



THE FUND FOR WOMEN & GIRLS

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INSPIRE LEVEL MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

In the last newsletter you learned about one of our two new Inspire Level members, Debra Ryan. This issue we are sharing more about our second Inspire Level member - Jenny Black! Learn more about giving the gift of a Dream Team pledge and why Jenny enjoys being a member!

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POWER OF THE PURSE

This year's Power of the Purse took place on Friday, October 20 at the West Shore Country Club! We had an amazing time networking, shopping, and most importantly celebrating our Women in Philanthropy winners and Dream Team member inductees. We surpassed our mobile giving goal of \$8,000 and sold every purse in our silent auction. [Click here to view photos from our event.](#)

COCOA, COCKTAILS, & CONVERSATIONS

Our Dream Team members, The Fund for Women & Girls grantees, and guests got in the holiday spirit on Thursday, December 7, at Cocoa, Cocktails, & Conversations at The Hershey Story!

[Click here to view photos from our event!](#)

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SAVE THE DATE

ANNUAL GRANTEE RECOGNITION BREAKFAST

TUESDAY, APRIL 30, 2024
WEST SHORE COUNTRY CLUB

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INSPIRE LEVEL MEMBER SPOTLIGHT: JENNY BLACK



Did you know you can gift a Dream Team membership to someone in your life? Jenny Black, a member of the Dream Team since 2012, is honored to receive her membership as a gift from her mother, Janice Black.

“My mother gave me my membership in The Fund for Women & Girls (FWG) at each level. I feel honored to receive this gift from her and love

being part of The Fund for Women & Girls,” said Jenny Black. “I hope other families will consider giving a member of their family this wonderful gift, as my mother did for me. I wear the necklace with all four charms for each level very proudly. It inspires me to give back.”

Through the Dream Team, Jenny is able to support multiple organizations that support women & girls while connecting with other donors and advocates who are united in the vision of a community where women and girls thrive. This year, Jenny reached the highest giving level of the Dream Team - Inspire.

“Being a member at the Inspire Level of FWG enables me to feel very fortunate. I know the funds paid will help grow the FWG Endowment that provides funds every year to make grants into the community to nonprofits that serve women and girls,” said Jenny.

In addition to being able to give back, Jenny is invited to and attends the annual events - the Annual Grantee Recognition Breakfast and Power of the Purse. This year, she and other Dream Team members, pledges, fund grantees, and guests were treated to an exclusive event - Cocoa, Cocktails, & Conversations.

“The best part is when I attend an event for FWG, I know the money given helps provide grants to help women and girls thrive,” said Jenny.

COCOA, COCKTAILS, & CONVERSATIONS



Attendees were treated to a chocolate tasting, exclusive access to the museum store, delicious hors d'oeuvres, a performance by the Central PA Womyn's Chorus, and a program to learn the impact of FWG. Plus, we received six new pledges!

A special thank you to our Sponsors and the Central Pennsylvania Womyn's Chorus for their performance:

- Presenting Sponsor: A.P. Williams
- Gold Sponsor: Evans Engineering
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- In-Kind Sponsors: The Hershey Company, Hershey Entertainment & Resorts, and Joelle Shea



HELP US SUPPORT LOCAL WOMEN & GIRLS

While the Fund for Women & Girls was established in 2000, The Dream Team was established in 2011 with a goal and purpose of encouraging individuals to make a gift of at least \$1,000 to create a permanent \$1 million endowment. From the endowment, annual grants are made available to local nonprofit organizations that provide services to women and girls in the South Central PA counties of Cumberland, Dauphin, Franklin, Lebanon, Perry, and the Dillsburg Area of Northern York.

FWG grants more than \$50,000 each year in grants to help women and girls meet their needs so they can ultimately live their personal and professional dreams. It's in making these dreams a reality through sustained or incremental giving that you become a member of the Dream Team, which connects you to an influential network of fellow donors and community advocates united in the vision of a community where women and girls thrive.

Below are the levels of membership. Learn more at www.tfec.org/fwg.

- \$1,000 Dream**
- \$2,500 Create**
- \$5,000 Sustain**
- \$10,000 Inspire**
- Legacy Society - Name the Fund for Women and Girls in your will or estate plans to leave a lasting legacy for the next generation.**

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