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**ARTISTS TAKE TOP PRIZES AT
44th ANNUAL GREAT DAY IN THE COUNTRY ARTS & CRAFTS FESTIVAL**

-- Festival featured over 300 artists and crafters in fall festival setting. --

[Oviedo, Florida] (November 11, 2017) – Fourteen talented artists were awarded today with prizes for their artistic talents. The 44th annual Great Day in the Country Arts & Crafts Festival has announced the winners of its annual Arts and Crafts Awards. Great Day in the Country is produced by the GFWC Oviedo Woman's Club.

Great Day in the Country 2017 marks the 44th year of the festival with work from artists and crafters from the local area and nationwide. The art was on display and judged and recipients were announced at the festival and awards of \$4,000 were presented.

Beth Ann Woolfolk, of How Art Thee Mosaics, received the Best of Show Award for her creation *Cora's Moon*.

Stephen Keefer, of Fronds and Things, received the Top Award in the Fine Arts Division for his *Mixed Media Red Fish*.

Bonnie Eads, of Ocala, Florida, received the Best Painting Award in the Fine Arts Division for her *Guardian of the Swamp*.

DG Stern, of Neptune Press, received the Best Mixed Media Award in the Fine Arts Division for *Nantucket Lightship Basket*.

LaDora Sims, received the Best Photography Award in the Fine Arts Division for the photo *Solar Eclipse*.

Jacki Zajac, of Black Creek Pottery in Melbourne, Florida, received the Best Sculpture/Pottery Award in the Fine Arts Division for her vase sculpture.

Linda Banning, received the Best Jewelry Award in the Fine Arts Division for her necklace: chain and stone.

Dee Sutphin, of Dee Did It Glass, received the Best Glass Award in the Fine Arts Division for the glass plate.

Annette King, of Hanky Panky Designs, received the Top Award in the Crafts Division for her vintage dress.

Hanna Charubin, of HannaCJewelry, received the Best Beadwork Award in the Crafts Division for her black necklace.

Robert Cameron, of RC ENT, received the Best Woodcraft Award in the Crafts Division for his *Cathedral Clock*.

Gretchen Krasoski, of Quilts and More, received the Best Stitchery Award in the Crafts Division for her stitchery blanket.

Diana Archambault, of Quilted Creations by Diana, received the Best Holiday Themed in the Crafts Division for her *Noel Snowman*.

Sheila Bouwman, of Matlacha Shell Art in Fort Myers, Florida, received the Best Flower Arranging Award in the Crafts Division for her *Sea Shell Branches*.

Great Day in the Country is the GFWC Oviedo Woman's Club's major fundraiser. Over the past eight years, the club has awarded over \$700,000 for scholarships, school grants, and charitable organizations. Last year, over 30,000 people attended the event.

For more information visit our website at www.GreatDayOviedo.org or contact GreatDayInformation@gmail.com.

GFWC Oviedo Woman's Club, founded in 1906, is a philanthropic organization with a mission to support our community, citizens and members. They joined the General Federation of Woman's Clubs in 1923. For more information visit our website at www.oviedowomansclub.org.

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