

**Washington County Master Gardeners Business Meeting
Tuesday March 7, 2023**

The meeting was held in-person at the Extension Office. Zoom was unavailable for the meeting.
Present: 91 members Quorum: Yes

Call to Order: President Joanne Olszewski called the meeting to order at 6:29 P.M.

Business Meeting:

Approval of February 2023 Minutes:

Delores Stamps moved to approve the minutes, Doris Cassidy seconded. Motion carried.

Approval of January Treasurer's Report:

Karen Hanna-Towne moved to approve the treasurer's report, and Susan Young seconded.
Motion carried.

Water Bottles: To be sold at a discount once number of members who wish to purchase one, sign-up sheet will be going around the group. These water bottles will be dish-washer safe, stainless steel and have MG logo on it.

Unfinished Business:

Ad Hoc Survey – Nicholas Sammers

Gift Card Winners of \$25.00 gift certificates to White River Nursery

#1 – Kristie Campbell

#2 Janet Brown

#3 – Anita Bukey

#4 Vicki Spencer

#5 – Jane Laster

February Photo Contest Winners Cacti & Succulents

1st Place – Kitty Sanders "Water Droplets"

2nd Place – Terri Kinsey "Sunny Yellow"

3rd Place – Pam Delaney "Succulent Dish Garden"

Announcements:

Joyce Mendenhall's funeral is being rescheduled due to her partner's health situation. There will be a celebration with Joyce's garden friends in the future.

Community Outreach – Chris Bell

- Plant Palooza (group Likewise) at the Old Courthouse March 19th 2:00-5:00 pm
- HillCrest Towers – assist Girl Scouts selecting plants

If interested in the above projects contact Chris Bell at dane4 @arkansas.net

April Photo Contest – Flowers from Bulbs**Agenda Deadlines:**

If there is a member who would like to be on the Executive Board meeting agenda, please have this information to Joanne Olszewski the Tuesday before the 3rd Tuesday of the month.

WCMG.Joanne@gmail.com

April Meeting will have a zoom option. The speaker is to be determined.

New Business:**Meet the Class of 2023 – Alfi Anderson**

Thank you so much for leading the interviews and the trainee process

Project Fair – Nancy Sloan and Regina Gabel

Project Leaders with great displays – sign – up sheets at each location. Nancy and Regina will collect the sign – up sheets and send each chair a compete typed list of volunteers.

The motion made to adjourn at 6:45 by Susan Young, seconded by Alfi Anderson. Motion carried.

Respectfully Submitted,
Kathy Launder, Secretary