

Wollaston Garden Club Board Minutes
May 10, 2018

Present: Diane Hill, Faith Raimondi, Kay Borek, Jo Costello, Kathy Ceurvels, Kathy Meade, Emily Lebo, Susan Lynch, Jean Sullivan (guest) Mary Ryan, Jan Clifford

Treasurer's Report

Faith Raimondi reported the following:

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| The beginning balance was | \$14,651.20 |
| ▪ Total Income | \$ 1,972.69 |
| ▪ Total Expenses | \$ 1,889.22 |
| ▪ Ending Balance 4/30/18 | 414,734.67 |

Corresponding Secretary's Report

We voted to accept the following 2 new members:

Barbara Breslin, 115 Fenno St., Quincy, 02169, 617-435-1754, bbres115@gmail.com, no WGC members listed, CB, GS, PS Evening

Janet Gallagher, 86 Otis St., Milton 02186, 617-698-2711, JMGallagher86@yahoo.com, knows Susan Lynch and Janet Achilles, interested in arrangements, GS, H Both

Update on status of Installation Luncheon—Janet Lynch sent a report indicating she had made arrangements with Fasano's Caterers of Braintree to provide lunch for 45 members. Mary Ryan reported that she was still looking for people to provide desserts. Several volunteered, and names of possible donors were provided.

Plant Sale updates—Flyers have come in and Jan brought some to the meeting for Board members to take and distribute. She asked that anyone with Facebook post something about the sale on their pages, and asked members to post on any Quincy groups they might belong to. Flyers will be available at the Installation Luncheon for people to take. We have plenty of

sticks for labeling if anyone needs them, and have a new supply of pots at Jan's in addition to a number still at Carol's. A lot of plants have come in already and most are at Kathy Ceurvel's house.

Plat markers are available

Status of 2018 scholarships—Kathy Ceurvels checked the Post Office box and found a letter from North Quincy High with information on their recipient, Emily hasn't heard directly from them, and hasn't heard anything from Quincy High, so she will follow up.

Attendance at GCFM Annual Meeting—Jan passed out copies of the meeting announcement and asked if anyone was interested in going—no responses from those present. She will send out an announcement to the whole Board to see who might want to go. Cynthia Lewis will be doing a demo on Kokedama.

Dogwood Days—we have received a notice from the Wakefield Estate concerning a gala costing \$75 per person. We agreed that we already support them and will pass on this. However, there are free tours of the Kousa dogwoods in June, and the dates are on the website.

Possible Field Trip to Cochato Nursery—Pat Artis is unable to do the tour of Tower Hill due to her move, so it was proposed that we substitute a trip to Cochato in Holbrook instead. Jan will check with the owners to see if they could accommodate us May 24.

May 24 was the date proposed

Members' Garden Tour—set for June 21. Anneli has made arrangements with the Faith Lutheran Church. We will have a signup sheet available at the Installation Lunch.

Committee Reports==

Program—Emily reported that she finally heard from Lisa Ahern and she is all set for November. Just two more speakers need to be firmed up for next year. Cheryl Monroe is all set for the installation luncheon.

Art in Bloom—Jo reported that everything went well. Photos are on the website.

Civic Beautification reported that Cleaner Greener Quincy was very successful for us at all sites, plenty of participation. A few people will go to Safford Park this week to clean up there.

The meeting adjourned at 8:30 p.m.