

# VMIGC

## Sept. 9, 2019 amended meeting notes

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Cathie Crouse called the meeting to order at 9:45 a.m. at the Vashon Lutheran Church.

67 members, 3 guests, and 1 speaker were in attendance. New members Kari Ulatoski and Wendy Aman were introduced.

Cathie announced the liaison with Matsuda Farm for greenhouse use and other purposes. She also announced new parking regulations at the Lutheran Church and use of backdoor for entry to meetings.

### **Secretary's Report**

Sheryl L. called for approval of amended minutes from June 6, 2019 meeting. Minutes were approved.

### **Treasurer's Report**

Janet Q. announced that the budget statements have been simplified. Budget process guidelines have been clearly outlined. Guidelines have been established for handling funding requests made to the Club. The proposed 2019-20 budget revision was presented to and approved by the membership.

### **Membership/Hospitality Report**

Debi R. announced the new members brunch will be held on October 28. She reminded members to turn in grocery receipts for the 1% cash back community program. New directories were handed out today.

Janet Q. Announced a thank you note was received from last year's scholarship recipient, Destin Redeker.

### **Publicity Chair Report**

Denise S. announced that the password to the members only page on the website has been changed to "ladybugs".

### **Tours and adventures**

Trudy R. announced a tour to Kubota Garden on October 24, 2019. Sign up with Trudy for a ride on the community van or to organize carpools.

### **Community Gardens Awards Banquet**

Linda S. announced the Community Gardens Awards Banquet will be held at VCA on Nov. 13, 2019, \$30 per person, sign-up sheet available.

The plant sale will be held on May 2, 2020. Linda S. is the chair person.

### **Greenhouse Report**

Nancy Hostika and Nancy Kappelman will be in charge of greenhouse operations for the plant sale. Greenhouse tables will be built in the Matsuda greenhouse next week.

A sign-up sheet was passed around to volunteer for dividing and potting of plants donated from the Carhart garden and others.

Dan C. offered to collect plant pots at general meetings and bring them to the greenhouse.

### **Ask the Experts**

Cindy S. presented a talk about sedums.

Diane E. presented information about fall webworms compared to tent caterpillars.

Cathie adjourned the meeting at 11:15.

A potluck lunch was enjoyed by all.

Kim Cantrell presented a program about fall pruning.