

MT AIRY CLAY BREAKERS GARDEN CLUB
MARCH 2003 – MINUTES

The meeting was called to order and the roll was called. There were 13 member and 3 guests present. The minutes from February were approved as read.

Treasurer's report: The report remains the same as the February report.

Conservation: Marion gave a talk on water conservation. To conserve water use more container garden, which can come with plastic deck protectors and battery powered timers for watering. This information was obtained from the March issue of "Southern Living" which we are all encouraged to read. It was also mentioned that bottled water will not spoil as long as it is not kept in the garage or laundry room where chemicals might permeate the plastic container.

Horticulture: Ann gave a talk on the Iris, "Messenger of the Gods". She said there are many types of Iris. One example is the German Bearded Iris, the leaves are sword-like. They should be planted in late June through August. Karen brought in euonymus and Lorraine brought a camellia. Mae said she has a gardenia that is ready to bloom.

Ways and Means: We are planning to have the plant sale the first weekend in May. Mary Beth will have the poster and plant sticks for the next meeting.

Old Business: Ann Deboser has invited us to have the picnic at her home in Gettysburg.

We had 5 entries for the "Good Things Come From Trees" contest. It looks like these may be the only entries.

50/50 was won by Liz Saniga

Meeting adjourned to May's very informative program on Antiquing.