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## President's Message



*Amanda Ishmael*  
2019-20 KFBPW President

Hello!

I am excited and honored to be the 91<sup>st</sup> President of the Kentucky Federation of Business and Professional Women's Club and look forward to working with each of you. I would like to thank each and everyone that was able to attend the 97<sup>th</sup> Annual State Conference. I do believe that all who attended had fun and learned some new things as well.

I would also like to say thank you to Donna Howard of the Woodford County BPW for serving as the installation officer this year. I wish to congratulate Immediate Past State President Mimi Becker on a great year. Mimi, you've earned some time to rest and relax! Congratulations to all the award and certificate winners

at State Conference. All were/are well deserved!

As your President, please allow me to share my goals and plans for the 2018 -2019 year.

**Membership!** You/we made gains last year and that's great! Let's keep it up. Let's share with one another what is working. Be sure to share the steps on how you achieved the growth in your club.

**Mentoring!** You/we have ladies in our local organizations that want to step up on the local level or the state level. Let's help one another achieve those goals of stepping up to lead this organization into the future.

I'm grateful for the ladies that are on the Executive Committee this year, however, it's our turn to be mentoring/leading/teaching our next leaders for this organization. We are facing new challenges. We should continue to grow and to expand. We should be mentoring / leading / teaching the ladies that are to inherit KFBPW in shaping what the organization will look like.

I used the Toy Car Installation – yes, a nod to having some fun – because we know how to have some fun! However, I used the Toy Car Installation as a reminder to get our motors running for our organization. To get our motors running in gaining new members. To get our motors running in mentoring/leading/teaching the ladies that we are leaving this Federation to.

Thank you!

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# Meet Your 2019-2020 Officers



## Amanda Ishmael

KFBPW President



Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your President for the upcoming year. I joined Licking Valley BPW in 2007. That's when Momma Ishmael came home and said you're doing the Young Careerist (precursor to Aspiring Professional) competition. You have to get a speech ready and present it and do an interview! Needless to say – it was worth it.

I have served previously as Vice President, President-Elect, President and Recording Secretary for the Federation. In addition, I have served various roles in Licking Valley and am now the club President.

I have taught Middle School Math for the past 17 years. This coming school year I will be teaching 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Math, Algebra and Geometry.

This past March I moved into my first house! I'm so excited! I'm still finding a place for things! I enjoy having family and friends over to play cards, board games, or to hang out by the fire pit and read.

Please feel free to e-mail me at [sharpmisshishee@hotmail.com](mailto:sharpmisshishee@hotmail.com). Please don't hesitate to contact me.

## Ginny White-Schatzke

KFBPW President-Elect



I have been a member of the Springfield BPW, Inc. for 9 years. Previously, I served on the KFBPW Executive Committee as President 2016-2017, Vice President, two terms as Recording Secretary and just completed my second term as Treasurer. I am currently serving on the Foundation Board of Trustees. In addition to being on the Executive Committee, I have held the local offices of President and currently serving as Vice President and chair of the Springfield BPW Wine Tasting. Several of these positions have been held more than once. The Wine Tasting event is the signature fund raiser for the Springfield Club. I have chaired this event since 2011 and numerous local scholarships have been funded as a result. At the region level, I previously held the North Central Region Director's position after serving as Assistant Director.

Professionally, I worked for Kraft Foods for 30 years in sales, marketing and management, living all over the country.

Gary, my husband of 20 years, and I reside in Lebanon, KY. We are both retired from Kraft Foods, but still work. We are employed at Rosewood Golf Course. We enjoy golfing, traveling, reading, spending time with family, especially Gary's children and grandchildren in MN.

## Laura Tyree

KFBPW Vice President



I joined Franklin BPW in 2015. I have served as VP 2016-2017, President 2017-2018, 2018-2019 and am currently serving as immediate Past President and Parliamentarian 2019-2020. I served as Assistant Director West Region 2018-2019 and am currently serving as Director West Region 2019-2020. I also have served on and chaired several local committees. I look forward to serving KFBPW this year as Vice President and hope to help our local clubs grow in number.

I am currently employed as the store manager of Burkes Outlet in Franklin, KY. I also assist other stores regionally with merchandising and talent management including training new store managers. I have over 20 years' experience in retail store management and aspire to become a district and regional manager. I also teach a teenage girl class on Wednesday nights at Tyree Chapel Church of Christ where I am a member. I am the current team recruiter for the Simpson County Relay for Life and team captain of the Burkes Outlet and Friends relay team. I am a single mother of two daughters, Claudia, 15, and Ava, 9. We reside with my parents as caregivers.



## Sharon Taylor Carrillo

KFBPW Recording Secretary



Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your KFBPW 2019-2020 Recording Secretary. I joined TN/BPW in 1987 and KFBPW in 2007. During my 32 years as a BPW member, I have held various local, regional, and state positions, including serving as State President in TN twice and KFBPW President in 2015-2016. Currently I am a member of the Franklin, and the Paducah BPW club in KY and a member of the Music City BPW in TN. I am very active in the Franklin community: serving on several boards and holding offices in Girl Scouts, KY Women's Mission Union, the BG Area Computer Group, AARP and the African American Heritage Center. Also, I am a Simpson County Homemaker, and a Red Cross and the American Cancer Society Volunteer.

I am married to Miguel Carrillo. We have five children and seven grandchildren. We are members of Calvary Baptist church and serve as often as possible. I have a serious Coca Cola collection, a Purple Iris Room, and I just love Black Cats. BPW has become very important to me over the years and now I enjoy it with my mother Alice Bailey, my sister Sherita Jones, and my daughter Liz Stanley, as well as all my BPW friends in KY and TN. Thank you for your support and I look forward to another great year.

## Diane Crony Turner

KFBPW Treasurer



Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your 2019-2020 Treasurer. I joined Hopkinsville BPW in April of 1994.

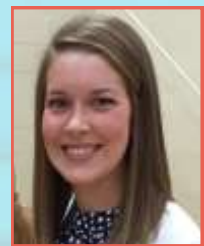
I have held various positions on the local, regional, and state level. Currently, I serve as Hopkinsville BPW President, West Region Treasurer, KBPW Foundation Board of Trustees Chair and KFBPW Treasurer.

I have been employed as Virginia Street Baptist Church Clerk since 2005, where I have been a member for 47 years.

I have been married to Charles Turner for 25 years. We are both retired and do a lot of volunteering in our community, serving on several boards, which keeps us both very busy. Thanks for your support and looking forward to a great year.

## Sarah Burns

KFBPW Executive Assistant



I have been teaching 2nd grade at North Washington Elementary School in Willisburg, KY for 6 years. I graduated from the University of Kentucky in 2012 and received my Master's from the University of the Cumberlands in 2017.

I am a member of the Springfield BPW and have been involved on the local, regional, and state level for several years in a few roles. My husband, Matt, and I live in Springfield with our cat, Woodford.

## Patti Fallin

KFBPW Parliamentarian



During my 33 years as a BPW member, I have held various local, regional, and state positions, including 2003-2004 BPW/KY President. I am a member of Hopkins County BPW in Madisonville.

I am employed as a Senior Drafter for Big Rivers Electric Corporation in Henderson, Kentucky, where I currently reside with my dog Winston. My community involvement has extended to the United Way, Red Cross, March of Dimes, Habitat for Humanity and Big Brothers/Big Sisters.

# Officer Reports



*Laura Tyree*

Vice President

I am so excited to serve you as Vice President for the 2019-2020 year! As Vice President, one of my main roles is to help increase membership and maintain our current membership. As we think about our future, we must think about recruiting new members, in particular younger members who can grow with BPW. So how do we attract younger members? We must cater to their needs in some way. Younger business and professional women need mentors to show them the way and inspire them to be the best they can be. I challenge each club to look at their mentoring programs and utilize those as a means to attract new members.

As we begin to recruit members to join our clubs, I challenge each of your clubs to create and use Facebook and other social media apps to shed positive light on your clubs and celebrate all the good things we are accomplishing and recruit more members to join your club. And what a great way to get some younger members involved by appointing them as the social media chair!

I wish you all the best of luck in the coming year in all you do!

*Diane Croney-Turner*

Treasurer

The 2019-2020 local assessed insurance for coverage of your monthly meetings, in the amount of \$75.00 and the \$10.00 State Conference dues for a total of \$85.00 are due. If you have special events, you will need to obtain a one-time policy per event. Make check payable to KFBPW and mail to Diane Croney-Turner, KFBPW Treasurer, 26 Harton Place, Hopkinsville, KY 42240.

A reminder, 990 Tax Reports should be filed ninety days after the end of the program year.

If anyone has question about membership, email me at [croney0803@gmail.com](mailto:croney0803@gmail.com).

# Region Report



*West Region*

Laura Tyree, Director

As we look to the year ahead, I would like to encourage each of you to share your upcoming events on the KFBPW Facebook page. Facebook is a great tool to help market your club and events. With many clubs in our region we are so close to one another that we could easily travel to each other's events. I look forward to serving you this year as your West Region Director and hope to be an active liaison between your clubs and the state organization.

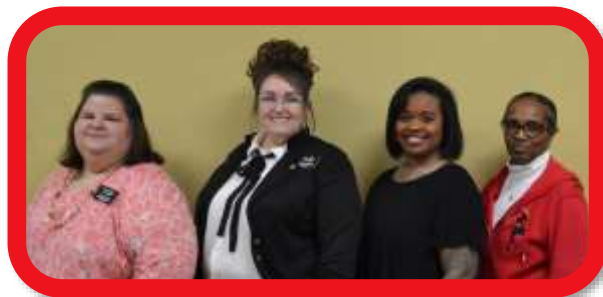
The West Region officers for the 2019-2020 year are (R to L):

Director – Laura Tyree, Franklin BPW

Assistant Director – Brooke Archila, Hopkins County BPW

Recording Secretary – Liz Stanley, Franklin BPW

Treasurer – Diane Croney-Turner, Hopkinsville BPW



# 2019-2020 LOCAL ASSESSMENTS ARE DUE

## INSURANCE: \$75

The Executive Committee accepted a bid through McElroy, Wharton & Boldrick, Inc. for two Insurance Policies. One is our Directors and Officers Insurance with Old Republic and the second is General Liability Insurance with a Treasurers Bond through Westfield. Both policies are for the fiscal year 2019-2020 and cover the State, Regions and Locals; however, Locals are not covered in the Treasurers Bond. Also, some **special events are not covered** in these policies and the Local must obtain a one-time policy per event (special events, such as a carnival, raising money, selling alcohol, wine tasting). Check with Derinda Osbourne (859-336-3982) to verify coverage for any special events your local may host.

The total cost of insurance is \$2,340.19 split between the Directors and Officers at \$1,096.68 and the General Liability at \$1,243.51. Each LO is assessed \$75 per year by the KFBPW to cover part of this expense or \$1,050 of the total \$2,340.19 cost.

Local Assessments are **due July 1 of each year**. If you have not yet paid, make your check payable to KFBPW and mail to Diane Croney-Turner, KFBPW Treasurer, at the address below.

## STATE CONFERENCE DUES: \$10

According to Article VII, Section 4 of the Kentucky Federation Bylaws, each Local Organization shall pay annual state conference dues of \$10 and should remit them to the Kentucky Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc. **postmarked on or before July 31st of each year**. Make your check payable to KFBPW and mail to Diane Croney-Turner, KFBPW Treasurer at the address below.

Both the \$75 Insurance Assessment and the \$10 State Conference Dues can be sent in one check to:

**Diane Croney-Turner**  
**KFBPW Treasurer**  
**26 Harton Place**  
**Hopkinsville, KY 42440**

**DO NOT INCLUDE MEMBER DUES** in the check with Insurance Assessment and State Conference Dues, please. Member Dues should be submitted to KFBPW in a separate check to the same address.



## MEMBERSHIP DUES ARE DUE MAY 31ST OF EACH YEAR

Many of you have indicated that you are having problems determining the cost of dues for a new member joining in a month other than May. So, I have created a schedule of how much dues will be for any new member who joins in any particular month. **This is for new members only!** All continuing membership dues are \$25.00 for regular members and \$15 for student members, **no matter when they are paid. There are no pro-rated dues for continuing members.** Dues are due May 31st of each year. And any member who has not paid by August 15 will be dropped from the state membership roster.

When submitting dues, send them to Treasurer Diane Croney-Turner. Include name, address, phone numbers (home, work, cell and fax) and email address. Also include their join date so we can enter the correct information in the database. Membership submittal forms are available on the Website - [www.bpw-ky.org](http://www.bpw-ky.org). Also, indicate if they prefer the electronic version of the Kentucky Cardinal versus a mailed copy. Also send a copy of the form to Patti Fallin. If you have questions, please contact Treasurer Diane Croney-Turner or Database Manager Patti Fallin.

Month Joined in:	Dues to be paid:	
	Regular	Student
June	\$22.00	\$13.75
July	\$20.00	\$12.50
August	\$18.00	\$11.25
September	\$16.00	\$10.00
October	\$14.00	\$ 8.75
November	\$12.00	\$ 7.50
December	\$10.00	\$ 6.25
January	\$ 8.00	\$ 5.00
February	\$ 6.00	\$ 3.75
March	\$ 4.00	\$ 2.50
April	\$ 2.00	\$ 1.25

# Meet Luci Hockersmith

KFBPW Aspiring Professional 2019



Since 2006, Luci Davis Hockersmith has been the Extension Agent for Family and Consumer Sciences with Mercer County Office of the Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service. In this role, Luci conducts public educational programming in response to community needs, including collaboration with other organizations and community partners.

A native of Mercer County, Luci attended Berea College, earning a Bachelor of Arts degree in Child and Family Studies with an emphasis in Family and Consumer Sciences Education with Teacher Certification (grade 5-12) and a minor in general music. Education has always been a passion for Luci with more than 20 years of Early Childhood experience and more than 10 years in Food Preservation expertise. Before joining the Kentucky Cooperative Extension Service, Luci taught Family and Consumer Sciences at Shelby County High School. Prior to that, she substitute taught at several area schools including Burgin and Harrodsburg Independent, as well as Mercer and Anderson County.

During her tenure as FCS agent in Mercer County, Luci completed a Master of Science degree in Community and Leadership Development from the University of Kentucky with a qualitative study and thesis titled, *Comprehensive Sexuality Education in Kentucky* which is available online. An advocate for families, Luci is a certified facilitator for the Nurturing Parenting™ Programs – an evidence-based curriculum and family-centered initiative designed to build nurturing parenting skills as an alternative to abusive and neglecting parenting and child-rearing practices. To contact Luci Hockersmith, please email [luci.hockersmith@uky.edu](mailto:luci.hockersmith@uky.edu) or call 859-734-4378.

## Her Speech . . .

Which came first, the chicken or the egg? That debate is more than 2000 years old and is more rooted in philosophy than science, but folks still spend time discussing the issue. Infinite regression is to blame – trying to find the initial link in the causal chain\* . . .which is not too far off the debate about the portrayal of women in media. Who is to blame for the portrayal of women in media? Those that create it? Or those that consume it? More than one source will tell you women are not accurately nor equitably portrayed in media today – consider the “*Real*” *Housewives* of anywhere. . .

A report by UN Women stated, “*While women represent half of the world’s population, less than one third of all speaking characters in film are female.*” This is just one example of the gender inequity in media. Moving forward, you should know that media includes film, television, radio, print, magazine, online, even video games. The perpetuation of gender discrimination through stereotypes affects young girls with issues regarding body image and self-identity; specifically unrealistic expectations as to what is healthy. These ramifications, which can both limit and empower women and girls in society, exist in realms from sports to politics.

So what are we to do about this conundrum? In all honesty, we cannot change the world with a snap of our fingers, or a wriggle of our nose [a wink at Samantha of Bewitched TV series]. What we *can* do is become reflective and intentional in what we do individually, as well as collectively. The Women’s Media Center report just released in February on “The Status of Women in the U. S. Media 2019” suggests several actions that can be taken. There are a few with which I think the Business and Professional Women can work:

- ✓ Mentor and encourage – both formal and informal, provide guidance, reassurance, and constructive advice to young women of all races considering, or emerging in, your profession
- ✓ Raise awareness – educate yourself and your colleagues, bosses, neighbors and friends about areas of media where women and people of color are acutely underrepresented and/or misrepresented. . .and about how those realities impact the corporate bottom line and society
- ✓ Encourage candid conversations about gender and racial parity – You don’t have to be a woman or person of color to speak out about why media content and context should be balanced and well-rounded, and how to achieve those ends.
- ✓ Get serious about work-life balance for men and women – flexible schedules, paid maternity/paternity/elder-care leave can be tools for boosting worker productivity and devotion to the workplace. Employers need to provide workers with more options for how, when, and where they conduct their work throughout various life stages and amid various life demands. . .we could, and should, dialogue further about each of these actions; it is our duty as Business and Professional Women. Thank you.



# Committee Reports

## Finance

PEGGY ORBERSON, CHAIR

If your club has not done so already, it would be wise to take the time at an upcoming meeting to prepare a working budget for the year or appoint a committee to do so. Even though it takes time, it can serve members well during the year. Once your local's activities are planned, you can have a better idea of the expenses involved and gives you input for the amount of fundraisers needed. This saves meeting time in future months, because you don't have to approve every single expense item if it was originally approved in the budget.

There is a sample budget on the [bpw-ky.org](http://bpw-ky.org) website to help you develop a budget for your local. Be sure to include expenses for state conference fee (\$10) and local portion for liability insurance (\$75). Also consider supporting the KBPW Foundation which awards scholarships to deserving young men and women of Kentucky.

If I can be of any assistance to help you in the budget process, don't hesitate to contact me at 859.749.0704, or email at [peggy.orberson@gmail.com](mailto:peggy.orberson@gmail.com).

## Kentucky BPW Foundation

DIANE CRONEY-TURNER, CHAIR

The KBPW Foundation Board would like to report that at the 97<sup>th</sup> KFBPW State Conference, four scholarships were awarded, two in the amount of \$3,000.00 each, one in the amount of \$800.00, and one in the amount of \$3,200 for a total of \$10,000.00. Through the beach theme fundraiser and other donations, \$2,109.00 was raised for the Promise Campaign that will go toward scholarships. The next deadline for completed scholarship applications will be October 15, 2019 with application available at [bpw-ky.org](http://bpw-ky.org). The applications are to be mailed to Scholarship Chair, Brooke Archila at 184 Holiday Place, Madisonville, KY 42431.

The Foundation encourages all local clubs and region officers to utilize the Betty Hinz Fund, for communication workshops. For request, you will need to submit a budget with a detailed description of the event your local would like to sponsor. All requests are to be emailed to Diane Croney-Turner at [croney0803@gmail.com](mailto:croney0803@gmail.com).

The Kentucky Business and Professional Women's Foundation, Inc. Board of Trustees 2019-2020 members are: Diane Croney-Turner, Chair; Marilyn Neumann, Vice Chair & Contributions Chair; Donna Howard, Treasurer; Kim Fritz, Secretary; Ginny White-Schatzke, Foundation By-laws Chair; Brooke Archila, Scholarship Chair; Debrah Pierce, Peggy Orberson, and Amanda Ishmael, EC representative.

The Foundation would like to thank everyone for their donations in 2018-2019 and encourage you to make a donation in 2019-2020.

## Kentucky Professional Women's Week

BRENDA BAKER, CHAIR

It is time to gear up for another year of BPW. I am Brenda Baker, KFBPW KPWW Chair for 2019 – 2020. Please celebrate Kentucky Professional Women's Week for 2019 by honoring women in your local organization and your community. Follow these steps to KPWW information and forms: 1) Go to [bpw-ky.org](http://bpw-ky.org) on the internet 2) drop down member resources 3) Click on leadership manual 4) Scroll down to KPWW and click on it and other items under it. This should be all the information you will need to have a successful KPWW!!

Please submit your scoresheet and nominations for Woman of Achievement, Woman of the Year and Business Promoting Women to me by May 22, 2020. If you have any questions, please call me at (859) 749-2247 or email at [bren\\_bpw@hotmail.com](mailto:bren_bpw@hotmail.com)

# Committee Reports

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## Professional Development

PEGGY ORBERSON, CHAIR

Hello Fellow BPW members:

This committee has been slow in getting revisions made to our program the last couple of years because of health issues and such, but I am anxious to get started in developing a program to be utilized with current technology where it could be used online as well as in a face to face situation. Many helpful suggestions were made at regional and state meetings, such as getting certification for PD credit, awarding scholarships for winners in conjunction with KBPW Foundation, and aligning more closely with the Aspiring Professional Program. However, it is going to take time to get the current modules updated to fit current needs. This is a copyrighted program that we could charge non-members to use. It also qualifies as a 'communication workshop' for use of Betty Hinz funds with the KBPW Foundation. Therefore, I am asking for volunteers to work on an individual module (with others you recruit, if you wish). I think if we break this into workable parts, this seemingly impossible job can be accomplished. The current summary of modules is on the state website. If you see one that interests you, please contact me at [peggy.orberson@gmail.com](mailto:peggy.orberson@gmail.com).

## Public Relations

SHERITA JONES, CHAIR

As I start my fifth year in BPW I am excited to serve a second term as your KFBPW 2019-2020 Public Relations (PR) Chair. Your 2018-2019 submissions provided insight on areas where we can spread the news about KFBPW. My goal is to share the many ways for you to achieve better communication in your communities about BPW to attract new members across the state. I hope you are enjoying your summer, when it's not raining. Keep an eye out for ideas in future issues, and don't forget to keep track of your PR activities throughout the year. I challenge each local club to conduct at least one PR activity each month.

Again, I look forward to serving as your 2019-2020 Public Relations Chair, and feel free to contact me with questions at 270-312-9814 or by email at [sheritabjones@aol.com](mailto:sheritabjones@aol.com).

## Database Manager

PATTI FALLIN

To all Members who have not paid their 2019-2020 membership dues - May Day Was Pay Day. If you have not received your dues invoice, contact your Local President or contact me for a duplicate invoice. State Dues are \$25.00 for regular members and \$15.00 for student members. Only new members dues are prorated. See the chart on page 5 for breakdown. When submitting dues, send them to Treasurer Diane Croney-Turner with a copy of the form to me. Updated membership submittal forms are available on the Website - [www.bpw-ky.org](http://www.bpw-ky.org).

A few things to note when filing out the forms:

- For renewing members,
  - ✓ If there are no changes in the contact information, only the name and the amount and date paid needs to be filled in.
  - ✓ If there are changes in the contact information, only fill in what has changed
- For new members,
  - ✓ Complete all the information highlighted in yellow
  - ✓ Only supply the company name if the mailing address is a employer's business address. If it is a home address, please do not include the business name.
  - ✓ Indicate if you prefer the electronic version or a mailed copy of the Kentucky Cardinal magazine. If not indicated, the default will be a mailed copy.

Members who have not paid by August 15 will be dropped from the state membership roster. For questions, contact Patti Fallin at [pfallin@twc.com](mailto:pfallin@twc.com).

# Local News

## Franklin BPW

LAURA TYREE, PARLIAMENTARIAN

Franklin BPW is making plans for a “**Phenomenal**” 2019-20 Year.

We are proud of our members that are serving the state: Laura Tyree, Vice-President; Sharon Taylor-Carrillo, Recording Secretary; Sherita Jones, Public Relations Chair; and Facebook Administrator, Cathy Hughes.

Franklin BPW’s Friends and Family Summer Cookout was a great event. We had so much fun together and even recruited four new members! We have so many endless opportunities to be involved with our friends and family and with our community. We can’t wait to continue with our events this year!

Franklin recently celebrated 200 years and BPW was in the Bicentennial Parade on July 4<sup>th</sup>. Currently we are collecting school supplies for our local Back to School Bash and we will host a luncheon to welcome new teachers during their orientation days.

We look forward to growing our local chapter and the state organization by increasing our membership and retaining our current members through endless opportunities to be involved with BPW and our community. This year we will focus on “**The Phenomenal Woman**” and recognizing these women all year long.

If you would like any information on our events please like and follow us on Facebook “**Franklin Business and Professional Women**”.

## Heritage BPW

PEGGY ORBERSON, PRESIDENT

It was great to see old friends and meet new ones recently at State Conference. Make sure and look at pictures posted on the state website and Facebook page to see the many hats worn in memory of Ms. Betty Dozier. We were also proud of our member Mimi Becker, who served as this year’s state president.

Heritage is proud to receive several state awards. A big thank you goes out to all the hard-working members. We had fun, as well. Congratulations to 2018-19 president Brenda Baker.

At our June meeting we made plans for programs and activities for the year, starting with our annual attendance at Pioneer Playhouse on July 11 to see “Breaking Up With Elvis.” We also are having an art activity with “Pour Paint.” We plan to have a legislative speaker, a speaker on CBD oil, do many KPWW activities, attend Interim Board, and help with the Bourbon Chase. With enthusiasm of our members, we hope to accomplish much. Everyone is welcome to attend any of our activities. We meet the 3rd Monday of each month at the McKinney Conference Center in Danville. For more information, call Peggy at 859.749.0704.

## Hopkinsville BPW

LENA WANN, PARLIAMENTARIAN AND BYLAWS

We have completed two of our projects with participation in the American Heart Walk raising \$680 and Relay for Life with our donation of \$1,030. Our member, Peggy Stricklin does a great job in leadership of these two activities.

Members Dorothy Tolliver, Gertrude Bullock and President Diane Croney-Turner attended the KFBPW State Conference in Danville on June 21-22. They will share news from State at our July meeting after which we will begin planning for our new club year.

I want to share information about some of our members whose achievements really deserve to be celebrated! Our newest member Jamie Boyd, who is attending Freed-Hardiman University has just returned from Africa after helping with VBS, handing out books to local schools there and helping with leadership workshops. Dorothy Tolliver finished her Associate in Science degree from Hopkinsville Community College in May. Member Ana Sanchez is a Certified Medical Interpreter acting as a Spanish interpreter for Hispanic patients of St. Luke’s Clinic. Ana grew up in Puerto Rico and speaks Spanish and English very well.

The Hopkinsville Club sends our best wishes for a wonderful summer for all!

# Local News

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## Paducah BPW

AUDREY LEE, PRESIDENT

The Paducah Business and Professional Women renewed its scholarships to local high school students this year. The Club had given almost \$100,000 to West Kentucky Community and Technical College five years ago to establish an endowed scholarship at the college. This stopped the club's scholarships at the high school.

The club voted to assist students with a book award. This year it teamed with Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority in its scholarship initiatives and gave book awards to students who did not get big scholarships. Raaquerrien Hamilton and A'Nijah Flemons each received \$100 on May 14. President Audrey B. Lee presented the awards while presenting the AKA scholarships.

New officers were elected in May. They are President Audrey Lee, Vice-president Liz Stanley, Secretary Renee Krebs and Treasurer Dorthy Carlisle.

## Russell County BPW

BARBARA SHARPE, PRESIDENT

It was great seeing each of you who attended the State Convention in Danville. We're off to another start of a new fiscal year! Russell County BPW kicked it off with a fundraiser on July 2nd. It is our first RC BPW Vendors Fair. We had 24 vendors committed to participating! We're so excited. This gave us the opportunity to get our group's name out there and an opportunity for shopping with ease for a variety of products all in one place. Our goal was to obtain new members from this event as well, of which we've already gotten one new member from it. If this turns out to be a success, be on the lookout for another one! The proceeds will go toward a college scholarship.

## State Conference Award Winners

### Spirit of BPW

Dorothy Tolliver, Hopkinsville BPW

### Kentucky Foundation

Heritage BPW

### Kentucky Cardinal

Franklin BPW

### Kentucky Professional Women's Week

Small Club: Heritage BPW

Medium Club: Hopkins County BPW

Large Club: Franklin BPW

### Woman of The Year

Barbara Sharpe, Russell County BPW

### Businesses Promoting Women

Madisonville Community College, Hopkins County BPW

### Woman of Achievement

Julia Spaulding, Springfield BPW, Inc.

### Issues Management / Legislation

Small: Heritage BPW

Medium: Hopkinsville BPW

Large: Springfield BPW, Inc.,

### Membership

6 Keys Overall (First) - Heritage BPW

6 Keys Overall (Second) - Springfield BPW, Inc.

### Public Relations

Small: Heritage BPW

Medium: Hopkinsville BPW

Large: Springfield BPW, Inc.

### Aspiring Professional

Luci Hockersmith, North Central Region

### President's Excellence Award

Small: Heritage BPW

Medium: Hopkinsville BPW

Large: Franklin BPW

# STATE CONFERENCE

*Danville, Ky*



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★ ★ Franklin BPW ★ ★  
**Business and Professional Women**

**I'm a woman  
 Phenomenally.  
*Phenomenal woman,  
 That's me.*  
 - Maya Angelou**



**2019-20 Franklin BPW Officers**

- |                 |                        |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| Parliamentarian | Laura Tyree            |
| President       | Stephanie Downey       |
| President Elect | Kristin Crafton        |
| Vice President  | Mary Thomas Vincent    |
| Secretary       | Amy Smith              |
| Treasurer       | Michelle Hardesty      |
| Exec. Assistant | Athena Richardson      |
| Exec. Assistant | Sharon Taylor-Carrillo |

**Franklin BPW 2019 Awards Presentation**

- Presidents Award - Sharon Taylor-Carrillo  
 Community Pride Award—Jacene Deratany  
 Officer of the Year -Kristin Crafton  
 Hall of Fame Inductee—Cathy Hughes  
 New Member of the Year -Jackie Craig  
 Member of the Year -Marilyn Moffitt  
 Representative of the Year -Sherita Jones



*Congratulations  
 to all the newly elected  
 officers and  
**Best  
 Personal  
 Wishes**  
 for a  
**Phenomenal  
 Year !!***



- KFBPW 2019-20 State Officers**  
 President, Amanda Ishmael  
 Pres. Elect, Ginny White-Schatzke  
 Vice President, Laura Tyree  
 Secretary, Sharon Taylor-Carrillo  
 Treasurer, Diane Crony-Turner

- KFBPW—West Region**  
 Director, Laura Tyree  
 Assist. Director, Brooke Archilo  
 Secretary, Liz Stanley  
 Treasurer, Diane Crony-Turner

## KFBPW Local Organization Presidents – 2019-2020

<b>Local</b>	<b>President</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>Home Phone</b>	<b>Business Phone</b>	<b>Cell Phone</b>	<b>Fax</b>	<b>E-Mail Address</b>
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## 2019-2020 KFBPW Executive Committee

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## 2019-2020 KFBPW Leadership Team

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# 2019-20 Calendar of Events

## JULY

1 Kentucky Cardinal Deadline (submit articles and advertising) Electronic Issue

## AUGUST

26 Women's Equality Day

## SEPTEMBER

15 Kentucky Cardinal deadline (Printed Issue)

## OCTOBER - *Breast Cancer Awareness and Domestic Violence Awareness Month*

1-31 KFBPW Kentucky Professional Women's Month (any seven (7) day events)

15 Deadline for Kentucky BPW Foundation Scholarship Application

20-26 Kentucky Professional Women's Week

## NOVEMBER

1 KY Nominations Chair to notify locals of February 15 Deadline for KFBPW State Office

5 Election Day

8-9 BPW Interim Board of Directors Meeting, Barren River State Park, Lucas, KY

## DECEMBER

1 Kentucky Cardinal deadline (Electronic Issue)

6 Deadline for proposed Bylaws Revisions to State Bylaws Chair

## JANUARY- 2020

1 New Year's Day

10 State Bylaws Chair forwards proposed revisions to the Executive Committee

## FEBRUARY - *Black History Month*

7 National Wear Red Day for Women's Heart Disease Awareness

15 Deadline for state office nominations

## MARCH - *Women's History Month*

15 Kentucky Cardinal deadline (Printed Issue)

28 West Region Meeting, Franklin, KY - hosted by Franklin BPW

31 Equal Pay Day

## APRIL - *Autism Awareness Month*

12 Easter Sunday

18 South Central Region Meeting, Campbellsville, KY - Hosted by Campbellsville BPW

25 North Central Region Meeting, Springfield, KY - hosted by Springfield BPW

30 Kentucky BPW Foundation Scholarship Application deadline

30 Contributions due to Foundation Chair for award recognition

## MAY - *Military Appreciation Month*

1 Pay Day for annual membership dues

10 Mother's Day

22 Deadline for All Local Award Submissions; Regional PDP/AP information to State Chairs

29 Deadline - State Committee Chairs send list of clubs submitting reports to State President for certificate preparation

## JUNE

5 Deadline - State Committee Chairs submit FINAL list of Award Winners to State President for preparation of awards

20 KFBPW Executive Committee Dinner, Elizabethtown, KY

26-27 KFBPW Annual Conference, Hilton Garden Inn, Elizabethtown, KY

