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Denton County Paralegal Association

Thanksgiving Meal Drive

DCPA is collecting items to help Denton County Friends of the Family with their Thanksgiving Meal Drive. They plan to provide meals for 600 people that are receiving services. This is a great way to get into the giving spirit and help others who will truly appreciate it. Please see the attached list of requested items and bring your donations to our 11/16 Monthly Luncheon & Business Meeting. **DCPA made special arrangements to deliver your items to DCFOF, so please bring your Thanksgiving donations to our 11/16 meeting!**



DONATE THE ITEMS BELOW FOR OUR THANKSGIVING MEAL DRIVE

- \$10 Gift Cards to Walmart or Kroger (families buy their own protein)
- Pumpkin Pie Mix (can or box)
- Pie Crust Mix
- Stuffing Box
- Cranberry sauce
- Mashed Potato (box)
- Gravy Mix
- Canned Veggies (green beans, corn, peas, carrots, yams)
- Cornbread Mix
- Boxed Macaroni & Cheese
- Rice
- Beans
- Peanut Butter
- Jelly
- Mayo
- Box of Jell-O or Pudding
- Box of Cereal
- Box of Graham Crackers
- Foil Baking Pans
- Paper Plates
- Napkins, Utensils, Paper Towels

THANKYOU

QUESTIONS?
EMAIL VOLUNTEER@DCFOF.ORG

DCFOF.ORG/THANKSGIVING

Veteran's Day – November 11, 2017

Thank you to all our service members!



Meeting Notice

The Denton County Paralegal Association's next Luncheon will be on Thursday, **November 16, 2017** at noon at Oakmont Country Club, 1200 Clubhouse Drive, Corinth, Texas.

2017 Officers

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Did you know...

We have streamlined the online registration process! Go to the DCPA website at <http://dentonparalegals.org/>. Under the Upcoming Events blue bar click the Monthly Luncheon & CLE link, then click the Register tab and provide the requested information. When registering online, you must indicate whether you plan to attend the CLE and pay for lunch, or will attend the CLE only. We encourage you to make the buffet lunch payment online. If you prefer to pay at the door, you can choose to receive an invoice during the registration process.

Online Registration Is Required! The deadline to register for this month's meeting is **November 13th at 3 p.m.** Be sure to complete the registration sequence to notify us that you will either attend the CLE and purchase lunch, or will attend the CLE only. That will help us ensure Oakmont is prepared for the number of guests who will go through the buffet line, and that we provide adequate seating for those attending CLE only. **Please note we must bill individuals who register for lunch even if they are unable to attend.**

Directions to Oakmont

Oakmont Country Club is located in Corinth off I-35 East between Lewisville and Denton.

- Exit 461 – Shady Grove Road/Post Oak Drive
- Turn west onto Post Oak Drive
- Turn right (west) onto Robinson Road at stop sign
- Turn left (south) onto Oakmont Drive – you will see an Oakmont sign in the median
- Turn right into Clubhouse Drive (second right)

AGENDA FOR MEETING

Date: November 16, 2017
Place: Oakmont Country Club
1200 Clubhouse Drive
Corinth, Texas 76210
Time: Noon

1. Welcome Members and Guests

2. Old Business

- a. Approve October Minutes
- b. Approve October Treasurer's Report
- c. Committee Reports
- d. Recognition of 2017 Officers

3. New Business

- a. Inauguration of 2018 President, President-Elect, Treasurer, and Secretary
- b. Official Appointment of Historian

4. Announcements

- Daphina Park – Committee Chairs for 2018
- Daphina Park – Annual Christmas party at Genti's – December 7, 2017. Don't forget to bring a wrapped Christmas ornament for the exchange. Register online by 12/1.
- Pam Snavelly – Remembering others
- Pam Snavelly – Giving thanks this holiday season

5. Door Prize

6. Adjournment

UPCOMING EVENTS & IMPORTANT DATES!

Merry Christmas!



2017 CHRISTMAS SOCIAL

DATE: Thursday, December 7, 2017
TIME: 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.
PLACE: Genti's Italian Restaurant
3700 FM 2181, Hickory Creek, TX 75065
RSVP: Members please register online at www.dentonparalegals.org

Please RSVP by Friday, Dec. 1, 2017 to ensure an accurate head count for food and door prizes!



The ornament exchange is always so much fun, we will continue with that tradition. Please bring a wrapped Christmas ornament that is around \$5, if you wish to participate in the exchange.

Hope to see you all there!!!

Meet DCPA's Elected Officers for 2018!

Our November 16th meeting will include the inauguration of our newly elected officers for the coming year. We are pleased to welcome Jenna Earhart as President-Elect, Sharron Dowdle as Secretary-Parliamentarian, and Lisa Pittman as Treasurer. Each of these paralegals add a different dimension of experience and knowledge to the association as an Executive Officer. We are fortunate to have them serve on the 2018 Executive Committee with incoming President, Daphina Park.

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President - Daphina Park

Daphina Park began her legal career in 1999 working as the Records Management Officer-Supervisor for the Randall County Records Office. She began working for the Randall County District Attorney in 2003 where she progressed from Juvenile Clerk, to Misdemeanor Clerk, and then to Legal Assistant. She and her husband moved their family from Canyon, Texas to the DFW area in 2008. Daphina began working for the Denton County District Attorney in October that year. She worked in misdemeanor family violence, and then as the Investigative Liaison handling Protective Orders. She served as a member on the Domestic Violence Task Force from 2010 to 2012.

Daphina earned her Paralegal Certificate from UNT/PDI in April 2013. She took a paralegal position with Coker Legal and was an integral part of their legal team from September 2013 to March 2015. Daphina returned to the Denton County District Attorney's Office and worked in the CPS Division for nine months, then transferred to the Civil Division as a Senior Paralegal in January 2016.

Daphina has been a member of DCPA since 2015. She volunteered to serve as Fundraising Chair in 2016 and 2017 with creative new ideas and energy. She was elected by the membership to serve as President-Elect in 2017 and as President of DCPA in 2018.

Daphina has been married to Les Park for 21 years and has two college age children. She and her family are avid football fans who attend as many high school Friday Night Lights games as they can. They also follow all the college teams on Saturdays, and support the "Big Blue" New York Giants on Sundays.



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President-Elect - Jenna Earhart

Jenna Earhart's professional career in the legal field began over 19 years ago. She has enjoyed working for law firms in both Dallas and Denton. Jenna has been a paralegal at Hayes, Berry, White & Vanzant, LLP for ten years. She works directly for Don White, Jr., a founding partner whose practice focuses on Real Estate, Business and Consumer Litigation, and Contracts. Jenna enjoys the daily challenge and being a part of the legal team at HBWV, which she feels has contributed significantly to her personal and professional growth.

Jenna has volunteered to serve DCPA in some capacity over the last ten years. She served as the Fundraising Committee Chair in 2011 and 2012, and as the Scholarship Chair in 2016 and 2017. She has served as a member of the Newsletter Committee from 2007 to the present, and will continue to participate as a member of that committee in 2018. In addition to her DCPA activities, Jenna loves to give back to her community by participating in various 5k fundraisers and supporting local charitable and fundraising events.

Jenna is a single mom of three boys - Cody (24), Tyler (19) and John (14); and Ya-Ya to five grand-littles, Charles (5), Cambria (3), Caius (1), Matthew (2) and Paisley (newborn). Her family is the top priority in her life. She also values her friendships, and looks forward to meeting and making new friends through the legal community.

Secretary-Parliamentarian - Sharron Dowdle

Sharron Dowdle has over eleven years of experience as a case manager and trial paralegal, and serves as the senior paralegal in the Ogilvie Law Office. She has worked in several different practices areas over the course of her career, including civil litigation, criminal, probate, collaborative, and has extensive experience in family law.

Sharron is dedicated to helping clients through difficult times to provide the best client experience. She maintains a flexible approach, broad base of knowledge, and the ability to adapt quickly when sensitive and urgent situations arise. She excels at assisting attorneys and experts on complicated matters such as tracing of separate property assets, issues with abusive relationships, conservatorship battles, dependent administrations, and mental health matters. She is well-versed in collaborative divorce, mediation, and informal settlements and continually seeks out new methods of case resolution.

Sharron has been a member of DCPA since 2014. She is an active participant in the programs and events that our association offers, and consistently attends CLE courses and seminars to grow as a paralegal. Sharron is technologically adept with a background that includes IT Management, Computer Hardware, Data Entry, and Microsoft Office expertise.

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Secretary-Parliamentarian - Sharron Dowdle Con't

Sharron made significant contributions to the technology systems in place at her firm's newly opened Frisco office, and will be a great help in maintaining the DCPA website.

Sharron has a daughter and son who are always the joy and love of her life. She grew up in various parts of the Southwest and attended Concord Career Institute in Denver, Colorado, but her home and heart are in Denton County, Texas.

Treasurer - Lisa Pittman

Lisa Pittman has been a paralegal for twenty-two years and has been with the law firm of Hayes, Berry, White, & Vanzant working with partner Richard Hayes for over seventeen years. She has extensive experience in residential and commercial real estate, oil & gas, transactional, eminent domain, and civil litigation.

Lisa has served DCPA in a variety of roles over the years: as Secretary/Parliamentarian in 2006, 2007, 2008 & 2011; and as Treasurer from 2009 to the present. She served as Committee Chair for the Legal Directory Committee, Bylaws Ad Hoc Committee, and Newsletter Committee. Lisa served the State Bar Paralegal Division as chair of the Public Relations Committee and Mentor/Protégé Committee from 2009-2012; as subchair for the Public Relations Committee from 2007-2008; and as a TAPS on-site volunteer for eleven years.

Lisa dearly loves her wonderful family: Todd, her husband of 38 years, two adult children, Shaun & Natasha, three beautiful granddaughters, Nevaeh, Savannah & Kelci, one rambunctious grandson, Kason, and their beloved Aussie, Marley. In her spare time, Lisa, her husband and daughter breed and raise purebred Arabian horses. They own nine horses which include: "barn names" Bey, Lacey, Sweetheart, Princess, Smokey, Mr. Man, Missy, Jazzy, and Itty Bit. They also show several of their horses. She has won numerous local Class A shows, placed at the U.S. Nationals and Scottsdale shows within the last two years with her 3 year old gelding and 1 year old filly. Lisa was happy to have Mr. Man take the Top Five at Region 9, Top Ten at U.S. Nationals, and Top Ten at the Scottsdale Arabian Horse Show. Lisa was also pleased to have Jazzy take Junior Mare Champion at the Glen Rose, Class A Show, Top Ten at Scottsdale, and numerous Grand Champion (1st place) and Reserve Grand Champion (2nd place) showings in area competitions.

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We appreciate these outstanding paralegals donating their time and talents to DCPA's Executive Committee for 2018. We are excited to see what is in store for the coming year under their leadership and guidance!

Paralegal Day Celebration

In celebration of Texas Paralegal Day 2017, DCPA held a Happy Hour Mixer with a special invitation to SBPD District 12 members at East Side Social Club on November 2, 2017. We had a good time, met some new friends, and enjoyed perfect weather for the gathering!



President's Message

By: Pamela Snavelly, ACP



Dear DCPA Members,

Our November meeting will include presentation of annual reports, the inauguration of our 2018 officers, and the conclusion of 2017 business. It has been a busy and productive year! When I look back at the association's accomplishments, I am very pleased about the matters the Executive Committee addressed and proud of the issues that were given priority. Collaboration with Committee Chairs and effective teamwork led to the following achievements:

Continuing Legal Education

A total of twelve hours of CLE credit were made available to area paralegals this year. DCPA promoted continuing legal education events by email, in our monthly newsletter *The Verdict*, and through social media postings. We offered five hours of CLE credit at the Annual Spring Seminar "Keep Each Other Safe - Aware, Prepared, and Ready to Respond." Seminar topics included Open Carry, Threat Assessment, Identity Theft Protection, Trial Procedure in Human Trafficking Cases, and Prevention, Identification, and Empowerment of Victims. DCPA also offered seven hours of CLE credit through various monthly membership meetings during the year. Topics included the Paralegal's Role in Identifying and Responding to Domestic Violence in Client Populations, Veteran's Court, Grandparents' Rights, Process Service, E-filing, Mediation, and Preparing for Jury Trial. We were very fortunate to have outstanding local attorneys, judges, and professional experts who graciously volunteered to serve as guest speakers.

Fundraising Events

Our Valentine's Day Gram, *S'mores in a Jar*, was a fun and creative fundraising effort that was very successful. Half of our net proceeds were shared with Denton County Friends of the Family (DCFOF), the principal charitable group we support. We participated in the Back to School Drive in August by contributing school supplies for the kids at DCFOF, and are participating in the Thanksgiving Food Drive to provide canned goods for families in November. The association

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also continued to promote sales of the 2016 Legal Directory throughout the year to members, attorneys, and other legal professionals for marketing purposes and to recoup publishing costs.

25 Year Milestone

In recognition of the 1991 inception of DCPA, research was undertaken and interviews conducted for preparation of a general history regarding how the association began and developed over 25 years. It was interesting to note the changes, especially in the area of technology, yet affirm that the basic foundation principles remain the same. We maintain the same objectives and mission as our founding members envisioned, and continue our commitment to promote high standards of integrity and professionalism for paralegals today.

TAPA

As a member of the Texas Alliance of Paralegal Associations, DCPA was happy to be represented by Daphina Park and Martha Gallegos at the leadership conference held in Lubbock this year. It was a great opportunity for two of our up-and-coming Executive Officers to enhance their leadership skills, confer with other paralegal leaders across the state, and return with exciting new ideas for the continued professional development of our association.

Membership Retention & Growth

We began our Membership Drive Contest in January and concluded it in September to give members ample time to compete for the grand prize, Dinner at Hannah's and Campus Theatre Tickets. The contest encouraged members to reach out to professional colleagues and extend an invitation to attend a meeting or event as a guest. Several new connections were made and relationships fostered through this outreach. We are very pleased to have added several new paralegals and returning veterans to the roster for a total of 70 DCPA members to date. We are also thankful for our generous Sustaining Members that provided support to our association this year. We appreciate their donation of incentives for members who attended events and participated in activities.

Technical Improvements & Media Presence

Online membership renewals were available for the first time this year, which greatly streamlined the renewal process. Members were able to easily update their professional information and pay their dues online. We also revamped the seminar and luncheon registration and online payment process for both members and guests. In addition to the website, DCPA continued to promote visibility and branding through its Facebook Page, Twitter Account, and recently redesigned LinkedIn Group Page. Members were able to keep informed regarding events, activities, and legal community news through our social media links, the monthly newsletter, and website updates.

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Community Service

2017 was DCPA's first year to initiate the Blanket Brigade program. This was a community service project to make hand-tied, colorful fleece blankets for children who stay at the DCFOF shelter. It was heartwarming to see the response of the members who participated or supplied materials, and gratifying to exceed the goal number of finished blankets that we originally set. We hope that this community outreach offered an extra bit of warmth, comfort, and security to kids in the midst of difficult circumstances, and that it positively impacts their vision of the future.

Retired Judge's Recognition

We were also happy to culminate a project that originated under a previous administration. DCPA acquired and donated a commemorative plaque in honor of several esteemed retired Denton County Judges. The beautiful plaque commemorated each Judge with his or her name and years of service inscribed on a gold bar. We dedicated the plaque in a special recognition ceremony to honor eleven retired Judges whom we have had the honor of working with over the years. We appreciate the overwhelmingly favorable response from the judiciary and legal community, and are very proud that the plaque now hangs in the Denton County Courthouse on the east side of the stairs.

Social Gatherings

Paralegals work hard and need to have a little fun and relaxation occasionally, so DCPA scheduled a few casual outings for members. We started the year out with a Trivia Night competition, were entertained by a summer evening on the patio at Fortunata Winery, and enjoyed a fall mixer with an invitation to friends from our local SBPD district to celebrate Texas Paralegal Day. We also had the opportunity to socialize at special events during the year such as the Denton 5K & Fun Run and several Blanket Brigade Work Nights. The capstone event for socials is our end of the year Christmas celebration that will include awards and recognition. Door prizes will be available through the courtesy of our wonderful sponsors, for whom we are especially thankful.

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As the 2017 President, I am proud of DCPA's accomplishments and feel very fortunate to have worked closely with an amazing team of Executive Officers that gave their full support, time, and talents to the association: President-Elect Daphina Park; Secretary-Parliamentarian Martha Gallegos; Treasurer Lisa Pittman; and Historian Heather Walker. These wonderful colleagues were instrumental in ensuring that we met our goals, completed projects, and maintained our professional objectives. I appreciate each of them for their steadfast dedication and positive attitude!

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DCPA program and event operations were accomplished through various standing committees. Our 2017 Committee Chairs are commended for their enthusiasm, commitment, and follow through: CLE Chair Deborah Nyarangi; Legal Directory Chair Cheryl Cooper; Membership Chair Vicki Schmidt; Newsletter Chair Lisa Pittman; and Scholarship Chair Jenna Earhart. I applaud our Ad Hoc Committee Chairs for their diligence and attention to detail on special projects: Judge's Recognition Ceremony Chair Martha Gallegos; Bylaws Update Chair Sunnie Palmer; and Ad Hoc Christmas Chair Daphina Park. Your creative energy and resourcefulness are very much appreciated!

It has been my privilege and honor to serve as DCPA President in 2017. Thank you for the opportunity to represent and promote the association this past year. I am grateful to all who have given their support and encouragement to make it such a rewarding experience. It is exciting to see DCPA flourish, and I look forward to its continued development as Daphina Park takes the reigns to serve as President in 2018!

Best regards,

Pamela Snavelly

Pamela Snavelly, ACP
2017 DCPA President



Birthdays

Our members with December and January Birthdays are:

Ava Watson (12/5)
Robin Victor (12/8)
Nancy West (12/16)
Russell Blair (12/19)
Jodi Moss (12/29)
Carla Neal (12/30)
Lacee Young (1/5)

Joni Barr (1/9)
Sharron Dowdle (1/10)
Vicki Schmidt (1/11)
Lizet Moncada (1/21)
Nina Winfrey (1/21)
Amy Hoffee (1/24)
Carol Pelzel (1/24)

Hope each of you will have a **Happy Birthday!**



October Meeting Speaker & Blanket Brigade Presentation

DCPA welcome guest speaker Donna Bloom, Director of Legal Services of Denton County Friends of the Family, for an informative presentation regarding the paralegal's role in identifying and responding to domestic violence in our client populations at our October meeting.

The Blanket Brigade completed its community service project and presented hand-tied colorful fleece blankets to Ms. Bloom for the children that DCFOF serves. We hope each blanket brings an extra big of comfort and cheer to the new owner. Many thanks to all who participated, donated materials, and supported the effort!

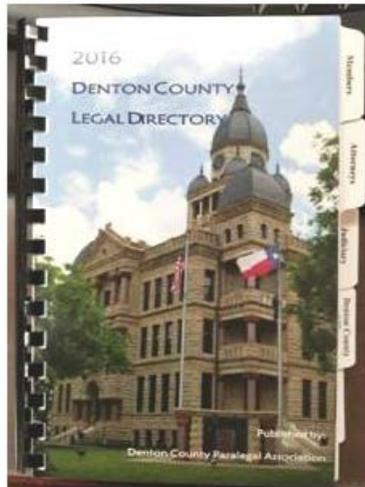


October Meeting Speaker & Blanket Brigade Presentation Con't



2016 Legal Directory

By: Cheryl Cooper, Committee Chair



The 2016 Legal Directory Committee of the Denton County Paralegal Association is pleased to report that we have published our Denton County Legal Directory.

We are providing two options for the directory this year: a bound hard copy of the directory, as well as a digital copy of the directory that is on a flash drive. This is the first time in the history of DCPA that we have offered a digital copy of the directory and we are very pleased at the way they turned out.

If you, or someone you know, would like to purchase one of these directories, please contact Cheryl Cooper at ccooper@reecerlaw.com; Work (940) 382-3168; or Cell (979) 277-8761.

Digital directory - \$15.00 (\$2.50 Shipping Fee)

Bound directory - \$22.00 (\$4.50 Shipping Fee)

Both directories - \$35.00 (\$6.50 Shipping Fee).

If you prefer to pick up a copy at no additional cost, you may do so, with advance notice, at the Reecer Law Firm, 400 W. Oak Street, Suite 205, Denton, Texas 76201.

Checks should be made payable to Denton County Paralegal Association and either hand-delivered or mailed to our address.

Support Our Sustaining Members

Please help support our Sustaining Members by calling them when you have a project that needs outside support. Remember it is through their continued support and generosity that DCPA is able to provide social events at a low cost.

County Process Service

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In Memoriam



Dr. Glen Stephen Gillis - Our sincere condolences to long-time sustaining member and special friend Janel Stoffels, on the passing of her husband Dr. Glen Stephen Gillis. Glen was a native of Nova Scotia before moving to Canada, and later to Gainesville and the Denton area. He earned his Doctorate in Biochemistry at the University of North Texas and enjoyed a lengthy career as Vice President of Research and Development at Lily of the Desert.

Glen married Janel, his best friend and soulmate, in September 2006. They traveled extensively together and enjoyed life to the fullest. The happy couple made an additional home in the Hill Country where they would escape and enjoy time away with one another.

Glen was a dedicated father to sons Stephen Gillis and Ryan Gills of Gainesville. He had one grandson, Kaden, who was a source of immense love and joy. Glen was deeply loved by his large and extended Stoffels family and will be dearly missed by all. Please continue to send loving thoughts and prayers for Janel and their family.

In lieu of flowers they request that donations be made to the Registered Education Savings Plan for Glen's grandson Kaden. Donations can be made through a Go Fund Me account at <https://www.gofundme.com/In-Memory-of-Dr-Glen-Gillis>.



Brady Dalton Burger - Our sincere sympathy to colleague Christy Rodgers and family at the passing of her nephew Brady Dalton Burger, 23, of Sanger on October 31, 2017 in Denton. He was born on January 30, 1994 to Jerry Burger Jr. and Michelle Smith. His aunt described him as always having a smile and kindness in his heart.

He is survived by numerous family members who will miss him dearly. They welcome your prayers as their hearts are hurting deeply over the loss of young Brady. In lieu of flowers, you can donate to the [Brady Burger Memorial Fund at Youcaring.com](https://www.youcaring.com/Brady-Burger-Memorial-Fund).

Minutes

1. President Pamela Snavelly called the meeting held on October 19, 2017 to order at 12:05 p.m. at Oakmont Country Club in Denton. President Snavelly welcomed members and guest speaker.
2. Donna Bloom, Director of Legal Services with Denton County Friends of the Family was the guest speaker. In her presentation she discussed the paralegal's role in identifying and responding to domestic violence.

OLD BUSINESS

3. President Snavelly asked for a vote on the August meeting minutes. A motion for approval was presented by Michele George and seconded by Cheryl Cooper. The motion carried by unanimous vote.
4. President Snavelly asked for a vote of approval for the August Treasurer's report. A motion for approval was presented by Adriana Sanchez and seconded by Julia Christman. The motion carried by unanimous vote.
5. President Snavelly asked for a vote of approval for the September meeting minutes. A motion for approval was presented by Jenna Earhart and seconded by Daphina Park. The motion carried by unanimous vote.
6. President Snavelly asked for a vote of approval for the September Treasurer's report. A motion for approval was presented by Michele George and seconded by Beth Honeycutt. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

NEW BUSINESS

7. Election Ballots for the 2018 Executive Committee were passed out to each member.
8. President Snavelly gave an update on the Bylaw revisions. We hope to be ready to vote on them at next meeting November 16th. This will be the Annual Business Meeting.
9. Christmas Party is scheduled for December 7, 2017. At Genti's in Corinth.

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10. Daphina Park announced the Committee Chairs for 2018. Chair for CLE will be Kimberly Spivey, Fundraising Chair - Melissa Boyd, Membership Chair - Julia Christman, Newsletter Chair - Lisa Pittman, Scholarship Chair - Amy Hoffee, and Social Chair - Cindy Moon.
11. The election results for the 2018 Executive Committee were announced. Jenna Earhart will be President-elect, Lisa Pittman will be Treasurer, and Sharron Dowdle will be Secretary/Parliamentarian.
12. President Snavely presented the Blanket Brigade Project to Donna Bloom on behalf of all the members who donated their time in making the blankets.
13. Adriana Sanchez was the winner of the door prize.
14. There being no further business, President Snavely adjourned the meeting at 1:18 pm.