

April 1, 2022
Evergreen Garden Club
March Board Meeting

The meeting was called to order by President, Cherie Luke at her home, 3036 Hiwan Dr., Evergreen at 10:00am. Board members present were; Hannah Hayes, Vice President; Helen McLeman, Treasurer, and Kim Gustafson, 2nd Vice President. Julie Ann Courim, Technical Officer attended via conference call. Not in attendance; Janet Gluskoter, Secretary.

President's Report

Reminder that Hannah will facilitate the April general meeting as Cherie will be out. John Putt, Evergreen Fire, will stop by briefly to talk about the upcoming elections and absentee ballot process.

Cherie has a list of nearby garden clubs to invite to the tour and she will email them once the flyer is ready. Members will be able to pass the flyer on to friends and Kim will share with brokers.

Cherie has been enjoying PBS Garden Fit and showed Helen and Hannah how to get up and down!

1st Vice President's Report

Hannah will begin to initiate field trips and share your garden opportunities. She'll be contacting Garden Tour hosts to see if they want musicians to play in their gardens. Upcoming programs and budget for next year were briefly discussed.

2nd Vice President's Report

There was discussion about new members and Kim has everything updated. The newest new member is Leslie Hurd. Julie Ann will send a slide to Susan Garcia for the April meeting that will mention the recent new members.

Treasurer's Report

Helen reports that she will be keeping two separate accounts - tour and general. Donations have been received notably from Annell for publicity, and Jan will also donate for that soon.

Donations have been received in honor of Louise Mounsey. Two will require thank you's:

- 1) Silverthorn family (Helen will send address to Janet)
- 2) Meredith Bossert (She's in the directory, Janet) (Hannah will send an email to the Mounsey's daughter, Diana Donovan letting her know of Meredith's kindness)

Julie Ann will create a slide about Louise's event/donations

Tax exemption have unique numbers for each vendor. These numbers can be requested by garden leaders from Helen. The fastest way to get reimbursed is to photograph receipts and text or email to Helen. Reminder that there is a damage fund separate from the garden budgets. Our EChO donations are for their garden at Buchanan as of this time.

Technical Officer's Report

Julie Ann is working on the Garden Tour materials including a flyer. She is ready to post updates on social media and will link to videos of past tours. She's also creating an ad for the Courier.

Secretary's Report

February general meeting minutes were approved by the board and submitted to the Wild Iris.

Respectfully submitted,

Hannah Hayes, 2nd Vice President
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