

Chesapeake Bay Garden Club Meeting Minutes

October 27, 2020

Festival Halle, Reedville, VA

President, Kathie Truxall called the meeting to order at 1230. Chaplain Cindy Boyce led the group in prayers. Everyone brought their own lunch.

After lunch, Susan Brandli introduced our speaker, Scott Hammond, a soil conservationist, USDA-NRCS Warsaw Field Officer. His contact info is P.O. Box 517, 5559 Richmond Rd. Warsaw VA. 22572. His Office phone number is 804-250-4470 and Fax number is 1-855-621-7137. Scott presented a **program** on "Pollinators". He gave us information on the establishment and benefits of having a garden for pollinators.

Business Meeting:

Minutes of the September 22 meeting were emailed to all members on September 28, 2020.

The **Treasurer's** report will be posted on our website in the "For Members only" section.

Kathie announced that Vision of Beauty calendars will be on sale today for \$6 at the Ways and Means table.

Corresponding Secretary, Anne Haynie reported on correspondence sent from September 23 through October 27.

1. Thinking of you card to Wonda Allain
2. Get well card to Patsy Sylvia.
3. She read a thank you card from Fairfield's United Methodist Church for our club contribution in memory of Ann Kyker.
4. Get well card to Jimmy Coats for his recent surgery.
5. A sympathy card was sent to Jerry Watts husband of Veda Watts who was a previous member of CBGC. She passed away on October 21.

Kathie read a note from Wonda Allain relating her recovery efforts from her recent stroke and gave us an update on Patsy Sylvia's treatment for her recent diagnosis of cancer.

Committee Reports:

Membership chair, Sandra Elhert announced that we had 21 members in attendance today along with 2 visitors. Our club membership is now at 49.

Darleen Nelson, **Floral Design** chair reported that we had 3 cascade designs judged today. The results were: Jerry Jenkins, Advanced, Red; Carole Cole, Advanced, Blue; and Kathie Truxal, Advanced, Blue and Best in Show. Darleen Nelson had a cascade design for display only.

Ways and Means chair, Jacqui Penney said there still are wreath forms available for sale for your holiday designs.

President's Remarks:

Lewis Ginter Botanical gardens is offering a virtual floral design class by David Pippin about "Thanksgiving Arrangements" on November 20. The cost is \$25. If your interested in participating, contact the gardens. Phone number is 804-262-9887.

Both the Christmas luncheon and the new member tea are cancelled due to the pandemic. We hope to reschedule the tea for some time in spring.

There being no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:45 P.M.

Recording Secretary

Sharon Lemke

The meeting was vetted by Karen Luzuriaga and Sarita Lentz.