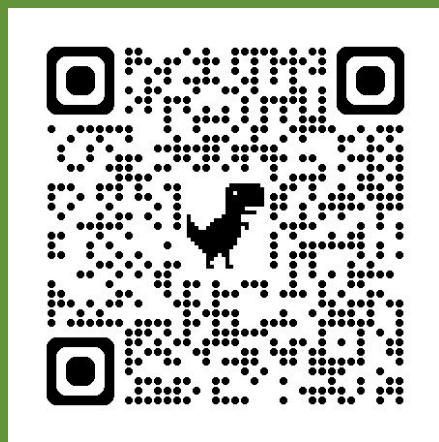
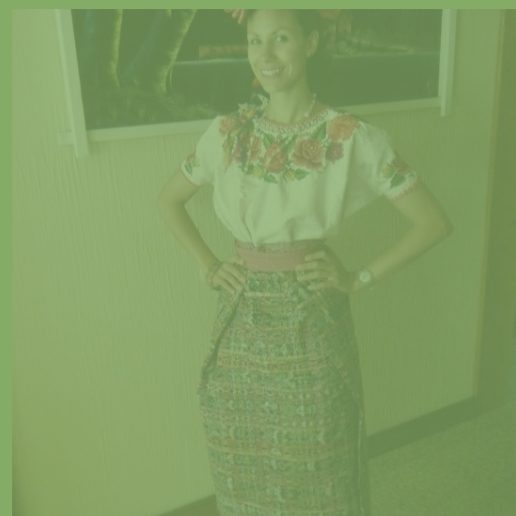
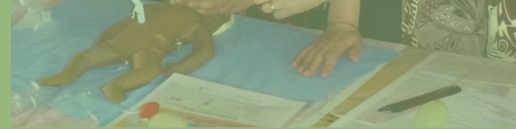




Annual Member Meeting

2025 Year in Review

PODCAST

Celebrated our Extra-Ordinary Women podcast reaching 16 episodes with over 2,000 downloads in 56 different countries!



AWARDS

Recognized DHA recipient Juliet Sorensen and KRELA recipient Anna Perks at Peace Corps Connect and our Women and Girls Win! ceremony.

OUTREACH & EVENTS

Hosted our Annual May Happy Hour with PC, 2025 Member Meeting, Fueling Creativity Panel with Museum of the Peace Corps Experience, & a Reset & Recalibrate Workshop.



COMMUNICATIONS



Redesigned our website. Boosted our social media presence through increased posting on LinkedIn. Sent regular event newsletters and migrated to Mailchimp. Published multiple blog articles.

MENTORING

Expanded outreach by partnering with RPCVnexus to expand our mentor and mentee reach. Hosted a Career Transition session with RPCVnexus.



FUNDRAISING



Met targets to fully endow our two awards and updated our campaign webpage to make it easier to donate to WPCL's campaigns.

5-Year Strategic Plan



5 YEAR STRATEGIC PLAN 2024-2029

We envision a diverse Peace Corps community supporting the empowerment and education of women and girls globally.

Mission Statement:

Women of Peace Corps Legacy (WPCL) is a 501(c)3 organization whose mission is to advance women and girls' empowerment to create a better, more just, equitable, inclusive, and safe world for future generations.

Vision:

We envision a diverse Peace Corps community supporting the empowerment and education of women and girls globally.

Core Values:

Community, Empowerment, Intergenerational, Celebration



Where we want to go in 2026

1. Invest in organizational and institutional processes and systems to strengthen our ability to meet our goals.
2. Develop our membership and develop analytics to increase and diversify our membership.
3. Through promotion of fully endowed awards program, improve brand recognition and achieve our fundraising goals.
4. Deepen relationships between intergenerational members through expanding our mentorship and events programs.
5. Broaden geographic reach of WPCL beyond Washington, DC metro region through outreach to regional, country, and affinity groups.
6. Expand our Extra-Ordinary Women podcast interviews and reach.



WPCL Board

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Jody Olsen
Co-President

Kim Murphy
Co-President

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Pledger

Kate
Raftery

Katrin
Sadigh

Kristine
Vega



Women of Peace Corps Legacy
2025 Income Statement

	Total
Income	
Unrestricted Donations	\$ 14,131.09
Award Donations - Harding	\$ 4,505.00
Award Donations - KRELA	\$ 343.77
Interest, dividends, other income	\$ 2,887.54
Total Income	\$ 21,867.40
Expenses	
Awards - Harding	\$ (2,306.25)
Awards - KRELA	\$ (1,117.19)
Commissions and fees	\$ (43.05)
Commissions and fees - Harding	\$ (0.45)
Commissions and fees - KRELA	\$ (4.39)
Contract labor	\$ (1,050.00)
Insurance (other than health)	\$ (619.00)
Office expense	\$ (1,810.35)
Supplies	\$ (968.12)
Taxes and licenses	\$ (50.00)
Other expenses	\$ (2,349.90)
Total Expenses	\$ (10,318.70)
Net Income/(Loss)	
Net Income/(Loss)	\$ 11,548.70

2025 Financials

Women of Peace Corps Legacy
2025 Balance Sheet

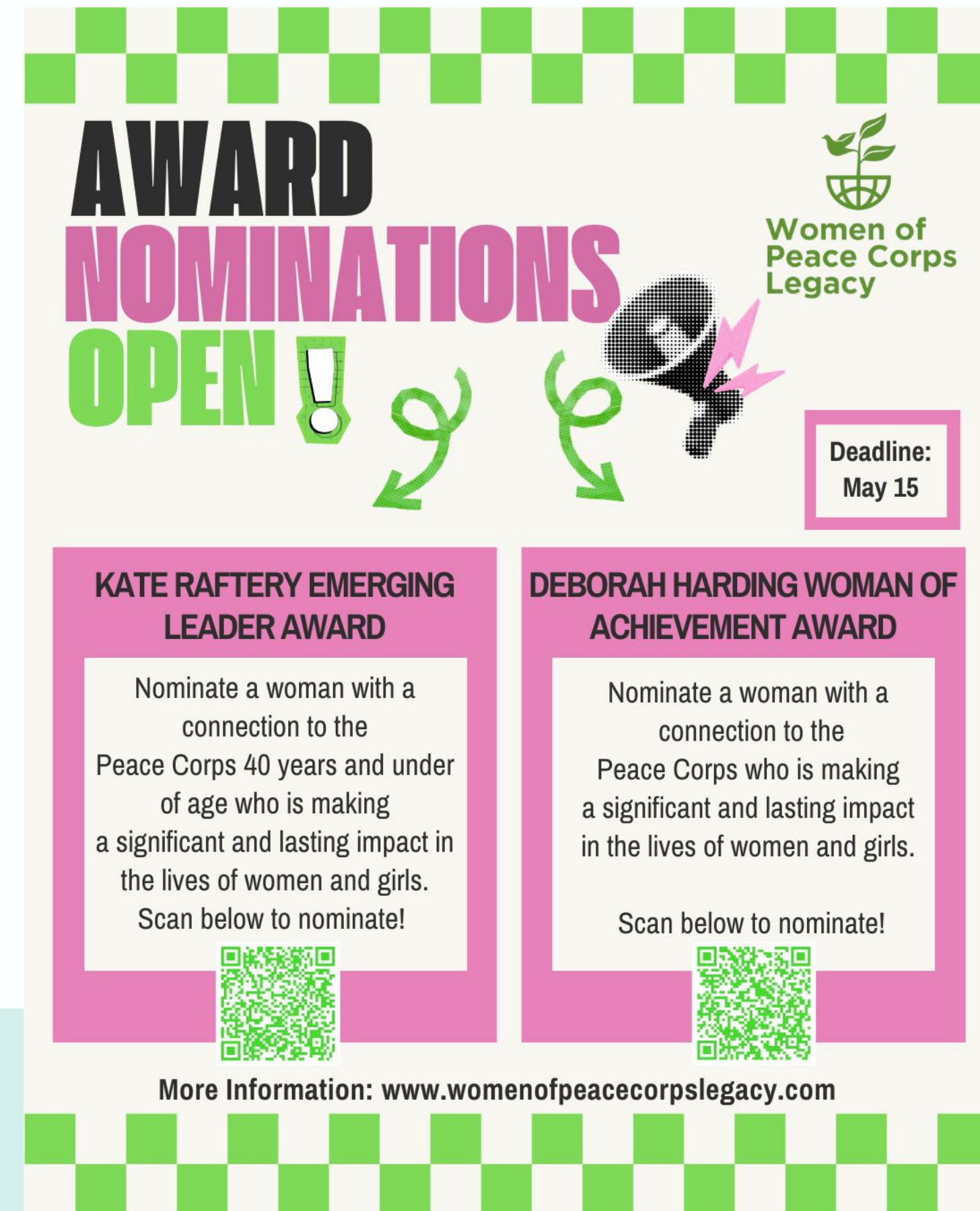
	1/1/2025	2025 Activity	12/31/2025
PNC Cash	\$ 20,733.82	\$ 6,581.31	\$ 27,315.13
PayPal	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Vanguard*	\$ 66,250.42	\$ 4,967.39	\$ 71,217.81
Total Assets	\$86,984.24		\$98,532.94
KRELA Designation	\$ 32,790.81	\$ 590.46	\$ 33,381.27
Harding Designation	\$ 35,539.47	\$ 3,011.08	\$38,550.55
Undesignated	\$ 18,653.96	\$ 7,947.16	\$ 26,601.12
Total Liabilities & Net Assets	\$86,984.24		\$98,532.94
Change in Net Assets			\$ 11,548.70



Awards Committee Goals for 2026

Co-Chairs: Ruta Aidis, Malini Patel

- Increase visibility and recognition of the Deborah Harding Woman of Achievement Award and Kate Raftery Emerging Leader Award among NPCA and affiliate groups
- Increase interest in nominating exceptional Peace Corps women leaders for the awards
- Elevate and celebrate Peace Corps women nominees and awardees
- Announce awardees at the NPCA's Peace Corps Connect Conference in July



AWARD NOMINATIONS OPEN

Women of Peace Corps Legacy

Deadline: May 15

KATE RAFTERY EMERGING LEADER AWARD

Nominate a woman with a connection to the Peace Corps 40 years and under of age who is making a significant and lasting impact in the lives of women and girls. Scan below to nominate!

DEBORAH HARDING WOMAN OF ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Nominate a woman with a connection to the Peace Corps who is making a significant and lasting impact in the lives of women and girls. Scan below to nominate!

More Information: www.womenofpeacecorpslegacy.com

Mentoring Committee Goals for 2026

Chair: Ashley Fehringer

- Welcome new Mentoring Committee Members: Deanna Blackwell and Andrea DeSantis
- Strengthen partnership with RPCV Nexus and partner with them to deliver at least 4 professional development discussions throughout the year
- Implement new committee structure with program leads
- To continue expanding the WPCL Mentor pool to meet diverse interests of Mentees in personal & professional development & career networking. To seek further collaboration with organizations advancing women & girls
- Next mentorship cycle in August/Sept. 2026

Community-Wide Mentoring Program

Open to all to connect across the Peace Corps Professional Network!

Apply by February 5th

Kick-Off Meeting on February 17th





Fundraising Committee Goals for 2026

Chair: Susan Olson

- To increase annual donations to WPCL by \$1,000 each year for a goal of raising \$15,000 per year over five years.
- Last year we raised over \$15,000!
- March fundraising letter soon planned for next week with a target of \$5,000



Communication Committee Goals for 2026

Co-Chairs: Raisa Alstodt and Megan Celestine

- Engage membership with more regular newsletter communication
- Utilize Mailchimp for more member friendly email communications
- Support committee outreach
- Promote events & initiatives
- Expand organizational storytelling via newsletters and social media posting
- Increase communication of Peace Corps and NPCA programming to membership



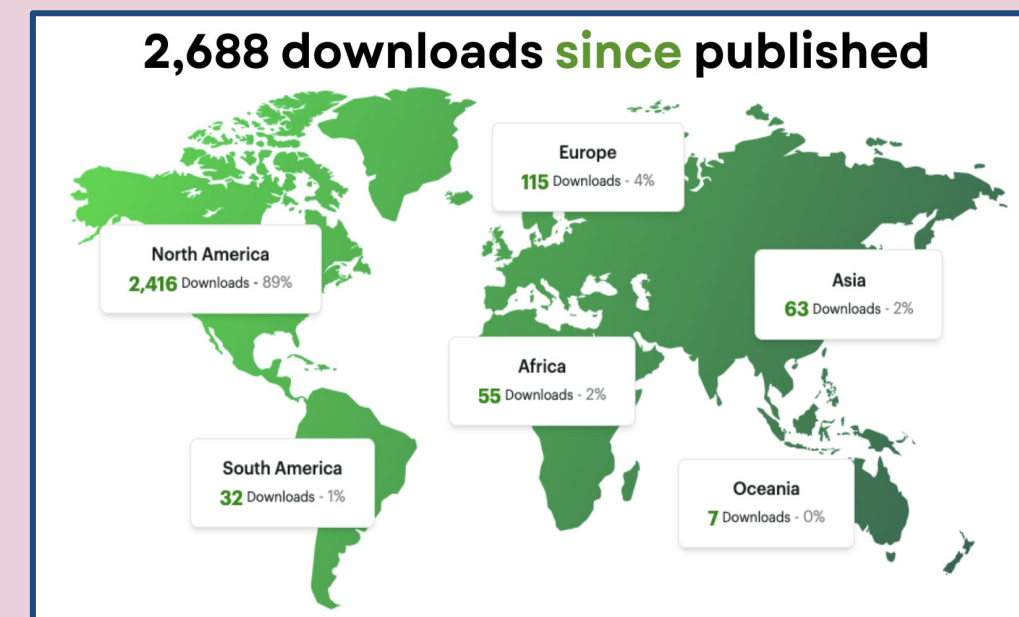
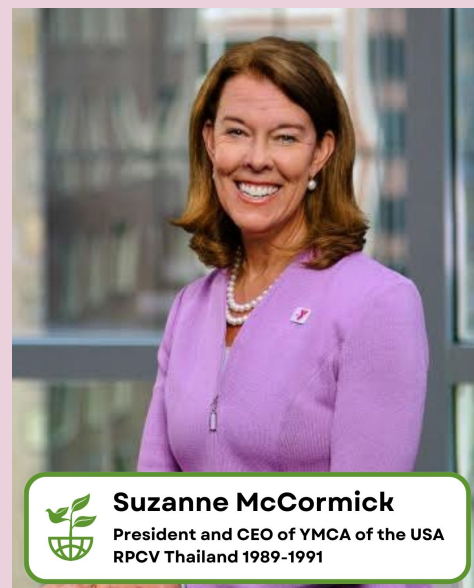
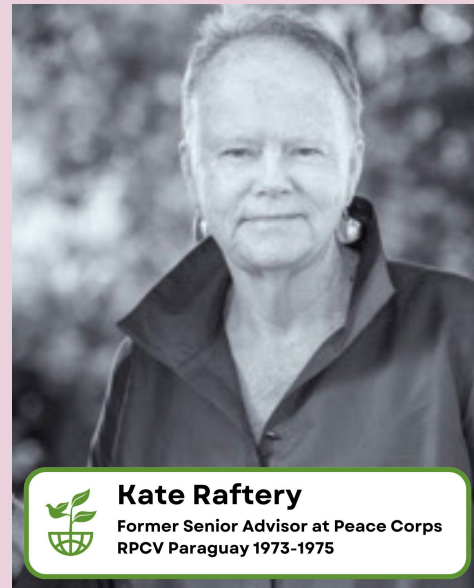
OEC Committee Goals for 2026

Chair: Sandy Jacobs

- To design programming and activities around WPCL 2026 goals, including to cultivate relationships between intergenerational members.
- To broaden our membership and engagement with people of diverse backgrounds, ages, and geographic locations by increasing our partnerships with organizations that align with the WPCL mission.
 - NPCA affiliate organizations - regional, country, and affinity
 - Other community groups with WPCL's shared values
- Leverage outreach and events to increase WPCL brand recognition, in particular within the Peace Corps community and potentially among policy-makers (legacy and lessons from WPCL members).
- Stay tuned: Next in-person Intergenerational Meet-n-Greet in May!



Extra-Ordinary Women Podcast



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**Find all of our
podcasts on Apple
Podcasts or
Spotify!**





WPCL Featured Panel

Cultivating Successful Intergenerational Mentoring Relationships

Mentor: Jody Olsen & Mentee: Deanna Blackwell

Mentor: Kate Raftery & Mentee: Latisha Pledger



Upcoming Events



Spring Meet & Greet



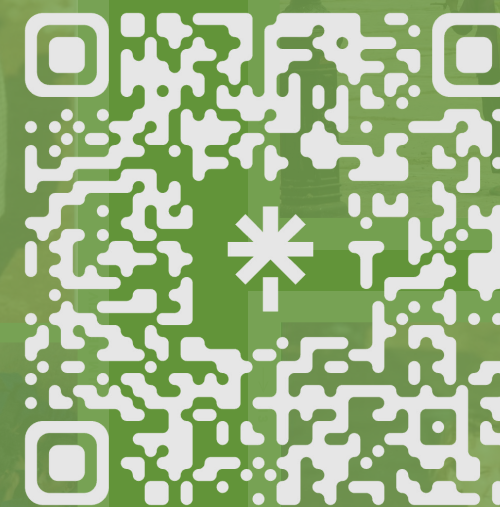
In Person May 2025

A great way to build connections
with the WPCL community!





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