

Mt. Airy Claybreakers Garden Club Meeting

9 December 2010: Christmas Potluck at Lenay O'Quinn's. Twenty members present plus 1 guest.

Old Business

A thank you note from David Healy, District 1 head, for his invitation to our November meeting.

Treasurer's Report/Elaine: \$1,628.38. Annual donations in the amount of \$50 each to the following organizations were approved: Arbor House Friendship Garden, Fern Valley, Save the Bay (Chesapeake Bay Foundation) National Capital Area Garden Clubs Scholarship fund.

Committee Reports:

Conservation/Maron: Save plastic clear coffee cups to start seeds; Use Xmas lights as gro-lights; Ask Starbucks for Coffee grounds (they give them away)

Program next week: Pest Management

Sunshine/Arminta: Five cards were sent

Garden Club Tea: 15 members attended the tea at the Royal Tea facility in LaPlata on 18 December at 12:00. Cost was \$21.95 per person. Event was successful. Thanks to Pam Smart for arranging this event.

NCAGC's Passport to Savings Books are for sale as a fundraiser for the National Garden Club Convention. Cost is \$30 per book.

New Business

January meeting will be at Dot Lower's. topic: Pest Management

Winner of the 50/50 Elaine Arnold

Winners of the candle ring arrangements;

Jackie George, 1<sup>st</sup> prize; Pam Smart, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize; Arminta Donavon, 3<sup>rd</sup> prize.

The meeting ended with a holiday gift exchange.

Respectfully submitted,

Esther Neckere, Secretary.