

Mount Airy Clay Breakers Garden Club

Minutes January 14, 2010, Meeting

Attendance. 21. We all shared our favorite flower that reminds us of spring, and then celebrated Ann Williams' birthday on Jan 24 and Iona Black's birthday on Jan. 28.

Minutes. Pugh

Correspondence Secretary. No report.

Treasurer. \$1,134.86.

Historian. No report.

Program

Underwater Flower Arrangements by Julie Harrison

Committee Reports

CIVIC DEVELOPMENT. No report.

CONSERVATION. Marian's tip for the month was that we can melt old candles and dip our pine cones in them for a pretty Xmas decoration.

HORTICULTURE AND DESIGN. Lorraine read a section from the *Gardener's Year Handbook* for flower shows on how to create underwater arrangements, which fit nicely with the Club's program for the evening.

MEMBERSHIP. No report.

PHOTOGRAPHY. No report.

PUBLICITY & NEWSLETTER.

SUNSHINE. Arminta sent Iona and Ann Williams birthday cards for Jan 28 and Jan24, respectively.

TELEPHONE. No report.

WAYS & MEANS REPORT. Lenay handed out flyers and order forms listing the flowers available for our fund raiser. All plants will be in 1 gallon pots for \$8 each. Orders must be returned by April 1st and checks should be made out to the Garden Club.

OLD BUSINESS. We also will decide on the T-shirts at the next meeting.

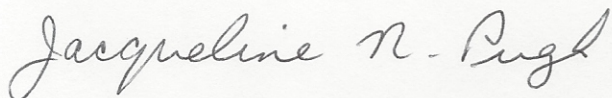
NEW BUSINESS. Lorraine said that Thomas and another girl in his class won a certificate for entering a poem in the Youth Poem Contest sponsored by NCAGC. It was suggested that the club invite the young lady and her mother along with Thomas as our guests to the installation dinner to recognize what they did. The Club agreed.

Julie asked us to decide on a horticultural project for the Silver Tray Award in May. After some discussion the Club decided to make miniature flower arrangements. Lorraine said she would bring information to the next meeting for each of us to follow. Also, Julie asked each of us to bring a piece of horticulture to be judged at the May meeting. Doing this would give each of us some insight on what we could enter in the County Fair in the fall if we felt so inclined.

We ended the meeting by sharing which program was our favorite program of the year and holding a 50/50.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jacqueline N. Pugh". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Jacqueline N. Pugh

Recording Secretary