

Wayne Woods Garden Club

In Bloom

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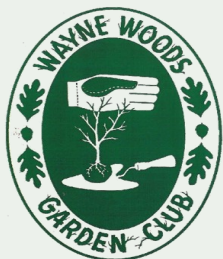
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

What a fun November meeting! We had 20 members plus a guest gather at the UM Community Center for a hands-on design presentation led by **Nancy Cuttic** and **Ellen McGarrigle**. Each of us made a small floral arrangement and then worked in four groups to create themed fall tablescape using our arrangements and lots of other decorations provided by Nancy and Ellen. I love how everyone had something interesting to contribute to their table! Thank you, **Nancy** and **Ellen** --- what a terrific idea!

Plans are coming together for our **Holiday Village** fundraiser on **Saturday, December 4**, at the UM Township building (where the police station and library are located). Mark your calendars! If you're not helping at our table that day, come out anyway to enjoy the Holiday Village festivities and support our efforts!

Wishing you and your loved ones a very Happy Thanksgiving!

~ Anne ~



Wayne Woods Garden Club is a member of
National Garden Clubs, Inc., Central Atlantic Region of State Garden Clubs, and the Garden Club Federation of Pennsylvania—District I.

DECEMBER MEETING

Our **December 1** meeting will be on Zoom, not in person! It will be a hands-on demonstration making a holiday arrangement with fresh greens. We would love for every one to make one arrangement for the Holiday Village --- if you have a different idea for an arrangement, please feel free to do that instead.



Please read the **Holiday Greens Attachment** for a supply list, preparation instructions, and arranging instructions. **Be sure to gather your greens and soak your oasis prior to the December 1 meeting if you are going to make your arrangement during the meeting!**

If you are making an arrangement for the Holiday Village:

- You can provide your own supplies or pick up a container, liner, oasis, and ribbon from Anne McCrary's driveway on Monday, Nov 29 or Tuesday, Nov 30. The supplies will be in plastic tubs near the garage door – stop by anytime during the day!
- You will need to drop off your arrangement on Friday, Dec 3 (2 - 5 p.m.) or Saturday, Dec 4 (8-10 a.m.) at either Anne McCrary's (642 Brookwood Rd., Wayne) or Colleen Gassert's (745 Deer Creek Dr. K of P).

If you are making an arrangement for yourself, we ask that you provide your own container, liner, oasis and ribbon.

HOLIDAY VILLAGE FUNDRAISER SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4

And here are the rest of the details ...

BIRD SEED ORNAMENTS



Mary Ann McGowan is contacting the members who signed up to make ornaments to give you the instructions and some pointers on what works best. If anyone else would like to make a batch, please contact Mary Ann! (mmcg347464@aol.com)

Holiday Village Fundraiser Continued

BAKE SALE

Ideas: homemade cookies, brownies, caramel popcorn, breads, coffee cakes, etc.

Packaging: wrap or bag individually (bag cookies in bundles of 6), we'll add ribbon and gift tags

Drop Off: Friday, Dec 3 (2 to 5 p.m.) or Saturday, Dec 4 (8 - 10 a.m.) at either Anne McCrary's (642 Brookwood Rd., Wayne) or Colleen Gassert's (745 Deer Creek Dr. K of P).



Thank You to all who signed up so far:

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| 1. Mary Ann McGowan | pizzelles |
| 2. Sally Smith | cookies |
| 3. Alberta McCulla | cookies |
| 4. Ellen McGarrigle | brownies |
| 5. Pat Holden | cookies or cranberry bread |
| 6. Myrtie Musetti | Christmas cookies |
| 7. Chris Aldworth | cookies/cupcakes |
| 8. Cathy Simmons | banana nut bread |
| 9. Bonnie Keen | pretzel sticks |
| 10. Noni Kline | chocolate pretzel sticks |
| 11. Mary Lord | sugar cookies |

If you missed sign-ups and want to contribute a baked item, please do! Just drop off your items as noted above.

VOLUNTEERS FOR HOLIDAY VILLAGE

Date: Saturday, December 4

Location: Upper Merion Township Building
175 West Valley Forge Road, K of P
(police station & library)

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| 11:15 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. | Laura Furman, Mary Lord |
| 11:15 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. | Colleen Gassert, Patti Drueding,
Anne McCrary |
| 12:30 - 2:15 p.m. | Pat Holden, Myrtie Musetti,
Chris Aldworth |
| 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. | Barbara Boyle |



FREE VIRTUAL PROGRAM FROM PHS!

Designing and Cultivating a Gold Medal Garden with Andrew Bunting, VP of Public Gardens and Landscapes

- January 6, 2022, at 6 p.m.
- Registration is required. Here's the registration link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/designing-and-cultivating-a-gold-medal-garden-for-phs-org-members-registration-201809486607>
- Everyone who registers will receive a link to the recording following the program, so you are able to enjoy even if you cannot attend in real time.



Check Out Other Interesting PHS Programs and Events:
<https://phsonline.org/events>

GARDEN CLUB FEDERATION OF PENNSYLVANIA**GCFP ZOOM PROGRAMS**

Wednesday, December 8, 7 p.m.
 District VI, *Griming in Greenery*

Wednesday, January 12, 7 p.m.
 District V, YouTube Presentation

Zoom links will be available the week before.

GCFP ENVIRONMENTAL SCHOOL COURSE

GCFP is presenting Environmental School Course 4 - Series 6: *Water and Related Issues* on March 28 & 29, 2022. It will be in person at the Stroud Water Research Center in Avondale, PA. See attached brochure for all the details.

**DID YOU GET YOUR WINTER SOCIAL EVITE?**

Sunday, January 9, 2022

Please RSVP by Wednesday 12/28/2021

Maggiano's Little Italy
 205 Mall Boulevard, K of P

Family Style meal will be served.

Cost is \$40.00 Cash Bar

Send Check to:

Mary Ann McGowan
 2204 Locust Drive, Lansdale, PA 19446

***A Longwood Christmas***

November 19, 2021 - January 9, 2022

Click Here to Explore the Season

MCKAIG NATURE CENTER**GIFT A TREE AND HELP THE ENVIRONMENT**

The McKaig Nature Education Center tree program is a thoughtful gift for nature-loving friends and family members and a great way to help our environment.

Your plant gift will purchase a tree, shrub, or native plant that within a year will be planted by students/volunteers for you and your gift recipient at the McKaig Nature Center or other open space.

[Click Here to Gift a Tree or Donate to Recovery Fund](#)

STORM DAMAGE RECOVERY FUND

Consider helping with the recovery of the trails and bridges from the recent storms that caused damage to the trails and bridges.

UPCOMING DATES:

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| NOV 29 & 30 | Pick up supplies from Anne's driveway for Holiday Village arrangements |
| DEC 1 | WWGC Meeting on Zoom |
| 3 & 4 | Drop off arrangements & bake sale items at Anne's or Colleen's |
| 4 | Holiday Village, Noon to 3 p.m. |
| 8 | GCFP District VI Zoom Program, 7 p.m. |
| JAN 6 | PHS Program on Zoom, 6 p.m. |
| 9 | Winter Social at Maggiano's, Noon to 3 p.m. (<i>An Evite was sent to your email</i>) |
| 12 | GCFP District V Zoom Program, 7 p.m. |

