



December 21, 2025

Subject: Year-End Updates and Important Deadlines – GFWC Massachusetts

Dear Club Leaders,

I hope this email finds you well as we all navigate the busy, joyful rush of preparing for the holidays. Between the festivities and the cold weather, it is a wonderful time to reflect on everything we have accomplished together this year.

HundredX Fundraiser Results

A huge thank you to the 100 people who participated in our HundredX Fundraiser! While I am waiting for final confirmation in the coming weeks, it appears we ended with **3,808 surveys completed**, which translates to an expected **\$6,092.80** for our organization. We were just 60 surveys short of last year’s total, and we truly appreciate the time you dedicated to raising these funds to help maintain our property.

Upcoming Deadlines & Reminders

Please take a moment to review these important dates to ensure your club remains in good standing and up to date:

Item	Deadline	Action Required
Club Dues	Dec 31, 2025	Payments (based on bills sent in Nov) must be received.
Year-End Donations	Dec 31, 2025	Complete the form found under "Fliers" on the website; mail with check to GFWC MA.
Domestic Violence Grants	Jan 15, 2026	Submit applications to support your local shelter via email to HQSecretary@gfwcma.org .
Midwinter Registration	Jan 22, 2026	Register for the meeting on Jan 31, 2026 , at the Hudson Elks Lodge.

2025 End of Year Reporting

It is time to gather your club’s 2025 records and begin writing your End of Year Reports.

- **Resources:** Visit the "Reporting" tabs on our website for all necessary information. There is also a helpful PowerPoint available with tips and a refresher on how to write these reports.
- **The Statistical Form:** At a minimum, every club is required to fill out the Statistical Form to provide overall activity totals.
- **Narrative Reports (Highly Recommended):** While the stats give us the numbers, we strongly encourage you to include narrative descriptions of your projects. These stories are essential for us to write the final State Reports; they showcase the heart of your club’s work and ensure GFWC Massachusetts is fully represented at the national level.

We are here to support you! If you need assistance navigating the writing process or have questions regarding which category a specific project belongs in, please do not hesitate to reach out to the **President** or the **Director of Junior Clubs**. We want to ensure your hard work is recorded accurately and are happy to help you find the right "home" for your projects.

Submission Deadlines:

- **Junior Membership:** Online deadline is January 11–17, 2026.
- **Women's Clubs:** Deadline is January 31, 2026. Please make every effort to email your reports.

You should receive a confirmation email within 48 hours of your submission.

At this time of year, it is especially important to thank every GFWC Massachusetts member for all you do to enhance the lives of others. Your dedication to your communities is truly inspiring.

I wish you a very happy holiday season. Enjoy your time with those you are with and make new memories!

Best regards,

Jen Nowak
GFWC Massachusetts President, 2024-2026