



Women's Giving Circle of Harford County March 2023 Newsletter



A Message from the Chair

The next two months are a busy, yet exciting, time for our Grant Committee. Now that our grant application deadline has closed, our Grant Committee is gearing up to conduct its painstaking review of applications received. Thanks to Hillary Smolenski and all of the Grant Committee members for helping the WGC fulfill our mission of engaging women of all generations in the power of community philanthropy.

Grapevine (our donation platform) is giving organizations \$100 for every 10 new members that join during the month of March as part of their "March Madness" promotion. If you know of anyone who may want to be a part of our great organization, please encourage her to join this month so we can capitalize on this generous promotion.

I hope to see **you** at the upcoming [Social Event](#) hosted by the Membership and Outreach Committee at Humagalas on March 30th.

Donna Kreis, Chair

Membership & Outreach Committee

What a great time we had at our "**Spread the Love**" event on February 26, 2023! We had 34 attendees, including 15 guests and we welcomed 4 new members; **Jane Dorsey, Jeanne Heinze, Liz Jesada** and **Peggy Thompson!**

Founding member, Terri Garland, told a wonderful "Grantee" story from her WGC membership experience and Alicia Hamilton, Founder and Executive Director of **Found in Faith Ministries** shared with us her personal journey that led her to create Found in Faith and the wonderful outreach it's **Fresh Start Furniture Program** does for women and families in Harford County. If you are interested in donating items to the program, please explore the www.foundinfaithmd.org website to see what donation items are needed!

Now, on to our next event, drumroll.....

Women's Giving Circle Social Event, March 30, 2023, 5:00-6:30pm. at Humagalas!

Bring a friend and join fellow members for a casual social event where we'll share some pizza, the wonderful work of the WGC and learn about a new non-profit program, "**Breathe379**", from its CEO and Founder, Michael Nolan.

Update on our friendly new member competition between WGC members from Havre de Grace and Bel Air:

Havre de Grace (1), Bel Air (2).

As always, if you know of someone interested in the WGC, or want to introduce someone to the WGC and this wonderful group of caring and passionate women, please send us (wgcharfordmembership@gmail.com) their name/contact information and we will send them a note and packet of information on what we do!

May good luck be with you! 🍀

Donna Kahoe, Membership & Outreach Committee Chair

Humagalas Event Registration



Join us for a
**Women's
Giving Circle
Social Event**



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