

MT. AIRY GARDEN CLUB--November 13, 1986

The November 13, 1986, meeting was held at Concordia Lutheran church. Elaine Arnold was the hostess.

The minutes were approved as corrected. There were 7 members and 3 guests present--Marian Moreland, Rosalee McGovern, and Peg Stovall.

Under committee reports:

Civic Development: Peggy reported for Betty that 20 tulip bulbs had been purchased to be planted at the park after the ground softens up somewhat.

Sunshine: Anne DeBoeser offered to call the people on Elaine Arnold's list.

Ways and Means: JoAnn Davis is still planning a bake and craft sale on December 5 at the CAB building pending an OK by the building management. Also, pecans are available at \$4.75 per package.

The program in December will be Holiday Tables by Julie Harrison.

The Junior Garden Club has 13 members--5 boys and 8 girls. They have had an organizational meeting when they planted bulbs and weeded a plot in front of the school. On October 24, Ann Williams and Peggy Martin did flower arrangements with them in tunafish cans. They will probably have about 6 meetings a year. The next project will probably be planting a terrarium. Our club is the only one in the National Capitol Area with a Junior Garden Club.

Old Business:

There was a discussion of selling oasis which would mean it would be bought by the box and sold in smaller pieces.

New Business:

The Awards '87 in October 1987--Peggy announced that she is the reception chairman for next year. The affair will be catered. Perhaps several of the club members would like to serve as hostesses.

Peggy invited Rosalee, Peg and Marian to join our club, since they had attended two meetings and thus were eligible, and they accepted.

Anne DeBoeser asked for someone to work at the Arboretum next week. She also gave her design report which was a handout including photographs showing what flower show judges look for when they are judging a show.

Margaret Hicks mentioned the Xmas party in December.

Peggy gave a horticulture report about evergreen shrubs both broad-leaved and needle-leaved, and also the pros and cons of holly and rhododendron.

The new members were welcomed into the club. Everyone worked on their wreaths and enjoyed delicious refreshments prepared by Elaine.

Margaret Hicks