



A&M GARDEN CLUB

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Corresponding Secretary Linda Kenyon

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The Nominations Committee is currently working on nominations for next year's Board.



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NEWSLETTER

CLUB MEETINGS SEPT-MAY - FRIDAYS 9:30-11:30 AM

AMGC Board Meeting (via Zoom)

Friday Dec 4, 9:30 am

December Club Meeting (via Zoom)

Friday Dec 11, 9:30 am – Presentation about the Brazos Valley Food Bank; Business Meeting follows.

CLUB EVENTS

PLANT GIVEAWAY at Peace Lutheran Church

Friday Dec 11 from 3:45-5:00 pm – Bring plants to share!
Chair: Linda Kenyon

PILGRIMAGE to Old Fort Parker near Groesbeck, TX

Saturday Dec 12 – Details will be sent by email.
(Chair: Michele Wehrheim)

COFFEE SOCIAL at Sweet Eugene's

Monday Dec 21 at 9:30 am – Reminder will be sent by email.
(Chair: Heather White)

PRESIDENT'S PROJECT & OTHER IDEAS

Please send your donations for the Brazos Valley Food Bank to our Treasurer. Officers and members will share ideas during our upcoming Regular Meeting so that we can continue promoting club activities such as youth gardening programs; Meals on Wheels; Ways & Means; Plant Giveaways, and more.

CO-PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Thank you for joining us for Zoom meetings, club coffees, and pilgrimages. Friendships shared by phone, newsletters, Facebook, website, and in person bring us smiles as well as new ideas. We look forward to the presentation by Brazos Valley Food Bank at our December 11th meeting. You are helping many people to have food now and in the future!

The trees planted in memory of Kaye Hobbs and Mary Ann Taylor were watered today (Nov. 25) at 9:20 a.m. As Happy and I walked in Richard Carter Park, two C.S. Parks staff came in a water truck specifically to care for those two new trees!

Share your Thanksgiving over the phone with your family or friends! They will be thrilled that you cared and called! Happy Thanksgiving to all A&M Garden Clubs members, families, and friends.

Sherry Ellison

The November pilgrimage trip to the Brookwood Cafe, Gift Shop and greenhouse was an delightful half day excursion. We were a cozy group of 5 (Khris Thurmond, Linda Kenyon, Helen Quinn, Heather White and me) and we all enjoyed the lunch entrees as well as the fruit and herb beverages served by the citizens and staff. We try to do at least one trip out to Brookwood since it is a specially designated Texas Garden Clubs project. We enjoyed ourselves so much that we made a tentative plan to return in the Spring as an extra pilgrimage trip in March or April.

Speaking of extra pilgrimages, we have one planned for the morning of Saturday, December 12th out to see Christmas at Old Fort Parker; this pilgrimage is not listed in the club yearbook. Our carpool group will meet at the Kroger parking lot on Boonville Road that morning. There is information about the event on-line at the Old Fort Parker website.

I will send a reminder email to all club members a few days prior and it will also be announced at our club meeting on Zoom on the 11th.

Michele Wehrheim

RECENT CLUB ACTIVITIES

Anyone can view pictures of our activities on our Facebook Page – See <https://www.facebook.com/AMGardenClub/>

Texas Arbor Day – Held Nov 6th at Richard Carter Park with a tree dedication ceremony for Kaye Hobbs and Mary Ann Taylor. The Arbor Day Committee did an amazing job!



Plant Giveaway – On Nov 13th we shared plants with community members at Peace Lutheran Church. Thanks to all members that help make this monthly giveaway a success!



Pilgrimage – Members visited Brookwood in Brookshire on Nov 17th and had a lovely time touring their greenhouse, shopping & enjoying lunch at their café. Pilgrimages are fun!



Coffee Social – Members met outside at Peace Lutheran for coffee & conversations. It is always nice to learn more about each other and keep our friendships blooming.



Wishing everyone a wonderful holiday season. May your holidays sparkle with moments of joy, laughter, and goodwill. Thanks for being part of our A&M Garden Club family!