



Wayne Woods Garden Club

March 2019



GREETINGS WAYNE WOODS GARDENERS

Spring is almost here, and we will soon be springing forward with our clocks! It appears that we have made it through most of winter unscathed by a blizzard.

Meals on Wheels



Meals on Wheels knocked it out of the park again with lovely floral arrangements with paper valentine adornments. Lee Carson and Nancy Morris again received a thank you note from one of the drivers praising the work of the committee and expressing how much joy it brings to homebound people. The next project will be an Easter theme and will not disappoint! Date TBD.

Website

Colleen Gassert (and her husband, Jeff) have Phase One of the website up and running. Check it out at waynewoodsgardenclub.info. Stay tuned—more to come!

Blue Star Marker

The Horticulture/Community Gardening Committee is gearing up to revamp the Blue Star Marker. The plan is to hire a landscaper to place a stone border around the marker and reduce the size of the bed to ensure a more manageable and easier area to maintain.

Asparagus Arrangement

At our next meeting on March 6, we will be “Thinking Spring” as we make an asparagus arrangement. You will need a 24-ounce baked beans can, 60” of ribbon of your choice and your clippers. Libby Espey will be sending a reminder for you to rsvp so that we have enough materials. This activity is free to members. Please consider bringing a friend. The guest fee is \$5.



Citrus Floral Arrangement

On Sunday, March 30, there will be a Floral Design Workshop at Nancy Cuttic’s house for the citrus floral arrangement that was featured at Valley Forge Flowers. Sign ups will be available at the March meeting along with a sample of the arrangement. Cost is \$18.

Mushroom Farm Trip

Please look for sign ups at the March meeting for the April 6 mushroom farm tour. This is a free trip that should be very interesting and tasty!

Earth Day at McKaig

Also at the March meeting, please look for sign ups for the Earth Day celebration on April 28. We are, once again, partnering with the McCaig Nature Education Center for this family-friendly event. Wayne Woods Garden Club will have a table for publicity and offer a hands-on activity for kids. We will also be planting the wooden barrels that flank the entrance to the trail.

Get Well Wishes

Mary Jo Schlomann, District I Board Member, is recuperating from major back surgery. She does so much for our district. For those of you who know her and would like to send her a card or note, her address is: 805 Taylor Road

Downingtown, PA 19335-1634

Important March Dates

- March 2-10 Philadelphia Flower Show
- March 3 Jenkins Arboretum - Wondrous and Beautiful Plants from Decades of Travels Around the World
- March 6 WWGC Meeting and hands-on asparagus arrangement
- March 14-15 District I Environmental Studies School
- March 25-26 District I Gardening School

