

Autauga County Master Gardeners Association Membership Meeting August 9, 2023 10:00 am



Minutes

- A. Call to Order 10:05 am
- C. Program Intern Graduation Mallory Kelley/Sondra Henley
 - a. New photos will be taken for the new membership booklet. Fill out 'My Page' on the ACMGA website. Check to be sure the information is correct.
 - b. Mallory Kelley introduced the representatives from Elmore County. She thanked Adrienne Yarbrough for helping to tally volunteer hours. She also thanked the Helpline chairs from both counties, and the mentor program chairs.
 - c. MG College Leadership Training They completed two days of training this week.
 - d. New Class The new class begins tomorrow in Elmore County. There are 6 members of the class from Autauga County, 1 from Montgomery County, and 5 from Elmore County.
 - e. Badges and certificates were presented to the new graduates. Graduates include Samantha Bowen, Darlene Brongen, Ed Clapp, Susan Clapp, Cindy Dean, Jason Maddox, Sheri McGilberry, Angie Nabors, Renee Pemberton, Jackie Raines, Rebecca Ridley, George Walthall, Dawn Whitehead, and Kathy Williams.
- D. Business Meeting
 - a. Sondra Henley announced that Cindy Deane won the Helpline monetary award for viewing the video, working the Helpline and willingness to have a HELPLINE Yard sign in her yard.
 - b. Hummingbird Awards Adrienne Yarbrough presented an award for June to Sheila Pearson for her volunteer efforts at this year's City Fest. Lori Terrell received the award for her efforts on grants and research, and Adrienne Yarbrough received the award for her work on the Helpline and intern information.
- E. September Program Anthony Yarbrough will be the speaker.
- F. Approval of Minutes Debbie Boutelier motioned to accept the July minutes. Cheri Cook seconded. The motion passed.

H. Demo Garden - Glenn Huovinen reported that a total of 1218 pounds of produce has been donated to AICC this year. He invited members and interns to visit the garden on Tuesday mornings.

I. Prattvillage Garden/ Governor's Mansion - Jane McCarthy invited members to visit the Governor's Mansion Garden on Monday's at 8:00 am. Please notify Jane if you expect to visit. The Prattvillage volunteers meet on Tuesdays at 9:00 am.

J. Conference Meeting - Sondra Henley announced that the meeting time and location are to be announced.

K. Cheri Cook announced that we will be donating the luncheon for the September 7th class.

L. Lunch - Sondra Henley offered the blessing. A great lunch was enjoyed by all!

M. Adjournment

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