

Sara Ruppel, President



## GFWC Pennsylvania Summer Leadership Conference July 17-18, 2026

### Friday, July 17, 2026 (tentative and subject to change)

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast	
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Registration	
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 p.m.	Opening Session Welcome, Introductions, Pledge, Thought of Day Recognition of First Time Attendees And More. Snacks too!	
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Lunch Buffet – Sandwich and Salad variety	
12:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	Keynote Speaker Workshop – President's Project	
2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Break and Snacks	
2:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.	Updates and More Jennie Award, Community Improvement Project, Fundraising, WHRC, Communications, Civic Engagement and Outreach, Legislation & Public Policy	
5:00 p.m. – 5:45 p.m.	Registration & Fundraising	
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Dinner – Caprese Chicken or Eggplant Parmesan	
7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	Pennsylvania Dairy Princesses	
8:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.	Ice Cream Social – featuring Turkey Hill Ice Cream	
8:30 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.	Release Your Inner Child – games and fun to benefit <b>Heifer International</b>	

### Saturday, July 18, 2026 (tentative and subject to change)

8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.	Plated Breakfast	
9:45 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	Workshops - Arts & Culture Education & Libraries Environment Health & Wellness	
11:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Break and Snacks	
11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.	Workshops - Membership Leadership	
12:15 p.m. – 12:30 p.m.	Break	
12:30 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Workshops - GFWC Signature Project GFWC Junior Special Project	
1:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	General Session Convention Recognition, Announcements, Closing Thoughts, Club Collect	

### What should I bring?

You. And maybe classroom supply donations for PA-HeadStart: crayons (regular or jumbo), washable markers, colored pencils, glue sticks, child-safe scissors, construction paper, play-doh, finger or washable paints, paint brushes/sponges, stickers, dry erase markers, tissues, baby wipes, zip-top bags (gallon or quart).



# GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS PENNSYLVANIA

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**Location:** DoubleTree Resort by Hilton Lancaster, 2400 Willow Street Pike, Lancaster, PA 17602

**Hotel Reservations:** DoubleTree Resort (717) 464-2711  
Group Code: **GFWC** Room Rate - \$159 + Applicable Taxes  
**Hotel Reservation Deadline is June 16, 2026**

**Event Registration Deadline is June 22, 2026:**  
Confirmations will be sent by e-mail, as well as conference documents the week of the event.  
Changes and Cancellations received in writing prior to June 26, 2026. No refunds after that date.

**Pre-Registration with payment is required for all attendees.**

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Club \_\_\_\_\_ Club Number \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ First Time Attendee? \_\_\_\_\_

Printed copy of documents is provided at NO charge, but by request only, with this registration.  
Do you request printed copy of documents (circle one)? Yes or No

Friday Dinner (circle one): Caprese Chicken w tomatoes, fresh mozzarella, & basil  
or Eggplant Parmesan w fire-roasted marinara  
(both include roasted broccolini and wild rice blend; chocolate raspberry pavlova)

Please list food allergies and dietary restrictions (accommodations will be made to the existing dish vs an alternative menu): \_\_\_\_\_

Friday & Saturday Conference Fee: **\$175** per person, (includes Fri. breakfast, lunch, dinner, ice cream social; Sat. breakfast; and snacks both days!! Snacks are the best!)

Return this form with check payable to: GFWC PA (Memo- SLC 2026)

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