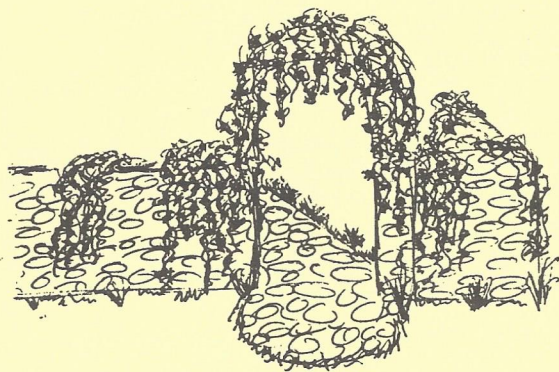




*Mount Airy Clay Breakers
Garden Club*

Upper Marlboro, Maryland



"Over the Garden Wall"
1998-1999

***MOUNT AIRY CLAY BREAKERS
GARDEN CLUB***

Upper Marlboro, Maryland 20772

Organized 1977, Federated 1978

1998 - 1999

"Over the Garden Wall"

Membership - 16

A Member of

National Council of State Garden Clubs, Inc.

Central Atlantic Region Council

National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs
District I

The Chesapeake Bay Foundation

The Nature Conservancy

World Gardening

NATIONAL AND STATE OFFICERS

National Council of State Garden Clubs, Inc.

Mrs. J. Edwin Barnette, President
P.O. Box 3268
Greenwood, SC 29648-3268

Central Atlantic Regional Council

Mrs. Harry C. Baden, Director
205 Curtice Park
Webster, NY 14580-3422

National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs

Mrs. Frank Nicolai, President
12325 Hatton Point Road
Fort Washington, MD 20744

National Capital Area Federation of Garden Clubs, District I

Mrs. Paul Skinner, Director
12916 Clarion Road
Fort Washington, MD 20744

MEMBERSHIPS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Accredited Flower Show Judges

Mrs. Milton Martin (Master)
Mrs. Edward Deboeser, Jr. (Master)

Landscape Design Critics Council

Mrs. William Finley
Mrs. Milton Martin
Mrs. Dean Meyer
Mrs. Roy Williams

MOUNT AIRY CLAY BREAKERS GARDEN CLUB

Executive Board

September 1998 - June 1999

President	Mrs. Jack Berkut
Vice President	Mrs. Michael Saniga
Recording Secretary	Mrs. John Moreland
Corresponding Secretary	Mrs. William Finley
Treasurer	Mrs. Roy Williams
Historian	Mrs. Terry Kemp

Committee Chairmen

Budget	Mrs. Roy Williams
Civic Development	Mrs. Dean Meyer
Conservation	Mrs. Joachim Neckere
Design	Mrs. Edward Deboeser, Jr.
Horticulture	Mrs. Milton Martin
Photography	Mrs. Terry Kemp
Program	Mrs. Michael Saniga
Publicity	Mrs. John Moreland
Sunshine	Mrs. C. M. Stovall
Telephone	Mrs. Milton Martin
Ways and Means	Mrs. Richard Garrison

MEMBERSHIP

All addresses are Upper Marlboro, MD 20772 unless otherwise noted.

Abercrombie, Betty (Mrs. Albert)	301-868-0399
10814 Brookwood Avenue	
Arnold, Elaine (Mrs. Charles)	301-856-2665
10716 Brookwood Avenue	
Berkut, Marilyn (Mrs. Jack)	301-372-6727
11716 Redwood Drive East, Brandywine	20613
Deboeser, Anne (Mrs. Edward V.)	717-334-0998
290 Bullfrog Road, Gettysburg, PA	17325
Finley, Jimmie Nell (Mrs. William)	301-599-6423
9507 Victoria Drive	
Garrison, Dottie (Mrs. Richard)	410-573-0398
965 Running Brook Way, Annapolis	21401
Harrison, Julie (Mrs. Robert)	301-627-5375
8404 Trumps Hill Road	
Kemp, May (Mrs. Terry)	301-952-8961
8502 Trumps Hill Road	

MEMBERSHIP - continued

Martin, Peggy (Mrs. Milton)	301-868-2229
10900 Brookwood Avenue	
Meyer, Joyce (Mrs. Dean)	301-372-8301
12507 Morano Drive, Brandywine	20613
Moreland, Marian (Mrs. John)	301-868-9324
9708 Dale Drive	
Neckere, Esther (Mrs. Joachim)	301-868-6840
5900 Spell Road, Clinton	20735
Saniga, Liz (Mrs. Michael)	301-372-1620
10411 Angora Drive, Cheltenham	20623
Stinchcomb, Margaret (Mrs. Lawrence)	410-571-8757
924 Schooner Circle, Annapolis	21401
Stovall, Peggy (Mrs. C.M.)	301-952-0315
8925 Simeon Court	
Williams, Ann (Mrs. Roy)	301-868-2224
9105 Rosaryville Road	

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 1998 - 1999

August 23	Clay Breakers Picnic - Hostess: Dottie Garrison
September 10-13	Prince George's County Fair Upper Marlboro, MD Participation by Members
October 8	Morning of Design Study Potomac, MD
October 15	District I General Meeting
October 20-22	Gardening Study Course I
October 26-28	CAR Conference
November 11	LDCC General Meeting
November 12-13	District IV St. Flower Show
February 10	LDCC General Meeting
March 11	District 1 General Meeting
April 6-8	Gardening Study Course II
May 17-19	National Convention Atlanta, GA

NOTICE:

Meetings are held the second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in homes of members.

PAST PRESIDENTS MOUNT AIRY CLAY BREAKERS GARDEN CLUB

1977	Tommie Sellers
1978	Tommie Sellers
1979	Joyce Meyer
1980	Jimmie Nell Finley
1981	Ann Williams
1982	Ann DeBoeser
1983	Ann DeBoeser
1984	Julie Harrison
1985	Julie Harrison
1986	Peggy Martin
1987	Peggy Martin
1988	Marie White
1989	Marie White
1990	Marian Moreland
1991	Marian Moreland
1992	Dottie Garrison
1993	Dottie Garrison
1994	Dottie Sisson
1995	Phyllis Tucker
1996	Betty Abercrombie
1997	Betty Abercrombie

Over the Garden Wall...

SEPTEMBER ...greeting the new year.

September 10 Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Hostess Marilyn Berkut
11716 Redwood Drive East, Brandywine
20613

Program **A Slide Presentation** by Steve
Jankowski of the Cactus and Succulent
Society.

Horticulture Hardy Perennials-
Aster, Daisy, Goldenrod -
Compositae Family

September 10-13 Prince George's County Fair

Over the Garden Wall...

OCTOBER ...the exotic and the simple.

October 8 Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Hostess Elaine Arnold, 10716 Brookwood Ave.

Program **Orchids**
A Slide Presentation
by Nancy Meades of the National
Capital Orchid Society

Horticulture Hardy Perennials-*Echinacea purpurea*
and *Echinopa ritro*

October 26-28 CAR Conference

Over the Garden Wall...

NOVEMBER ... *with holidays in mind.*

November 12 Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Hostess Peggy Stoval, at the Clinton Presbyterian
Church, 9901 Brandywine Road

Program **Festive Tables**

Creative Designs for Thanksgiving,
Christmas and New Year's .

Horticulture Hardy Perennials-Chrysanthemum-
Compositae Family

November 11 LDCC

Over the Garden Wall...

DECEMBER ... *decorating your home.*

December 10 Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Hostess Peggy Martin, 10900 Brookwood
Avenue

Program **Decorations for the home from Nature**
by Club Members and gift exchange.

Horticulture Hardy Perennials-*Heliantus x*
multiflorus and *Heliopsis helianthoides* -
Compositae

Over the Garden Wall...

JANUARY	<i>...and far away..</i>
January 14	Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Hostess	May Kemp, 8502 Trumps Hill Road
Program	New Zealand Splendor A Slide Presentation by Barbara Conway, Landscape Design Concil
Horticulture	Hardy Perennials- <i>Dicentra spectabilis</i> and <i>Digitalis purpurea</i>

Over the Garden Wall...

FEBRUARY	<i>... enjoying your garden.</i>
February 11	Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Hostess	Liz Saniga, 10411 Angora Drive, Cheltenham
Program	Low Maintenance Gardening A Slide Presentation by Carol Carter Landscape Design Critics Council
Horticulture	Hardy Perennials- <i>Campanula</i> <i>glomenrato</i> and <i>Campanula percisifolia</i>
February 10	LDCC

Over the Garden Wall...

MARCH	<i>...creating something special.</i>
March 11	Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Hostess	Jimmie Nell Finley, 9507 Victoria Drive
Program	Hunters of the Night A Slide Presentation by Marie Brooks, Watkins Park
Horticulture	Hardy Perennials- <i>Eryngium giganteum</i> and <i>Euphobia epithymoides</i>
March 11	District I General Meeting

Over the Garden Wall...

APRIL	<i>...creating something special.</i>
April 8	Meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Hostess	Club Members, at the Clinton Presbyterian Church, 9901 Brandywine Road
Program	Design Challenge to Creativity, Part IV By Anne Deboeser, Accredited Flower Show Judge, Club Member
Horticulture	Hardy Perennials- <i>Lathyrus latifolius</i>
April 6-8	Gardening Study Course II

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MAY ... friends of your garden.

May 13 Meeting, 7:30 p.m.

Hostess Margaret Stinchcomb
 924 Schooner Circle, Annapolis

Program **Bayscaping Your Landscape**
 by Fran Flaniga of The Alliance for the
 Chesapeake Bay

Horticulture Hardy Perennials-*Lychnis chalcedinca*
 and *Lythrum salicaria*

May 17-19 National Convention in Atlanta, GA

Over the Garden Wall...

JUNE ... farewell to the cold weather.

June 10 Dinner Meeting, 7:00 p.m.
 Mama Stella's, Clinton, MD

Program **Annual Committee Achievement**
 Reports by Club Officers

Installation of Officers

No Meeting in July and August

CONTINUING PROJECTS

1. Community Service

Maintain entrance flower garden and "Edge of Woods" garden at Holloway Park, Upper Marlboro. members-7

2. Educational

Horticulture report presented at each meeting by the Horticulture Chairman.

PROJECTS COMPLETED

1. Landscaped another area at Holloway Park, Upper Marlboro.. members-5

2. Planted a Crape Myrtle tree and conducted a Memorial Service in Holloway Park in memory of our deceased member, Mary Ellen Hagey. members-16

NEW PROJECT

1. Place a garden bench near the flower garden in Holloway Park dedicated to the memory of our deceased member, Marie E. White. members-16

MOUNT AIRY CLAY BREAKERS GARDEN CLUB

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I - NAME

This Club is known as *MOUNT AIRY CLAY BREAKERS GARDEN CLUB*.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSE OF CLUB

The purpose of this Club is to enlarge our knowledge, to promote interest in better gardens, to participate in and promote all activities and projects of the Club, and to beautify our community.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

A. The membership will not exceed at any one time more than 20 members.

B. Any person desiring membership in the Club, provided opening exists, will be sponsored by a member, attend two meetings as a guest, and on the third meeting be accepted, upon agreeing in the presence of the members, to abide by the by-laws and serve on various committees and participate in Club activities.

C. When absent for three consecutive meetings, the absentee member will notify the President by phone or letter as to her intentions of remaining a member.

ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS

The officers of the Club shall be President, Vice President, Treasurer, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, and Historian.

These officers of the Club will be nominated annually, elected at the May meeting, and installed at the June meeting for a term not to exceed more than two (2) consecutive years.

ARTICLE V - AMENDMENTS

Amendments to the by-laws must be proposed at a regular meeting and voted upon by two-thirds of the current membership.

ARTICLE VI - DUTIES OF OFFICERS

A. The President will be the Chief Executive of the Club and will preside at all meetings, appoint Chairmen and Special Chairmen, as occasions arise.

B. The Vice President will, in the absence of the President, exercise the duties of the President.

C. The Treasurer will have custody of funds, keep full and accurate accounts and notify members whose dues are not paid by April of each year. The Treasurer will also pay bills that are submitted with the accompanying receipt and approved at a regular monthly meeting.

D. The Recording Secretary will keep minutes of all meetings and will keep all minutes and a current list of members filed in a loose-leaf notebook ready for reference.

E. The Corresponding Secretary will maintain a current list of members and handle all necessary correspondence. She will also be given a supply of stationary and \$10.00 for postage.

F. The Historian will maintain a history of the Club.

ARTICLE VII - MEETINGS

Regular meetings will be held on the second Thursday of each month at 7:30 p.m., except July and August, unless otherwise announced. Executive and special meetings shall be held as deemed advisable by the President

ARTICLE VIII - DUES

The annual membership dues will be \$15.00, payable at the March meeting. Failure to pay dues by the June meeting will constitute automatic resignation. Members joining the Club during the period June-November will pay full dues. New members joining

the Club in the last six months of the Club year will pay half of the yearly dues. National Area Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc., dues are included.

ARTICLE IX - ELECTIONS

A Nominating Committee of three members will be chosen by the President at the April meeting. One member of the committee will be designated as Chairman.

A slate of officers will be presented by the Nominating Committee at the May meeting. Nominations may be made from the floor, provided consent has been secured from the nominee.

Election of officers shall be held at the May meeting. Installation of new officers will take place at the June meeting. In case any officer shall, by death, resignation, or incapacity to act, be unable to perform her duties, her successor will be chosen to serve by a majority vote of the Executive Board.

ARTICLE X - COMMITTEES

Committees will be appointed by the President as needed. Standing committees shall be reviewed yearly. Suggested committees are:

Auditing	Parliamentarian
Budget	Photography
Conservation & Education	Program
Design	Publicity
Federation Delegate	Special Projects
Flower Show	Telephone
Horticulture	Sunshine
Hospitality	Ways & Means
Membership	

ARTICLE XI - EXECUTIVE BOARD

The Executive Board will consist of elected officers, immediate Past President and Committee Chairmen.

The Executive Board will have authority to name additional officers, if deemed necessary.

The Executive Committee will be responsible for having books and accounts audited annually.

ARTICLE XII - ORDER OF BUSINESS

The procedure for business at the regular meetings shall be in the following order:

1. Roll Call
2. Reading and approval of minutes
3. Treasurer's report
4. Reports of officers and committee chairmen
5. Completion of unfinished business
6. Transaction of new business
7. Payment of bills
8. Discussion
9. Adjournment

ARTICLE XIII - QUORUM

A quorum is necessary for any vote except those specifically stated otherwise in the Constitution and by-laws and will constitute a majority of the current membership.

ARTICLE XIV - ANNUAL REPORT

An annual report shall be made at the June meeting by the officers and committee chairmen stating the condition of the Club as of the last day of May.

Revised 1996

Mount Airy Clay Breakers
Garden Club

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