

GFWC Women's Service League of Carthage

November New Letter
Fall Projects Underway



We had a winter coat and blanket drive for Cross Lines Ministries of Carthage in the Month of November. We collected over 20 blankets and 10 coats to help families this winter and will continue to collect items needed for families in our community. As the holidays get closer and the cold weather sets in, the demand will be overwhelming and we want to make sure no one goes without during this season. (Picture Above)



The Club Project for 2011-2012 year is to start Recycling in our homes and workplace. Some of our members already recycled, but more than half did not. We started small with paper and plastic and the pictures (Left and below left) show what we have collected our 1st month as a group. We also wanted to help out others while doing this, so all the paper we collect goes to Carthage Sr. High Special Ed Class. They receive cash for paper they recycle which help get extras they need in the classroom or pizza parties for the students for doing such a great job. The plastic goes to Carthage Crisis Center. They receive funds, from recycling, to help their facility. They help the homeless and shelter them until they can be placed in an apartment or house of their own. Also they help families in need of clothes, furniture, appliances, and much more.

Extreme Couponing For Missouri Girls Town



Brandi Ensor, Club Vice President, has started using coupons to get a lot of stuff for not a lot of money. The products you see here (picture left) are approximately worth \$300 and she paid only \$30 using coupons. This is a time consuming process at first, but Brandi says it only takes her about 2 hours each Sunday to go through and file coupons for the week. (picture bottom left) Then she says, the fun begins and that is doing the shopping. We thank her for all her time and effort to help Missouri Girls Town with items they will always need. She has inspired other members to start using coupons to help save money, but also to be able to donate items to MGT. Brandi you are an inspiration and thank you for doing so much for our Club!



This year our club's goal is to get out into our community and make a difference. This is a start with the recycling, couponing, and donations to organizations that need our help. We have much more planned for the coming months. Thank you, to all our wonderful members and for their dedication and support. We couldn't do it without them!

Sincerely,

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