GWG Co-Chairs' Update - October, 2025

In Case You Missed It – ICYMI:

What a special night it was! On **September 18th,** over 300 GWG members, guests and non-profit representatives met at the Greenville Convention Center to kick off the 20th Anniversary Year of Greenville Women Giving. The evening began with a reception and toast to our three founders, to the members of our founding class, and to our partner, the Community Foundation. This was followed by a program that included inspirational words from one of our founders, Sue Priester, on how launching Greenville Women Giving was an idea that was "right from the start" to Mayor Knox White congratulating GWG for its many contributions to Greenville County and presenting a Proclamation declaring **September 18, 2025** as Greenville Women Giving Day. These speakers were followed by presentations from five of our original grant recipients; one from each of our five focus areas. The evening concluded with a surprise presentation of a new GWG documentary about our history and the impact we have had on our community over the past 20 years. Please use the following links to see more photos from the event, to view the grantee presentations, and to the GWG documentary. Thanks to the Community Journals and to GWG Member and owner of Details PR, Kara Dullea, for the great coverage in this week's issue of the Greenville Journal!

On **September 25th**, GWG's Membership Committee held a joint Each One, Bring One event with Greater Good Greenville designed to attract new members in the Traveler's Rest area. This sold-out event held at Top Soil Restaurant (despite monsoon-type wind and rain), featured a presentation from Morgan Martin, Director of Development with Upstate Forever.

What's Next

Educational Event: Spotlight on Environment: A Year After Helene
Thursday, October 9th, Senior Action, 3715 E North St, 29615, 5:30 – 7:00PM. Learn how Greenville's green infrastructure updates and rapid response helped us weather the record-breaking storm. Find out what worked and what more is needed the next time we face a threat of this nature.

Grantee Information Event: Learn about the GWG Grant Application Process (new)
On **October 29th,** Greenville Women Giving's Grants Review Committee will release its prerecorded Grantee Information Webinar, which will be followed by a live Q&A webinar for potential grant applicants on **November 5th.**

Educational Event: Spotlight on Education: Empowering High-Risk Kids to Succeed
Thursday, November 13th, Poinsett Club, 807 E. Washington St, 29601, 9:00 – 10-:30AM. Discover how Greenville County schools deliver the needed focus on students' strengths and potential, while offering support systems to help them thrive. The emphasis is on helping students learn to overcome educational obstacles and stay on track toward high school graduation and post-graduate success.

For Your Information

Buy Yourself an Anniversary Present!
GWG is offering a special array of 20th Anniversary gifts that are perfect for you or as gifts to others. Use this link to our catalogue to do your shopping. All orders must be placed online by October 11th. Orders will be available for pickup at the Community Foundation during the week of November 17th.

We Need Your Help
You should have received notification of your 2025-2026 annual GWG contribution. We hope we can count on each of you to continue your affiliation with Greenville Women Giving and the vital work we are doing to support our area nonprofits and the work they do. If you haven't received this notification, contact greenvillewomengiving@gmail.com. Please note that your contribution is due by December 1st, but the sooner you are able to pay the better able we are to finalize plans for this year's goals and events.

Lastly, our GWG committees are looking for volunteers, especially the Grants Review Committee, as we gear up for our 2025-2026 grants season. If you have the time and would like to get more involved, please use this link to sign up for the committee or committees of your choice.

Jill, Jean, Connie and Jane, GWG Co-Chairs

COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF GREENVILLE · BAIN STEWART MEDIA · Details PUBLIC RELATIONS · PRISMA HEALTH · TOWN

Greenville Women Giving | 10 S. Academy Street, Suite 350 | Greenville, SC 29601 US

Unsubscribe | Update Profile | Constant Contact Data Notice

Try email marketing for free today!