



The Redbud

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President's Message

Hello all!

As you are reading this, Carlos and I are having a great time seeing northern Europe! I will take lots of pictures but am sure they will not compare to all the wonderful ones Dave Faoro does!

Our annual plant sale was a big success! I want to thank ALL who came out and worked in one way or another. Several members mentioned that they were thrilled to see all the plants we had (we were worried about having enough!) Thanks to Dave Faoro and Mike Malvey for all the tomato plants! The outside garden items went VERY quickly, and the Bake sale was as popular as always!

We are only a few weeks away from our annual Installation luncheon at Awful Annie's. Please be sure to sign up for this fun time. Virginia and her crew always do an amazing job on decorations! Ann Wallace, Golden Foothill District Director will be joining us and doing the installation of officers.

Have a wonderful May – a beautiful time of year – and see you June 4th!

Erin Angulo

May/June Calendar

PLEASE NOTE! ***Next Meeting: Monday, May 21, 9 a.m. Bethlehem Lutheran Church – one week ahead because of Memorial Day on the 4th Monday.***

June 4, 2018 11:30 am Annual Installation and luncheon at Awful Annies, June 4, 11:30 am

New Member

Please welcome new member, **Leah Capuchino**, and she lives on Helen Lane in Auburn.

This Month's Speaker

Bee expert **John Whittlesey** will present information on our little-known but powerful pollinators, our native bees, and how to encourage their necessary work at the May meeting.
Barbara Tellman

Plant Sale Chair

I wish to thank everyone that helped to make our Plant Sale a huge success. I understand we made over \$3100.00 (\$500.00 more than last year). You may also add your comments by sending me an email (richardhuntley@yahoo.com). We may be able to make improvements for next year. Keep in mind for plants for next years event. Richard Huntley, Plant Sale Chair

Upcoming Events

AGC FIELD TRIP

MAY 15

9:00 AM PARKING LOT AT BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH

Join us for our field trip to Pauline and Lilly's garden in Roseville on May 15th. This beautiful garden was featured on the Master Gardeners Mother's Day Tour last year. Pauline and her mother, Lilly, (both Master Gardeners) have transformed their property from weed and scrub trees into four garden loops. Loop one features a lawn makeover filled with UC Davis Arboretum All-Stars, roses, fruit trees and a shade garden walk.

Loop two contains a vegetable garden, a cottage garden with California native plants and a Japanese garden.

Loop three is where you'll find an arched arbor walkway made with pvc bender board, compost bins and deck that was featured in Sunset Magazine.

Loop four features the koi pond with 25-30 fish. Water from the pond is recycled and irrigates the back yard. Here you'll find more raised vegetable beds and an arbor with stained glass artwork designed and made by Pauline.

Parking is very limited on this property so it will be necessary to carpool. We will meet in the back parking lot at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Auburn at 9:00 a.m. If you didn't get a chance to sign up at our last meeting, please contact Loretta McGrath at zgal55@gmail.com to be included.

June Installation Luncheon

Monday, June 4 at 11:30 am

Awful Annies

Reminder!! Auburn Garden Club annual Installation Luncheon will be on Monday, June 4th starting at 11:30AM. It will be held at Awful Annie's Restaurant in Auburn. We will be having a delicious buffet lunch and once again Ann Wallace will be the installing officer. Ann always has a fun time planned for us. So, come one, come all, and join in with your fellow club members for a social get together. The price of the luncheon is \$20.00 per person (tax and tip included). You still have time to sign up and pay at our May meeting. Remember the May meeting is on May 21st because of Memorial Day being on the 28th. See all of you there, Virginia Rowley, Hospitality Chair

33rd Annual Placer County UC Master Gardener Mother's Day Garden Tour

Sunday, May 13, 10 a.m to 4 p.m

There are six unique gardens in Auburn and Newcastle. Tickets with maps \$20.00, available April 28th at Easley's in Auburn and Green Acres in Rocklin and Roseville. Children under 12 free.

SAVE THE DATE!

High-Hand Nursery

Bloomtastic at Maple Rock Gardens

Saturday, May 12, 9 a.m to 3 p.m

Live music, Eat, Drink

Come and Explore one of Northern California's most Beautiful GARDENS

For tickets and information go to www.highhand.com

Tickets are \$10.

Note from Editor – Chris Hansell

Articles should be sent to agclubnewsletter@gmail.com by the 8th of the month.

MINUTES

Auburn Garden Club General Meeting

Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Auburn

April 23, 2018

The meeting was called to order at 9AM by President, Erin Angulo

Other officers present were Barbara Tellman, Alice Mork, Susan Pruess, Rick Krach and Claire Gumz

There were 42 in attendance

Inspiration message was given by Rich Krach

Minutes from the March meeting were approved

Susan Pruess reported a checkbook balance of \$7066.94

Committee Reports

Field Trips, Loretta McGrath: The Field Trip to Matsuda's was fun due to the comedic talent of Hiro Matsuda! May's trip will be May 15th to Pauline Sakai's Garden which was on the Master Gardener's Tour a year ago. Due to restricted parking we will meet at 9AM in the parking lot of the church, tour begins at 10AM.

Hospitality, Virginia Rowley: Today's refreshments provided by Erin Angulo, Sandy Parks, Gail Fisher, Sandy Dutra and Kathy Petri. The Installation Luncheon will be June 4 at Awful Annie's, \$20. Sign up to bring food for plant sale workers. She also announced Ruth Peterhans was hospitalized and is now doing well.

Membership, Carlos Angulo: There was one guest, Teresa Axton, who holds a Landscape Architect Degree from Michigan.

Plant Sale/Publicity, Richard Huntley: He asks members to pass out flyers. He was unhappy with the Auburn Journal article about the sale. Many suggestions for other options from the floor including 'Next Door' and 'Criag's List' are to be explored. Richard will set up a Succulent Bar at the plant sale and asks for help potting succulents for the sale. Rich Krach has 200 tomato plants potted from Dave Faoro's seedlings, Mike Malvey has 100's more and there will be more from Placer H.S. Students. Chris Richter asked for Yard Art Donations. The Church will be open from 11-2 on Friday, April 27 to bring yard art, houseplants and baked goods. Please groom all plants of soil and pests for the sale. Outdoor plants for the sale should be brought groomed and tagged at 6Am Saturday. There will be a Plant Sale Meeting after the meeting today.

Sunshine, Debbie Arlington: Cards were sent to Ruth Peterhans and a Thank You to Karen Sullivan. Julie Wiseman suggested a card to Bob Brockway who has been in a care facility as well.

Horticulture, Claire Gumz: Claire went to Annie's Annuals on the weekend, spent lots of money on great plants and suggested a Field Trip in the future. Mole Max was suggested to repel moles in the garden. Claire and Rick identified the beautiful plants brought to share.

Erin announced May's meeting will be the 3rd Monday in May due to Memorial Day on the 4th. She also won't be there for the meeting because she will be in Holland!!!!

Old Business:

Nominations: We will vote for officers in May. Nominations for Vice President are Kelly Warrman and Mike McGrath

By Laws: Recommendations were sent by email to the members. One change was recommended by Dave Faoro that a quorum be re-defined to include at least 2 officers. Virginia Rowley moved the change be adopted, Barbara Tellman seconded passed by membership. All By Laws to be adopted moved by Suzie Stark-Beeson, 2nd Barbara Ogden passed by membership.

New Business, Kortne Phillips: Master Gardeners Tour Mother's Day May 13. Tickets sale April 28.

Alice Mork, Secretary

