, and Foundation Chairman,

She is a 25 year 4-H leader, has served on Osceola County Advisory Board and retired 3 years ago from the Osceola School system guidance department.

Her interests and talents include; sewing wedding gowns, bridesmaid gowns and costumes, etc.

She owns a wedding company that directs and decorates for weddings. She also enjoys painting, reading, needlecrafts and her grandchildren.



**JAVONNA EARSOM - TREASURER 2019-2020**

Javonna is no stranger to CWC having recently served as Treasurer and Country Womens Council USA Chair.

We thank her for stepping up and agreeing to fulfill the vacancy of Treasurer thru December 31, 2020





## OPENING CEREMONY



Presentation of colors was by the Dubuque American Legion Post #6 Color Guard.

The presentation was more than just carrying in of flags.

It was a moving ceremony to honor our country, flag and our veterans.

Thank you for reminding us of what we owe to them for our freedoms.

### Wednesday Tour Aboard the Celebration Belle for lunch and cruise on Mississippi



Above: Judith Perreault, Pamela Carlin, & Yvonne Wheeler from New Hampshire enjoying the view of the river.

Marie Henifen, Candace Chambers and Gail Winkelman from Washington state enjoying conversation and friends

A great time was had by all who came along on The Celebration Belle for lunch and a cruise on the Mighty Mississippi River.

We had a wonderful morning snack and then a great lunch followed.

The staff was one of the most efficient I have ever witnessed.

They served nearly 400 persons the

morning snack in about 15 minutes and the lunch was just a bit longer to get us all through the buffet lines. Awesome!

After lunch we were entertained by "Take Two" which included a visit from the "King" himself. "Elvis." The ladies were still swooning over him after all these years.

FUN !!



The quilt winner.  
Congratulations





## POSTCARDS CONNECT FRIENDS WORLDWIDE

International Friendship was uniquely expressed at the CWC-USA / ACWW Area Meetings in October. Eleven postcards of Dubuque, Iowa were sent as Greetings to a few participants in the Associated Country Women of the World Friendship Links Program.

Linda Gause, CWC-USA Chairman, initiated the activity and enlisted the help of Pat Weitzmann, ACWW Friendship Links Coordinator USA. Postcards were signed (name and state)

by attendees seated at 11 separate dinner tables on the last day of the meetings. Six cards were mailed to USA 'Links' participants and 5 cards to non-USA 'Links' participants.

A postcard recipient, Mirjam Hirsch, sent a thank you email to Pat Weitzmann saying "I belong to the Edenthorpe branch of the WI (*Womens Institute*) in South Yorkshire in England and saw the article (*about ACWW Friendship Links*) in our LIFE Magazine that we get...

and wrote in and was contacted by Judy (*Friendship Links Coordinator in Canada*) who then went about connecting me with Marnie (Indiana Extension Homemakers Assoc. member) in Indianapolis. Both Judy and Marnie are such wonderful human beings and I say this without any patronization whatsoever. To me, they are both treasures and am so happy to have found them.

**What a lovely way to connect us all with the post card."**



Postcards sent to Friendship participants

## ACWW Friendship Links Program

Whether you are a letter writer, use electronic communication or both you are welcome to become a 'pen friend' with a woman in the USA or elsewhere in the world.

To begin the process just complete an ACWW Friendship Links

Application.

(Your state association/society should have one.)

Send the completed application to:

Pat Weitzmann,  
23485 Eagle's Nest Rd.  
Antioch, IL 60002.

Or, contact Pat for information or an application:

[pweitzmann5@gmail.com](mailto:pweitzmann5@gmail.com)

or 847-308-6256  
cell phone.

**ACWW Friendship Links**  
☞☞ connecting members

**Find a new friend through ACWW Friendship Links Program**



## RECEIPTS: RUTH B. SAYRE SILENT AUCTION PENNIES

The final figures from income are as follows:

Ruth B Sayre \$356.00  
Scholarships

Silent Auction  
\$1097.00

Pennies \$286.47

There was additional money added to the silent auction monies after Marilyn had announced the income amount.

Linda Gause



## 2018 Ruth B Sayre Scholarship Winners

### MACY MAU MUSCODA, WISCONSIN



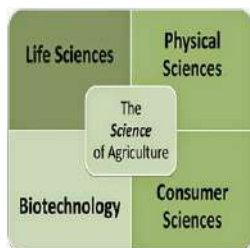
Macy Mau, From Muscoda, Wisconsin is 18 years of age. Her plans are to attend Western Technical College in Lacrosse, WI to receive an Associate Degree and then a Bachelor's Degree in Physical Therapy while continuing her education at another Institution. She attended Riverdale High School where she was a student athlete playing volleyball. Her coach states, "Macy was a player that would always do what was best for the team." Macy has been a three sport athlete for four years. She has been active in drama, student council and is a member of the National Honor Society, while still making the honor roll all four years.

**Congratulations to  
our scholarship  
winners**

### LAUREN MOSHER LISCOMB, IOWA

Lauren Mosher lives in Liscomb, Iowa. Her father is a farmer and her mother is an office manager. Her plans are to attend Iowa State University and study Agricultural Communications, Agricultural Business, and Animal Science, while seeking a Bachelor's Degree.

In both her letters of recommendations, she was referred to as an excellent communicator in performing passionate speeches for the student body. Lauren has worked on her family Angus farm from childhood to present, assisting with daily operations, leading to producing a high quality nutritional consumer product.



## 2018 Ruth B Sayre Scholarship Winners

### JAMA CLAXTON    RUSSIAVILLE, INDIANA



Jama Claxton is 19 years of age from Russiaville, Indiana. She attended Western High School, where she was very active in school and community activities. Her high school principal states, “Miss Jama Claxton represents the very best. She is kind, sweet, caring and goal oriented. Jama was a quiet super star throughout her high school career”. Jama plans to attend Cornerstone University in Grand Rapids, MI and pursue a Bachelor’s Degree in communications. She was very active in her community. She was involved in the 4-H Super Stars Club, church worship team, mission trip to Guatemala, Santa letters, Operation Christmas Child and many others.



**“These Ladies  
have awesome  
goals  
for the future”**

### LAUREN JESSICA HEARD    HUNTSVILLE, ALABAMA

Lauren Jessica Heard is from Huntsville Alabama. She is the daughter of William T Heard Jr. and Rachel P. Heard. Lauren plans to attend Auburn University. She studied biology and chemistry at Hazel Green High School where she was very active in the school chapter of the National Honor Society, serving as secretary. Her educational goal is to attend Auburn University and major in Chemical Engineering. Upon receiving a bachelor’s degree, she would like to enter pharmacy school and become a Pharmaceutical Scientist, giving back to the community by positively impacting the medical field.





## CWC PROPOSED RESOLUTION “IRON DEFECIENCY”



*Be it resolved that ACWW societies and members urge their governments and health organizations to continue supporting and financing the research needed to eliminate the world-wide epidemic of iron deficiency.*

\*\* “Without proper iron levels, children’s cognitive development is affected. Pregnancies are at greater risk for premature births, and babies have a greater difficulty bonding with mothers,” according to the World Health Organization, Manju Reddy, the Doris A. Adams Endowed Chair in Food Science and Human Nutrition.

Iron deficiency is the most common micronutrient deficiency worldwide and leads to microcytic anemia, decreased capacity for work, as well as impaired immune and endocrine function. 2 billion people – over 30% of the world’s population – are anemic due to the iron deficiency, affecting not only the underdeveloped countries of the world but the industrialized countries as well! Iron deficiency affects more people than any other condition, constituting a public health condition of epidemic proportion.

Despite iron being

very plentiful on earth increased research and understanding of iron biology is needed. As Reddy says, “We need to find new approaches. We need to ask how we can improve nutrition using multiple strategies, including supplementation, fortification, and identification of underutilized nutrient-dense foods.”

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*Source:* World Health Organization, Iowa State University, Cold Spring Harbor Perspectives in Medicine, U. S. National Library of Medicine – Biotechnology Institute

**Resolutions  
Proposed by  
Country Womens  
Council USA**



Pollinators come in many forms.

Bees, butterflies, bats, insects & hummingbirds to name a few

## PROPOSED RESOLUTION - POLLINATOR PROTECTION

*Be it resolved that ACWW societies and members urge their governments and research institutes to continue to identify and reduce specific drivers of insect pollinator decline, develop agricultural pollinator-friendly practices, and promote greater public awareness of the role of insect pollination in global food production.*

*Mover:* Country Women’s Council, USA

*Secunder:* Florida Association for Home and Community Educa-

tion, USA  
\*\*\*\*\*

Supporting statement  
Pollination is the process of transferring pollen from the male to female reproductive organs in plants to set seed and produce offspring. As the primary agent for pollination, insect pollinators, both wild and managed, are responsible for producing 35% of the food products that humans consume on any given day. In a world of changing environmental conditions, ever-increasing herbicide and pesticide usage, and con-

tinuing reduction of natural habitats, these pollinators are experiencing significant population declines. When nature’s pollinators go unprotected and uncared for, the world’s food supply is directly impacted.

*Source:* Convention for Biological Diversity; Organization for Economic Co-Operation and Development; Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations; United States Department of Agriculture Farm Services Agency.

## Never to “Old” to Walk the World

Okaloosa County Florida Home & Community Education walked for world hunger. Their leader said they walked a mile, but had a good time!

“Although we are senior citizens, we are still able to step up for a good cause.”



Thank you ladies!

Remember you too can “Walk the World” for Associated Country Women of the World

on ACWW Day  
April 29, 2019

Plan now to be a part of this world wide event.

[www.acww.org.uk](http://www.acww.org.uk)

## RURAL WOMEN SURVEY \* CORRECTION



Please note that the address for the ACWW Rural Women survey given in the April News Sheet was incorrect and won't work as printed.

*Please use the following:*  
International Forum on Rural Women / Global Survey the website is:  
[www.ifrw.org.uk](http://www.ifrw.org.uk)

The social media handle is **@ruralwomenforum**  
They won't work if run together as printed in April issue

**Please Note:**  
**Rural Women Survey address in April issue was wrong.**

## DATES TO REMEMBER

No CWC meeting in 2019.

Country Women's Council USA Area Meeting  
September 12-16, 2020  
Indianapolis, IN

September 2021  
O'Fallon, Illinois

Associated Country Women of the World  
Triennial Conference  
April 4-10, 2019  
Melbourne, Australia  
\*\*\*\*  
2022 Malaysia  
\*\*\*\*  
ACWW Day  
April 29, 2019  
*Women Walk the World*  
International Day of the Family  
May 15, 2019

National Volunteer Outreach Network  
July 23-25, 2019  
Springdale, Arkansas

National Master Farm Homemakers Guild  
August 7-9, 2019  
Manhattan Kansas



## NATIONAL VOLUNTEER OUTREACH NETWORK REPORT



I am pleased to tell you that the NVON celebrated our 20th annual meeting in July 2018 in Pewaukee WI. with 159 in attendance. Our membership includes the states of Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, North Carolina, South Carolina, West Virginia and Wisconsin. We have a total combined membership of 41, 976.

Newly elected, President-elect Stephanie Jerabek, will be attending the ACWW Triennial Conference as our representative in 2019. We look forward to her leadership as she helps to connect us to the

Associated Country Women of the World projects, programs and outreach in the next 4 years as she leads NVON.

One of our most outstanding programs, a project in common with all 8 states, is our "Water Around the World". In its 5th year, the project has provided water filtration systems to Nepal, Sri Lanka, Nigeria, Sierra Leone, Haiti, Guatemala and most recently Puerto Rico. The member states have raised \$130,000 in support of this program to help supply a life time of clean water for many.

Individual states have also taken on this project to help people in the Philippines with safe drinking water.

Arkansas will host the July 23-25, 2019 NVON Conference in Springdale, Arkansas. We invite you to come and be a part of NVON as we strive to be Strong-United-Visionary by Supporting Lifelong Learning, Enhance Leadership Skills and Strengthen Community Outreach.

Linda Kaletch

President 2017-2019

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### WEBSITE: CWCUSA.ORG

Be sure to check out the website for the latest information on Country Womens Council USA activities.

Project information

Zero Hunger Challenge

Area President's Newsletter

CWC Newsletter

Annual Meeting information

2018 Ruth Buxton Sayre Scholarship winners

2019 Dues notice for Society

Pam Hanfland -  
Webmaster

## NATIONAL MASTER FARM HOMEMAKER GUILD REPORT



First, a big thank you to members of Colorado Master Farm Homemakers Guild for hosting the 2018 National Conference in Greeley! It was especially exciting to welcome you to my home state and hope you had an enjoyable visit in Colorado.

The Guild has four states that are affiliated with the National MFHG -- Colorado, Iowa, Kansas and Kentucky. The current active membership of NMFHG is 363. We have remained fairly constant with membership the past couple years. It's always exciting to read the list of

new members inducted into this organization.

The amount of interaction with international visitors and travel to foreign countries by our members supports the goal of broadening our understanding of other cultures around the world. Continued on page 15



### NATIONAL MASTER FARM HOMEMAKERS GUILD

The friendships made are lasting gifts to each other.

Pennies for Friendship is faithfully supported by all four states. Members have supported third-world countries by donating to ACWW projects. Each state continues to support local 4-H and FFA programs that help build future generations in our communities. Numerous scholarships have been awarded to students this

past year to pursue their educational goals. Our National Special Project for 2018 was a donation of \$400 to the Sayre scholarship fund.

I've enjoyed the opportunity to attend the Country Women's Council meeting this past year in Dubuque, Iowa and as well as state Guild meetings in Kansas and Iowa. How heartwarming it was to hear about the work carried out at the local level. Together

we make a positive impact in the lives of rural women!

Dorothy Bates, President  
\*\*\*\*\*

National Conference  
Greeley, CO  
September 27-29, 2018.

Linda Gause presented information on ZERO Hunger Challenge along with additional information on CWC."



At the podium is Dorothy Bates, President of NMFHG and Linda Gause, Chair of CWC/USA



### NEW OR RENEW - CWC News Sheet



#### Subscription Form ~ 3 years for \$27.00

CWC News Sheet subscription service is for members of Master Farm Homemakers Guild, National Volunteer Outreach Network, ACWW-CWC Affiliated Societies, and/or anyone wanting to receive a mailed copy who ARE NOT already receiving News Sheet as an ACWW Life Member or through their national/state officer position.

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### **News Sheet Subscription price increasing 2019**

I would like to thank each and everyone who responded to the letter sent out in the spring asking for renewal of subscription. 76% have renewed. That is awesome!!

*Those due before Jan 1 will be notified via email.*

At the 2018 meeting of CWC a proposal was put forth to increase the subscription cost of the News Sheet. We are currently losing money on the printing and mailing. When we went to sending ½ via email, it reduced the income by that much. We have been absorbing the cost for the past few of years. The original plan was to make the news sheet self-supporting.

An increase to \$27.00 for three years was proposed and passed. This is equal to \$9.00 for two issues per annum. The increase will take effect January 1, 2019. Please check your address label for the date of your expiration.

CWC is also asking those who are life members or receiving the news sheet via email to please help with supporting the cost of printing and mailing to continue to receive the news from Country Women’s Council and Associated Country Women of the World. A Renewal Form is on page 15.



Thank you for your understanding.

Beverly Earnhart CWC Editor