

March 25, 2026 Garden Club minutes

Deb, Donna, Bill and Paula present 30 members

Memberships sold before and after meeting

Guest Speaker: Evan Davies spoke on propagation

Gladwin gave a brief update of our new website and encouraged feedback and for people to send him garden photos.

Thank You to the volunteers who manned the front door at Seedy Saturday-Lorna, Rosi, Bren, Paula and husband, Donna and husband, Agnes Zimmerman -Deborah's Mom

Paula Cravens resigned as secretary and is passing the torch to Meretta Pater. Thank you so much for stepping forward.

Deb Paron wants to resign as President. Deb has done a splendid job and wants to step down. The president's position has a candidate that will be acclaimed at the next meeting if there are no other people interested.

New Items

1. Caroline Collier is asking for volunteers to sign up to grow a square meter of wildflowers for a pollinator corridor in the valley. The college greenhouse is being used to get the seedlings going (any help with that would be appreciated).

2. Also she is giving a talk at the library Saturday, April 11th from 2-3:30 on Collecting Seeds from Wildflowers

3. Reminder that the library garden is looking for people who would like to help keep it maintained.

Donna will check with TopCrop that they will continue to honour the Club discount as they have new owners.

Lorna Guild brought cookies to be consumed post meeting to encourage members to mingle. It worked!

Next meeting will be Wednesday April 29th. Our guest speaker is Betty Armitage on the topic of growing blueberries.

We will also have our spring plant exchange before the meeting starts so start saving your extras as you clean up the garden and see what has multiplied. You can also bring extra dahlia, gladiola and other spare bulbs that you don't need.

Adjourned 8:24 pm