

Cape Fear Garden Club CLIPPINGS news & updates

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January 22, 2019 General Meeting Cape Fear Country Club

If you need transportation to a CFGC meeting or event, please contact Jonnie Harris, transportation committee chairman.

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PROGRAM FOR JANUARY 22: Laura McCabe will bring us "The Pleasures & Pitfalls of Backyard Beekeeping".

Laura and her husband Duncan welcomed all of us to their garden in the Spring, 2019, during the Azalea Garden Tour and on January 22 she will tell us about one part of their most interesting garden.



Rebecca Philpott, CFGC President 2019-2020 Workday Garden #2

Presidents Message

Happy New Year to all, it is hard to believe that 2020 is already here!

A big thank you to Beth Moore for hosting the Christmas Tea, to Alma Fennell and the Hospitality Committee for the delicious food, and to Hillary McNeir and the Flower Arranging Committee for the outstanding and creative holiday décor. The chilly weather made it feel like the holidays indeed. We so appreciate everyone's hard work on making our annual holiday get together so special, it takes a team!

Kudos to Peggy Vineyard and Helene Pasin for 1St Place for their floral arrangement at Art N the Bloom, and to Janet Warren for her two arrangements.

Our next general meeting is Wednesday January 22, 2020 and we hope to see you there. Please join us for lunch afterwards and break bread with friends old and new. Remember, in order to meet at the Cape Fear Country Club, we must commit to 40 members for lunch every month. If we do not meet the quota of 40, we must pay from our general funds and this is not something we

February 26
PROGRAM:
Bonnie Monteleone Director of Science,
Research &
Academic
Paartnership for
Plastic Ocean Project
will present "Save
our Seas, Save
ourselves"

SAVE THE DATES:

Azalea Garden Tour April 3-5, 2020 budget for so please help us meet this quota and **thank** you.

A quote from John Muir: "Everybody needs beauty as well as bread, places to play in and pray in, where nature may heal and give strength to body and soul alike."

Gods Peace, *Rebecca*

Rebecca Philpott President, Cape Fear Garden Club 2019-2020 "Stewards of the Earth"



Cost per lunch is \$20 with cash or check made out to Cape Fear Garden Club or CFGC.

Wine and Beer are available at additional cost: House Wine = \$8.00 and Beer = \$5.00 Great conversation, atmosphere, taxes and gratitude are already included; what could be better?

Please note that we are financially responsible for forty lunches minimum to the Country Club. Thank you for understanding and for your participation. Bon appétit

Lunch Reseverations

January lunch reservations following the general meeting are still available, since we do not have hte required 40 attendees. Please considering staying for lunch this month.

A reminder will go out today, Monday, to those who have not already responded to the "Paperless Post" invitation. If the "Paperless Post" invitation isn't available to you due to computer/internet access or you didn't receive an invitation please either call or send an email to: Sherry O'Daniell sherryodaniell@gmail.com or call/text 910-538-9747 with concerns and/or reply

The Cape Fear Country Club also provides great space for committee lunch meetings; please make a note on the "Paperless Post" invitation if you are dining with a committee and include the name of committee.

Thanks to all the helping hands on Planting Days.



Work day at Garden #2



Gardening for Wildlife's workday on Monday, December 30th. It was Frances Parnell's 82nd birthday! It was a warm bulb planting day!



Cold day for planting garden #2



Lots of helping hands Garden #2

Planning Ahead

The <u>Cape Fear Garden Club</u> was founded in 1925, making it one of the oldest garden clubs in North Carolina. Club members are hard at work planning for their centennial celebration in 2025.



CFGC Promotions

"Extra Extra, read all about it".
Our CFGC pin is here. Get yours at the Promotion Table January 22 meeting \$7.00 Cash or check to Cape Fear Garden Club.



2020 Azalea Garden Tour

Azalea Garden Tour

Garden Tour Tickets will be ready for sale and pick-up at the January 22nd general meeting. A reminder that members are required to purchase one ticket and the price is \$35.00 again for 2020.

PLEASE remember and take the time to sign up to sit in one of the beautiful gardens on the

tour. The committee is also in need of a few more garden hostesses.



For sponsors of New Members in the club I ask and encourage you to sit with them in a garden. This is a special time you could share with them your knowledge, experience and how important the Azalea Garden Tour is to the club and the community.

A reminder that the 2019 Tax Letters will be available for pick up with your tickets for members that supported the "Friend of the Tour".

The 67th Azalea Garden Tour Committee is continuing to work hard in their efforts to make this another successful tour. Be part of the "SUCCESS" and volunteer your time.

I am very appreciative of your continued support.

Sandy Cyphers 2020 Azalea Garden Tour Chairman

Art & The Bloom



Jane Warren Entries

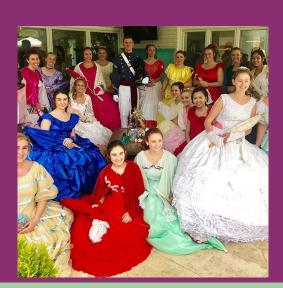


1st Place: Peggy Vineyard and Helene Pasin Cape Fear Garden Club



A last minute entry by Jane
Warren due to a no-show, and not
considered in part of the
competition.

Belle Committee



This year we have 135 belles, 8 daughters and granddaughters. Out of 135 belles there are 21 juniors. We had our large belle committee meeting on January 13th with 30 women in attendance.

Dress fittings start January 25 and 26th and February 1 & 2nd.

If interested in helping with the fittings, please **call or text** Karen Smith (910) 620-6958.





Post your CFCG Pictures on Instagram!

Please be sure to share your photos and stories about work sessions or ongoing projects with your Garden Club friends. We want to see what you have going on! Need Help Posting? Send 1-5 edited image(s) of Club Events with captions to: PictureThis@CapeFearGardenClub.org or self-post & tag us! @CapeFearGardenClub.org #CapeFearGardenClub!

Garden Therapy





MEMBERSHIP

Membership Committee:

Do you need a membership application? Want to change your status from Active to Associate or Associate to Emeritus?

For these and any other membership questions please talk to Diane Smith or Anita Duren Lewis, Membership committee co-chairs.

January Yearbook and Membership Updates

Yearbook Corrections
Active: Candus Clarke – new email address: candusclarke@twc.com
Associate: Susan Butler - new email address: albutlerjr@icloud.com
Associate: Paige Williams - new address: 1906 Colleton Court;
Wilmington, NC 28403
Membership Changes
None reported.

Corrections or changes in member contact information: Email Computer Registrar, Elizabeth Baker at efrwhite@aol.com

Reminder: The most current membership information is always found on the CFGC website in the 'Members Only' Section, and now available on the CFGC mobile app.



December 2019 Sympathy Cards sent: Fran Moles, Active Member, whose Mother In Law passed away in November Cheryl Nabell, Active Member, whose Mother passed away November 13, 2019 Get Well cards sent: Julia Davis, Active Member, concerning husband Jim's surgery Sandy Cyphers, Active Member, concerning her Mother's illness Julia Davis. Active Member Carolyn Augustine, Emeritus Member Janet Farrior, Active Member Pam Shumpert. Active Member Andrea Humphries, Associate Member Betty Rose, Associate Member

Please send sympathy and get well information to Lannie Kirby,
Corresponding Secretary at
Lnnkirb@aol.com

Have You Ever Thought of Hosting the Christmas Tea?



Lunch before Christmas Te with new members and committee

The Flower Arranging Committee is looking for future Christmas Tea Locations. If you might be interested, the following criteria is required:

- 1. A large home with open floor plan or spacious rooms to accommodate our large membership
- 2. Lots of parking
- 3. Garage, should it rain on work days
- 4. Easy stair access for our older members
- 5. Home available one or two days prior to tea for decoration set up

Having a list of available homes will help our incoming President locate a Christmas Tea home and also give us a back up in case someone has to pull out.

Signing up does not guarantee that your home will be a Tea Home. You will have to meet the guidelines.

Please do consider offering your home for future teas. If you are interested or have questions please contact Hillary McNeir at 910-431-1737 or hillarymcneir@gmail.com.

I want to thank you in advance for considering this opportunity.

Hillary McNeir Flower Arranging Committee

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Deadline for submissions for January Clippings is Wednesday, January 8, 2020 Send all submissions to <u>clippingscfgc@gmail.com</u>