

Chappell Hill Garden Club Board

August 31, 2020

The Chappell Hill Garden Club Board meeting began at 2:38, led in prayer by Dale Ramey. Present were Bennie Yates, Karen Kubeczka, Lynda Harrison, Carol Madeley, Dale Ramey and Dale Dugas.

Treasurer Lynda Harrison reported the balance in the operating account as of 8/31/20 was \$2,543.84 and the balance in the savings account was \$14,988.39.

Lynda reported that \$300 has been collected for the Christmas party and \$1,900 has been collected from members for home tour tickets.

Lynda moved that the 2020 home tour be one of the club's two allowed no-sales-tax events. Carol seconded the motion, which passed.

Rules concerning members joining late in the year were reviewed. There is no discount for joining late. Dues of \$25 must be paid and \$100 of home tour tickets must be bought, regardless of when a member joins.

Membership Application Application forms will be photographed with a phone in the future and the forms saved electronically. The original will be returned to the member. This will apply to new members and updates by current members each year. A phone committee will be formed to call members who don't fill out a new form in January.

Refreshments Carol Locke suggested the club go out for lunch at the October meeting, and only light refreshments be served at the meeting. The board discussed the idea and agreed. Carol Madeley will contact Carol Locke, asking her to be in charge of the lunch, including making a reservation and deciding what to serve at the meeting.

Home Tour Dale Dugas reported on Sponsorship. Her report is attached to the original minutes. Dale has collected \$675 and has commitments for an additional \$450 in sponsorships. She is working with several other businesses for additional sponsorships.

Carol read Paula Barrett's report on the tree decorating for the home tour.

Paula's committee bought six identical 4 foot tall trees for about \$280. They recommend that the club have a similar contest each year to justify the cost of the trees. Paula will deliver the trees to the team leaders at the September meeting.

Paula's committee purchased four wreaths for the Providence Baptist Church doors. They also updated the church's wreaths, which will be used inside the church. The committee paid for the wreaths with their own money.

Main Street Beautification Two teams are watering on Main Street. Paula Barrett and Debi Faver water on Thursdays and Karen Kubeczka and Dale Dugas water on Tuesdays.

Programs Nikki Thornton's class on wreath making in August was a huge success. The board thanked Nikki for the program, and Gary and Katherine Pullins, Debi Faver and Karen Kubeczka for helping Bennie and Tom Yates clean up after the meeting.

Possible replacements for Program Chair next year were discussed.

Since the club is going out to lunch at the October meeting, no program will be presented.

Fundraising Event in 2021 The possibility of having a second fundraising event in 2021 was discussed. A garden tour was suggested. The idea will be presented to the members for their input at the September meeting.

The next board meeting on Oct. 5 will be at Bennie's house.

Being no further business, Lynda moved to adjourn; Karen seconded, and the meeting adjourned at 4:11 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Madeley
Secretary