

MT. AIRY GARDEN CLUB--March 10, 1988

The March meeting was held at the home of Mary Ellen Heagy. Fourteen members were in attendance. We first viewed a VHS Presentation--The Joy of Flower Arranging--which included tips on conditioning, choosing containers, and mechanics. The tape also included a demonstration of four arrangements. This was followed by refreshments served by our hostess.

Before the meeting began, Peggy Martin stated that the minutes should reflect that the February meeting was cancelled because of inclement weather. Julie Harrison reported a balance on hand at this time of \$690.74. Peg Stovall read notes from World Gardening and the Scholarship Fund thanking the Claybreakers for their contributions.

Civic Development--Betty Abercrombie reported that on January 22 she and Peggy planted tulips, pruned the bushes and generally tidied up at the park. A memorial for Roger was discussed. Joyce Meyers made a motion that Betty investigate the possibilities of the placement of a plaque in the woodside garden. Mary Ellen seconded.

Design--Anne DeBoeser mentioned, in regard to the presentation we had seen earlier in the meeting, that in order to have your arrangement not look overdone, the last three items that you have placed in it should probably be taken out.

Federation Delegate--Ann Williams reported on the Frostbite seminar and talked about the pesticide danger in our surroundings. She also talked about the District I meeting where the Mt. Airy Claybreakers received an Outstanding Achievement Award for the Jr. Garden Club.

There was no old business to be discussed. Under new business, Peggy announced that on April 5, a group would be going to Potomac Mills to purchase items to be used in a workshop on Saturday, April 9, at the home of JoAnn Davis.

Since there were no other matters to be considered, the meeting was closed.

Margaret Fisher