

Master Gardeners Board Meeting

MARCH 4, 2014

The Meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

Present were: Mary Shepard, President, Linda Petek Co-President, Jane Kuhn, Co-Vice President, Ivan Placko, Co Vice- President, Sue Egner, Treasure, Mary Jo Maher, Secretary, Roy Anne Moulton, Dara Sitter, Diane Dougherty, Pat Behm, Anne Murphy, Donna Kudlas and Kimberly Miller, UW Extension Advisor

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Treasures Report: Sue Egner

Report for March was submitted and approved

Secretary report

Minutes were accepted

New Business

Donna Kudas announced the picnic would be held on June 10 at 6:00. It will be held at Parkview.

Education Committee Report:

The trip to Savannah was a success.

The committee is planning short day trips this summer, which will include a day buying trip

Projects updates

The projects that are presenting at the business meeting for April will be the Farmers Market and the Humane Society

The newsletter will now be publishing the project workdays for the members. It will list the project looking for volunteers and the date and hours available. These will be open to any member to help fulfill the volunteer hours

UW Extension Updates: Kimberly Miller

The state has brochures available for use at functions. A sample flyer was created for feedback

There will be fall workshops on tree identification available in September. The date and time are to be determined.

The extension is currently looking to fill Nick's position

The open 4-H position is hoping to be filled by fall

The state will have training for the plant advisors in May

Other news:

There are two garden walks planned for Tuesday, July 1. The walks will be at Linda Christensen's home and Betty Humphrey's

New Projects available

Omro Library is seeking our help on advise on improving their gardens

Menasha Maplewood Middle School is looking for an ongoing project with their students

Oshkosh Corporation will have a sustaining fair for their employees on April 29 – Colleen Kemp has volunteered

Winchester Museum is looking for advise on their gardens

Emmeline Cook Summer Gardens- Marge Menacher has volunteered

Neenah Library- Kathy Gore, Ginny Slattery and Mary Maher has volunteered

Habitat for Humanity in Oshkosh is seeking our help with landscaping of two houses

Lunch and Learn at GP in Neenah is looking for volunteers

Business Meeting Aril 8
Board meeting will May 6
Business Meeting May 13
Board Meeting June 3
Picnic June 10

Meeting Adjourned

Respectfully submitted,
Mary Jo Maher, Secretary
Winnebago County Master Gardeners