

Minutes of the Sudbury Garden Club
May 26, 2021
Zoom Meeting

Attendance

Marilyn Hodges, Pat Drobinski, Ann Boland, Barbara Baumgardner, Jo Ann Forester, Patti Walch, Joanne Bennett, Barbara Fay, Kaffee Kang, Leslie Lowe, Janelle Landrigan, Beth Iosua, Pauline O'Bray

Secretary's Report

A motion was made and seconded to approve the Minutes of the June Board Meeting with a slight change. All were in favor.

Plant Sale

Net profit yielded \$7,419. Member plants generated \$7209 profit. This can be compared to \$5857 from member plants in 2019. The first virtual plant sale was a resounding success with many positive comments from members and customers. If we relocate the sale in the future it was suggested that we place signage at Town Hall to indicate the new location.

Budget

Pauline presented the proposed budget for 2021-2022. A motion was made and seconded to approve the 2021-2022 budget with changes. All were in favor.

Treasurer's Report

Philanthropy expenditures will total \$575.00 with \$50.00 each to Assabet River National Wildlife Refuge, Hop Book Protection Association, Native Plant Trust, Sudbury Valley Trustees and Mass Audubon. In addition memberships to Mass Horticultural Society (\$175) and Tower Hill (\$150) were purchased. This fiscal year ends June 30, 2021. A motion was made and seconded to approve the Treasurer's Report dated May 26, 2021. All were in favor.

Committee Reports

•Civic Beautification

Patti is organizing members to work at Heritage Park on Thursday, May 27 and on Tuesday, June 1st to supervise students at the senior class volunteer day at both the high school and at the Heritage Park gardens.

•Membership

Membership includes 48 Active, 9 supporting, 5 associates, 1 family and 3 not renewing.

•Programs

The committee has been very careful to keep speaker costs down and has thus come in under budget.

•Scholarship - Report on recipients

Two scholarships were awarded to 2 Lincoln Sudbury RHS students. One will be studying Environmental Studies at Bates College and the other Economics at Boston College.

Other Business - Blue Star help: Lynn

Lynn needs help with planting geraniums on Friday, May 28th at the Blue Star Garden.

Next Board Meeting - June 16, 2021

We will meet in person at Patti's home for the last Board meeting of the year when the new officers are installed. It will be a potluck from 4-6pm.

The meeting adjourned at 11:20.

Recording Co-Secretary Pat Drobinski