

# Gateway Garden Club Meeting Minutes

11/11/2021

Gateway Garden Club was called to order by President Jean Jacobs at 1:10 PM on November 11 2021 at the Otterbein Church.

Attendance was taken: twelve members were present: Betty Bennett, Kathie Campbell, Mary Duke, Kathy Gerken, Lynn Gibson, Jean Jacobs, Dricka Meyer, Terri Michael, Sue Ann Palmer, Ruhamuh Strite, Donna Yost and Grace Vass. The following were absent: Diana Carpenter, Judy C, Hannah Geffert, Peggy Humphrey, Judy Pugh and Mona Hayford.,

SECRETARY'S REPORT: The October minutes were graciously submitted by Judy Childs and distributed at the meeting. There were no corrections. A motion was made to accept the minutes, which was duly seconded. M/S/P.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Jean reported a \$10 addition to the balance. It was noted that the Meal on Wheels donation needs to be sent.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY: Lynn sent out a sympathy card to Theoda Becker whose grandson was recently killed in a motorcycle accident.

PROJECTS: Care of the parks is completed for this year. Donna cleaned out the barrels we planted up at WMP.

OLD BUSINESS:

- All Ads for the House and Garden Tour were verified and returned with the designation of "Save" or "Change ad" or "Refund"
- Gateway and Windflower Garden clubs will host "Happy Retreat" in Charles Town in the upcoming House and Garden Tour scheduled for April 23-24, 2022.

NEW BUSINESS:

- GGC will decorate the Circulation Desk to Files cabinets in the Martinsburg Library for Christmas. Kathie Campbell will head up a committee to check out what and how to decorate the library. Christmas decorating will take place on Nov 19 at 10:00am.
- December 9 is our Christmas luncheon at the Bavarian Inn. Menu selections will be emailed out. In lieu of gift exchange, we will donate to the [RAPP](#) -Relatives as Parents Program. A motion was made to collect donations at the Christmas luncheon and have Kathie C drop them off at United Way for RAPP, which was duly seconded. M/S/P.

The next meeting is our luncheon at Bavarian Inn.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:40 PM.

Refreshment were served by Kathie Campbell.

Pam Wagoner demonstrated how to create a fall flower arrangement and how to swap out fall for Christmas. Afterward we created our own floral arrangements with Pam helping us along the way.

Kathy Gerken,  
Recording Secretary