



# Cape Fear Clippings

Cape Fear Garden Club, Inc.

October 2013

member of The Garden Club of North Carolina, Inc. and National Garden Clubs, Inc.

## President's Message

What a turnout for our first meeting - 200! Our very own Dana Cook was informative and entertaining as she talked about succulents. The Moonlight in the Garden Gala is fast approaching. We are looking forward to a wonderful evening and hope to see you there. Remember it is now required in our by-laws that an active member must attend three (3) meetings per year. Please remember to sign in. I look forward to seeing you at our next meeting as we present our Garden Tour Grants.

Gloria Degnan, President

## Upcoming Events

- **October 20 - Luminary Tour.** Oakdale Cemetery with over 600 luminaries to light the tour path. Visit [www.oakdalecemetery.org](http://www.oakdalecemetery.org) or call 762-5682 for details.
- **October 23 - District 11 Meeting "Communicate, Educate, & Participate with GCNC"** Ocean Isle. If you would like further information and/or to register for this event please email Gloria Degnan at [gdegnan@ec.rr.com](mailto:gdegnan@ec.rr.com).
- **November 2 - Moonlight in the Garden Gala.** Arboretum 6:30 pm. Benefit for CFGC Endowment. Contact Beth Woodruff (910-465-2959) or [bethwoodruff@ec.rr.com](mailto:bethwoodruff@ec.rr.com) to purchase tickets.
- **November 3 - 5 - 47th Flower Show Symposium.** North Raleigh Hilton, Raleigh, NC. Go to the Garden Club of North Carolina website for details on how to attend.
- **November 4 - Horsedrawn Wagon Rides.** Oakdale Cemetery. Visit [www.oakdalecemetery.org](http://www.oakdalecemetery.org) for details.
- **November 23 - Tidewater Camellia Club Fall Display Show and Sale.** Noon - 4:00 pm. Arboretum. For more information [www.tidewatercamelliaclub.org](http://www.tidewatercamelliaclub.org).
- **December 17 - CFGC Christmas Tea.** Home of Shirley Hardee. 2:00 - 4:00 pm.

### General Meeting

Tuesday, October 22, 2013

**Cape Fear Country Club**

1518 Country Club Road

Mini Flower Arrangement Workshops: none for October

Coffee and horticulture judging: 9:30 am

Devotional: Melissa Talley

Program: 10:00 am

Program Title: **Presentation of the 2012 - 2013**

**CFGC Grant Awards**

Presenter: Karen Smith, Grant Disbursement Chair

Refreshment Table Arrangement: Betty Baurereis

Horticulture Theme: roses and chrysanthemums

Day Clerks: Mary Ann Beltracchi, Joyce Maguire

Judge: June Sweeny

You are encouraged to bring horticulture specimens and/or arrangements to all monthly meetings. They should be labeled and in place by 9:15 am.

**If you have not paid your dues,  
you are delinquent!**

**\$40.00 for Active, \$50.00 for Associate**

**Bring to October Meeting**

or

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28409

### Yearbook corrections

#### New address:

Elisabeth Mead PO Box 294, Wrightsville Beach

28480

#### Correct phone number:

Betty Burney 910-763-2772

## Club News

- The 6<sup>th</sup> annual trip to the Philadelphia Flower Show is March 1-3, 2014. The theme for 2014 is ARTiculture. Garden club members and friends are invited to experience the combination of art and horticulture as the Philadelphia Horticultural Society Philadelphia Flower Show celebrates everyone from Michelangelo to Monet, Picasso to Pollack, and da Vinci to Dali. If you are interested and would like more information, call Ida Newton 791-5138 or email [lidanjack@hotmail.com](mailto:lidanjack@hotmail.com).
- Contact Dorothy Gaither for transportation to the October meeting 791-0505 or [dgaither@ec.rr.com](mailto:dgaither@ec.rr.com).
- Please forward any news of members who should receive a get well, sympathy or thinking of you card to Brenda Moore, Corresponding Secretary, at [eroomkb@aol.com](mailto:eroomkb@aol.com).
- **LUNCH!!** Our next General Meeting is upon us. We have lunch openings. Please make your reservation for lunch at Cape Fear Country Club after the meeting as soon as possible by contacting Irene Shea ([ishea@ec.rr.com](mailto:ishea@ec.rr.com) or 910-395-5731). Please pay for your lunch when you come to the meeting on the 22nd with a check made out to CFGC for \$15.00.
- Cape Fear Festival of Trees which is being held at the Cameron Art Museum November 22 - December 8 is seeking sponsors for trees in memory of a loved one or in honor of a business. Individuals interested in helping to decorate a tree are also needed. For more information contact Josie Butler at Lower Cape Fear Hospice & LifeCareCenter 910-796-7942 or [josie.butler@lcfh.org](mailto:josie.butler@lcfh.org)
- Do you have available office space? CFGC is looking for a 400-500 square foot space, accessible during normal business hours and if possible, nights and weekends. Separate entrance is preferred, but not necessary. No phone or office support is needed. Minimum 5-year lease. Reasonable rent or possible in-kind exchange of landscape upkeep. Contact Cindy Godwin, (910) 619-9444, [cingodwin@aol.com](mailto:cingodwin@aol.com) if you have a potential location.
- The 2014 calendars will be on sale (\$8 each) at the October meeting. While you are shopping at the Promotions Table, you can purchase your Moonlight in the Garden Gala tickets, too!! (\$125 per person for a fun-filled evening with your fellow club members on November 2, 2013). If you will not be at the October meeting and would like to reserve a calendar or purchase a ticket, call Beth Woodruff (465-2959).

## Committee Announcements

- **Hospitality Committee:** Please bring refreshments at 9:15 am for our general meeting. All refreshments should be placed on a serving plate ready to be set on the table. Contact Alma Fennell 350-0130 with questions.
- **Garden Therapy Committee** will meet on November 4th at Elderhaus at 1:15. Linden Boone and Rose Bissette will present the craft. We will be planting in the courtyard after the craft time.
- **Awards:** All committee chairs are reminded to get their applications in for awards. All applications must be received by December 1<sup>st</sup>. Applying for an award is easier than ever. Most applications can be done on line without a book of evidence.
- **The Azalea Garden Tour Committee:** The shipment of plants from Encore Azaleas for our Azalea Garden Tour garden owners will be delivered either Thursday October 24, or Friday October 25. We will need help unloading them from the truck. Please contact Rebecca Philpott at [rebeccaphilpott@aol.com](mailto:rebeccaphilpott@aol.com) or 452-9844 if you are available to help.
- The **Civic Improvements Committee** is accepting nominations for "*The Beauty Spot Outstanding Landscaping Award*". Landscapes must be readily viewed from the road in the Greater Wilmington Area in one of three categories: Business/Neighborhood Entrance/Residential. Photos should be submitted by November 15<sup>th</sup> and can be sent to [cfgcbeautyspots@gmail.com](mailto:cfgcbeautyspots@gmail.com) or mailed to Beauty Spot Nominations, 5236 Masonboro Harbour Drive, Wilmington NC 28409. Please, include contact information of the person submitting the nomination, address of the landscape area and the category of the nomination: Business: Neighborhood: Residential.



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