

PULASKI COUNTY MASTER GARDENER BOARD MEETING

The Pulaski County Master Gardener Board held their meeting on January 9, 1996, at 10:30 a.m., in the Blue Flame Room of the ARKLA Gas Building.

Present were Beth Phelps, Phyllis Watson, Ann Cooper and David Dodson. Absent were Jane Gulley and Ann Ward.

Ann Cooper, Treasurer, reported a balance for November 30, 1995 of \$6,687.30 and for December 29, 1995, a balance of \$6,700.72.

The dates of December 5 or 10, 1996 were discussed for this years Christmas party at the Adult Center.

The Fletcher Library will have a re-opening on May 4, 1996, and Master Gardeners will present a program on the Master Gardener Program and answer gardening questions.

The Board voted to have the Pulaski County Master Gardener Association join the Arkansas Nurserymen's Association, for \$35.00.

A thank you note from Pinnacle for Jeff Johnson's memorial was read.

The Board voted to give \$50.00 for the Children's Activities at the Flower & Garden Show and \$100.00 for the Master Gardener Booth at the Flower & Garden Show.

It was announced the Master Gardener dues of \$10.00 were due.

The Board discussed the Master Gardener involvement with the Dunbar Community Garden Project, and a sign up sheet for a starting committee was placed in lobby.

The meeting was adjourned.

Beth Phelps recorded minutes in the absence of Ann Ward.

PULASKI COUNTY MASTER GARDENER BOARD MEETING

The Pulaski County Master Gardener Board held their meeting on February 13, 1996, at 10:30 a.m., in the Blue Flame Room of the ARKLA Gas Building.

Present were Beth Phelps, Jane Gulley, David Dodson, Phyllis Watson, Ann Cooper and Ann Ward.

Ann Cooper, Treasurer, reported a balance of \$6,693.49, as of January 31, 1996.

Beth mentioned the new look for our Master Minutes, which include a list of officers, Chairmen of the different projects and the Master Minutes Staff.

Beth stated there would be some changes at the Old State House and work would stop the end of June. We would not be gardening at Trapnall Hall. We will start work again next year at the Old State House.

Beth explained the new phone answering system in our office which is to be implemented this spring.

A list of subjects were given to Jane to discuss at the General meeting.

Beth announced arrangements were made for our Christmas Party, to be held at the Adult Center on Thursday, December 12, 1996.

David stated the computer committee would meet on Thursday at the Extension office.

It was recommended that the Greenhouse committee check on getting a new thermostat and repairing the plumbing at the Greenhouse. Perhaps they could get the State Hospital to pay for the improvements.

We all agreed for the Board to start meeting at 10:45-11:30 a.m.

The meeting was adjourned.

  
Ann Ward  
Secretary

PULASKI COUNTY MASTER GARDENER BOARD MEETING

The Pulaski County Master Gardeners Board held their meeting on March 12, 1996, at 10:45 a.m., in the ARKLA Building Blue Flame Room.

Present were Beth Phelps, Jane Gulley, Phyllis Watson, David Dodson, Ann Cooper, and Ann Ward.

The minutes were accepted as written.

Ann Cooper gave a treasurers report of \$6,333.99, as of 2/29/96.

Beth stated we received a credit of \$129.00 from the Parks Seed Company, for their error in our pansy shipment.

The Greenhouse Committee will be looking into the necessary repairs at the Greenhouse.

Books were bought for the Master Gardeners office and were in the lobby for review.

Beth has a tape on Herbs, by Holly Shimizu, who was a guest speaker at the Flower & Garden Show. It would be available for review in the Master Gardener office.

The Daffodil Tour bus to Camden was full and a tour bus will be taken to the Memphis gardens.

Beth received a letter from Breck Campbell, stating Carl Hunter would be planting wildflowers at the Aero-space Center and he could use some help in planting.

The Little Rock Parks & Recreation Departments were hosting a luncheon for Volunteers of the Adopt-A-Park locations on April 18, 1996, at 11:30 a.m., at the Riverfront Park.

Jay Hill recommended we make Carl Hunter an Honorary Master Gardener and all agreed.

Beth stated she had Master Gardeners to work at the Open House at the libraries.

Jay Hill mentioned no local nurseries had participated in our Flower & Garden Show and the Master Gardeners need to tell them they were missed.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

Ann Ward  
Secretary

PULASKI COUNTY MASTER GARDENER BOARD MEETING

The Pulaski County Master Gardener Board held their meeting on April 9, 1996, in the Blue Flame Room, at the ARKLA Building.

Present were Jane Gulley, Beth Phelps, David Dodson, Phyllis Watson, Ann Cooper and Ann Ward.

The minutes were accepted as written.

Ann Cooper gave a treasurers report of \$6,677.17, as of 3/29/96.

Beth stated the Memphis bus trip was still scheduled.

Earth Day is April 20, 1996, at the Zoo, from 10:00 - 5:00 p.m. The board agreed not to do a booth this year.

Beth has applications for speakers for the National Master Gardener Meeting in Sacramento, California. Applications need to be in by June 1, 1996.

Beth mentioned the Pulaski County Master Gardeners might want to do a tour next spring for other state Master Gardeners. We could do a survey sheet at the Master Gardener state meeting in October, to get feed back and then get a committee to work on the program. The Board all agreed with the idea.

The Quapaw tour will be May 4 and 5, from 1:00 - 5:00 p.m., and Mount Holly will be on the tour this year.

The Greenhouse plants are ready for sale.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

  
Ann Ward  
Secretary

PULASKI COUNTY MASTER GARDENER BOARD MEETING

The Pulaski County Master Gardener Board held their meeting at 10:45 a.m., on May 14, 1996, in the Blue Flame Room at the ARKLA Building.

Present were Beth Phelps, Jane Gulley, David Dodson, Ann Cooper, Jay Hill, and Ann Ward. Phyllis Watson was absent.

The minutes were accepted as written.

Ann Cooper gave a treasurers report of \$6,837.52, as of April 30, 1996.

Beth stated the pansies for the Greenhouse needed to be ordered by mid-June.

The Board agreed to invite guests to the Master Gardener picnic at Pinnacle this year. The guest tickets would be paid from the Master Gardener account.

On June 11, the Master Gardeners will tour three homes, and then have lunch at the Old Mill.

There were (4) four spaces left on the bus tour to Memphis.

Beth mentioned help was needed for planting at the County Judge's office and a courier was needed for the newsletter.

The Fletcher Library and Quapaw tour at Mount Holly all went well.

The Board agreed for Leslie Scott to write a (sample) letter to Dan Flowers, Hwy. Director, concerning the spraying of wildflowers along Hwy. 10. The letter would be included with the newsletter for each Master Gardener interested in sending the letter along with their own thoughts concerning the spraying.

Jay Hill mentioned changing name tags for new Master Gardeners, and Master Gardeners who have been active over a year. He also brought up the idea of Master Gardeners doing a booth at the new Farmer's Market.

Lois Corley gave Ann Cooper money earned from the Greenhouse plant sale.

David Dodson said he would see about getting the computer equipment for the Master Gardener office. The Board voted for David to do this within a budget of \$1,500 to \$2,500.

With no further business the board adjourned.

  
Ann Ward  
Secretary

PULASKI COUNTY MASTER GARDENER BOARD MEETING

The Pulaski County Master Gardener Board held their monthly meeting on September 10, 1996, 10:30 a.m., in the auditorium at the new Administrative Building, 2301 South University. Present were Beth Phelps, Jane Gulley, David Dodson, Jay Hill, and Ann Ward. Ann Cooper and Phyllis Watson were absent.

The minutes of our last meeting were accepted as written. The current balance from the treasurers report was \$5,898.31.

Jay Hill read the new list of candidates nominated for office. It was agreed Ann Cooper would remain treasurer until a replacement was nominated.

Beth mentioned the Master Gardener State Meeting would be on September 10 & 11, in Hot Springs, and we needed a committee to set up our booth. The board agreed to donate \$300.00 for use at the state meeting.

David Dodson was donating writing pads for the state meeting.

Jay Hill recommended a lifetime membership of \$25.00 for second year Master Gardeners. Beth stated she would check into this further in relation to our tax status.

Beth Phelps advised golf-T-shirts would be available and she would check on the all cotton shirts.

The new Master Gardener class would have 56 people from Pulaski County and 10 from Lonoke County. Box lunches would be provided and the cost would be \$55.00.

Jane Gulley had a letter from the Council of Garden Clubs for our renewal membership. The board agreed to renew.

Beth Phelps advised the trip to Louisiana would be leaving as scheduled. Also the Master Gardeners would have a booth at the River Market on Saturday, to answer consumer questions.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned.



Ann Ward  
Secretary

PULASKI COUNTY MASTER GARDENER BOARD MEETING

The Pulaski County Master Gardener Board held their meeting on October 8, 1996, 10:30 a.m., in the auditorium of the new Administrative Building, 2301 South University. Present were Beth Phelps, David Dodson, Bettye Jane Daugherty, Connie Smith, Ann Cooper, Jane Gulley and Ann Ward.

The minutes of our last meeting were accepted as written. The current balance from the treasurers report is \$7,600.28.

The Board agreed to continue the Bond Insurance policy at a cost of \$100.00.

Ann Cooper stated we made \$290.00 on the tour to Louisiana.

Beth stated Janet Carson had a trip planned next fall for Chicago, and asked if we wanted to consider a trip next year to St. Louis. All agreed to the St. Louis trip. Beth would work on this.

Beth advised the new 100% cotton golf T-Shirts were now available.

David Dodson would make a short presentation at the State Master Gardener meeting.

On the last day of the Master Gardener training, Bettye Jane Daugherty would explain the sign up sheets for the different Master Gardener Projects. She then went over her list of chair-persons for each project.

Connie Smith was working on getting the committees all lined up.

Beth stated the Hot-line number for Horticulture was still being tested.

With no further business the meeting was adjourned.

  
Ann Ward  
Secretary