

CCMGA MEETING MINUTES
October 11, 2022
CLANTON RECREATION CENTER

CALL TO ORDER – Gail Brooks at 9:30 a.m. Pat Farmer, Lyn Webb, and Jerry Farmer have COVID.

PLEDGE TO FLAG: Clem Clapp and Alan Reed

OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS: Maggie Thompson, Cheryl Herbster, Golda Thomas, Chip Durham, Jerry Farmer, Ron Herbster, Harriett Jackson.

MINUTES – Review of September minutes presented by Treasia Bennett. She asked for any corrections or additions as shown on September minutes posted on CCMG website. There were no corrections or changes so minutes stand as posted. Get Well Cards were sent to Imogene Bresse and Ruby Moberg.

FINANCES – Lyn Webb gave financials for September 2022:

\$10,232.42 Beginning Balance

\$10,203.91 Ending Balance.

\$ 0.00 Deposits

\$ 0.00 Withdrawals

\$ 28.51 Checks

\$ 74.96 Checks Outstanding

\$10,128.95 Net Balance Checking

\$ 100.00 Cash Box Reserve

\$ 8,104.67 Small Business CD

\$18,333.62 TOTAL

INTRODUCTION OF NEW ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT AT THE EXTENSION OFFICE – Trisha Williams introduced **Brandy Childress** and welcomed her to the CCMG Membership Meeting.

PROGRAM – Gail Brooks introduced Don Armstrong as this month's speaker. Don and his wife, Glenda, gave a slide presentation and handouts on Landscape Design/Yard Design. Don brought potted plants for every member.

TRANSFORMATION GARDEN – Harriett Jackson (needs a vote) . The transformation Garden on the campus of Auburn University is a 16-acre site which includes a children's garden, canopy walk in the top of trees, two containers of hydroponic growing of plants, harvest food for students and much more. AMGA has donated and asking for donations totaling \$200,000 to the purchasing rights to the mile-long pathway through the garden. Each chapter of the Alabama Master Gardeners are asked to donate to the pathway. Harriett asked for a motion to donate \$500 a year for the next five years totaling \$2500. A motion and a 2nd motion were carried. The membership voted to make this donation over the next five years.

MEMBERSHIP DUES – Trisha Williams. Trisha had membership forms available for the renewal of membership. She collected membership forms and dues for 2023. Trisha also asked for the membership to please be entering their volunteer hours for 2022.

NOVEMBER MEETING – Gail Brooks. The next membership meeting is November 8, 2022. This is an election day, and the Clanton Recreational Center is used as a polling venue. The November 8 meeting will be held at Petals From The Past in the barn. The time will be the same. 9:00 a.m. social time, 9:30 meeting

called to order. The CCMG Board is providing an appreciation lunch after the meeting.

REGIONS CD – Audrey Giles. Pat Farmer and Audrey Giles negotiated a 2.8% interest on our Cd for the next 25 months.

REC CENTER LANDSCAPE – Trish Williams. Volunteers are needed Thursday, October 13, to work at Rec Center putting soil, tilling it in and getting it prepped for planting of plants. Volunteers are also needed Thursday, October 27 to put in plants: 8 shrubs, annuals, etc.

HELPLINE – Gail Brooks. Help is needed for October 17-21. Members volunteered for the needed dates.

REC CENTER WATERING SCHEDULE – Gail Brooks. The schedule will be setup after the new planting.

OPEN DISCUSSION:

Amy Baker is clearing her family property . She has offered anyone interested in digging plants may come at any time. They have daffodil, irises, gardenias, camellias and much more.

ADJOURNMENT – Gail Brooks dismissed the meeting at 10:46 a.m.

Members Present:

18 members

3 guests

8 interns

29 total