

2023-2024 Sudbury Garden Club Membership Renewal Form due 4/30/2023

Name: _____ E-mail: _____

Address: _____

Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Text: Yes/No _____

Birthday date: Month _____ Day _____

- Active Member** Annual Dues of \$50.00 requires commitments:
 - Participates in the annual plant sale fundraiser.
 - Furnishes library flowers once a year, or at the request of the committee chair.
 - Serves on the Hospitality Committee once each year.
 - Serves on at least one additional committee.

- Associate Member** Annual dues \$65.00
 - Must participate in at least one Club project or committee during the year.
 - This category is limited; a written request must be approved by the Members Committee.

- Supporting Member** Annual dues of \$80.00
 - Is not required to attend meetings, provide library flowers nor serve on the Hospitality Committee.
 - Is welcome to be actively involved in Club activities.

- Family Member** Annual dues of \$25 (in addition to the Primary Membership dues.)
 - Is required to serve on a committee plus participate in the annual fundraiser.

Library Flowers - preferred month: _____ (September-June)

Hospitality Committee – preferred month: _____ (October-May)

Please note: if you do not indicate your choices, you will be assigned where you are needed.)

Community Activities: The following are Community Activities, not a Committee function.

You may sign up for one or both: _____ Hosmer House _____ Wayside Inn.

**Mail this Renewal Form with a check for dues (plus \$10.00 late fee after May 31) payable:
Sudbury Garden Club to Ann Boland, 35 Pendleton Road, Sudbury, MA 01776**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR PROMPT ACTION

COMMITTEES: Active, Associate and Family members: check off **at least one** committee. All members are encouraged to actively participate. If you would like to be the Chair, put that down next to the Committee.

Committee sign up see over:

___ **AWARDS AND GRANTS** (Nominates SGC activities to the Federation for awards, applies for grants)

___ **CIVIC BEAUTIFICATION** (Plant/maintain Gardens at Heritage Park, Library, Feeley Field, Rte. 117 Traffic Island, and the Planters around town)

COMMUNICATIONS (Keeps all Club members aware of the Club's activities. Creates and records the Club's public image.)

___ **Email**

___ **Facebook/Instagram**

___ **Grapevine**

___ **Historian** – *Creates and maintains the Sudbury Garden Club scrap books with photos and press clippings, etc.*

___ **Publicity** – *Acts as liaison to the media for all relevant Club news.*

___ **Website** – *Maintains and updates the Club's internet information.*

___ **Yearbook 2023-2024** - *Produces and edits the members' annual Membership Handbook and Yearbook*

___ **COMMUNITY OUTREACH** (Conduct Member/Community Workshops providing arrangements for local recipients. Creates connections with the community at-large.)

___ **HORTICULTURE** (Shares knowledge of flora via oral/written presentations)

MANAGEMENT (Oversees the Club's property and coordinates on-going responsibilities)

___ **Hospitality Coordinator** – *Assign refreshment committees for Club meetings.*

___ **Hospitality Committee**

___ **Library Flower Coordinator** – *Ensure that the main circulation desk at the Goodnow Library has a new Horticultural display weekly during Club year by assigning active members & recruiting extra volunteers.*

MEMBERS (Oversees all matters pertaining to Club Members)

___ **Membership** - *New members: annual renewals, changes in membership status; greeters.*

___ **Sunshine Committee** (Member Support) - *Provides support to members in time of difficulty.*

___ **NOMINATING** (Slate of Officers, other elected Board members, candidates for committee chairs [with VP])

PHILANTHROPY (Oversees the charitable donations of the Club)

___ **Scholarship** – *Recommends to the Board recipients for our scholarships after reviewing all applications.*

___ **Silver Plate** – *Creates gift baskets for a local needy family at Thanksgiving and Winter Holidays as donations allow. (No Club monies are used, entirely funded by members' donations)*

PLANT SALE (Creates revenue to support scholarships, philanthropies, and other club activities)

___ **Plant Sale Chair**– *Oversees the planning and organization of the May sale. ALL members are expected to help in some way for this event.*

___ **Steering Committee**

___ **PROGRAMS** (Responsible for all 10 meetings & coordinates with Hospitality, Workshops)

___ **Zoom** - *Zoom General Meetings for members that are unable to attend in-person.*

SOCIAL ACTIVITIES (Plans activities outside the regular monthly meetings to promote better connections among Members. Scholarships are available, as necessary, when there is an additional cost)

___ **Dining Out** – *Organizes monthly dinners and lunches (Gathering of the Green Thumbs) at local restaurants.*

___ **Garden Treks** – *Visits to noteworthy gardens.*

___ **Road Trips** – *Visits to interesting locations or events.*

___ **WORKSHOPS** (Flower Arranging and more)