



CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS CLUB AWARD ENTRY COVER SHEET

Annual Reporting January 1- December 31, 2024

Chairman: Penny Colgrove/Jan Kriz		Club: Hemet Woman's Club	
Number of Members (<i>per CFWC Yearbook</i>): 50		District: De Anza	Area: D
Club Position: Communication and Public Relations Co-Chairman			
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The Hemet Woman's Club was founded in 1906! We celebrate the women whose foresight envisioned a community library and dedicated their efforts to ensure its success. The legacy handed down from the original group of 13 women has focused on improving the quality of life in our valley through a wide variety of special projects. Through the years we have fostered the club's motto of "Living the Volunteer Spirit" as it continues our commitment to community service.

Project Title: Website, Facebook & Publications **Hours** 78 **Dollars Spent:** \$ 361.00

Keeping track of all the club activities is an eye opening experience. Reality sets in as collection of project reports and photos become documented in our "Club Bites" monthly newsletter. Not only is our history recorded monthly, it encourages all members to stay connected and participate. New members are also kept informed and can easily join in where they see fit. The Club relies on Social Media frequently to inform everyone of our important presence in the community and also our upcoming events. The internet today is the rage to stay connected to our sister clubs and to what is really happening around us. Being a member of the Chamber of Commerce, our members are able to support other nonprofits and new businesses through attendance of chamber mixers. It is a wonderful opportunity for our members to network and create a buzz about what we do for the community. The Club has a website on the internet. Updating it constantly is done. A wealth of information is provided with the club background information. Board members and their photos, upcoming events, monthly calendar dates, photo gallery, contact and membership information. The club has recently added a QR code which really makes exposure and access to our website so much easier for visitor to find out about our services.

Project Title: Yearbook **Hours:** 80 **Donated \$** 264.00

The Club Yearbook is considered a valuable source of information for all club members. The purpose of the yearbook is to serve as a resource for the club's members to contain important information for the coming year. It is updated and published yearly and given to current members and new members when they join. The book contains information regarding the following: When and why the General Federation of Woman's Club was established, a message from the current Club President, pictures of the Board of Directors indicating their positions held, a listing of Projects and the Chairman for each one, a monthly calendar of events, Proposed Budget, Anticipated Community Project Expenses, Federation Connection, District Officers, and Hemet Woman's Club Accomplishments, By Laws, Standing Rules and lastly the Club Directory. The book is updated each year. The project chairman seeks help from club members to verify that all information in the book is accurate before it goes to print. When it is an Election year, the book can take many hours collecting information not only regarding Hemet Woman's Club's new Board members but new Board Members of GFWC and CFWC as well.