

September 2016

Greetings Jardineros,

Another month of great fun is here! Show Your Stuff will include numerous members displaying their talents coordinated by Rose Gardiner and Barbara Hill.

Our Refreshment committee members are Erin Height, Sue Overley, Barbara Otter and Maria Pozo Humphreys with the guidance of chair, Vicky Kimmel. So give them your nod of appreciation.

Our greeters this month will be substituting for other members so a special thanks to Pam Buethe and Connie Goodwin.

We do not have a collection this month but our community service members are busy sewing quilts. The finished product will be presented to membership in October. These will be delivered to Haven House after we get to see the great results. Thanks to coordinators Maris Mason and Jo Anne Fredrikson.

Many of you know that in October we will be doing the collection of Winter Wear for our school age children, perhaps you will catch a sale early or find something created by one of our members.

As we have business to conduct, we will start our meeting promptly at 9:30 and hope to wrap up quickly. Remember nominations for officers and next years' nominating committee will be presented.

I will have a table with committee sign-up sheets so please stop by and get your name on a couple of these wonderful committees.

Just a quick reminder, please provide any announcements to me in writing prior to the meeting. The day before the meeting is the last day I can take these items as I often don't get a chance to print items on Wednesday mornings.

As you know our website and communications continue to evolve. Our new messaging process for member announcements and the president's letter is through Constant Contact and is a test for the rest of this year. Deborah Gullo has donated this to us for the next couple of months so your feedback is appreciated. We will contact members individually whose email addresses bounce back or if we find there is some other issue with email addresses.

One last operational procedural item for meeting days, Happy Dollars should include items for us all to celebrate a life event. (Example - a new grandchild or anniversary celebration).

Hopefully you had a chance to review the business note I sent out earlier this week since this is such a busy time of year for our organization.

Thank you all,

Kathy