

Highland Lakes Master Gardener Association

Minutes for General Meeting

June 11, 2024

Hybrid Meeting from the Burnet AgriLife Auditorium and via Zoom

Call to Order: Jennifer McMillan (Vice-President) called the meeting to order at 2:02pm. Terri Winter was not present due to family emergency.

Attendance: In person: 44 members, 4 guests; via Zoom: 15 members

Jennifer asked if there were any visitors attending, welcomed them and then asked if they had any questions about joining HLMGA to please see her or Julie Sartor.

Jennifer introduced our speaker, Willard Horn. He gave a presentation on "Water Conservation with Xeri-scaping Landscaping"

Jennifer thanked Virginie Lamb for setting up refreshments, and thanked all those who brought snacks to share. She reminded everyone that bringing a snack to the meeting also earns 1 hour of VS.

Break: 3:00pm

Business Meeting: Jennifer called the meeting back to order at 3:18pm

May General Meeting minutes were approved as emailed and published on the website.

May financials were approved as emailed and published on the website.

Project updates were given as follows:

Burnet Farmer and Craft Market: We are in need of volunteers for June 29th. Please contact Linda Stoneking if you can help. flyingmom4@yahoo.com

Burnet County Area Fair: Roxanne Dunegan thanked all the volunteers who helped make this year's fair a great success. We had several HLMGA members who entered and ribbons were won! Roxanne encouraged everyone to have fun and participate in next year's exhibits.

Lawn and Garden Show - 2025: Roxanne also announced that Marybeth Edeen has accepted the Coordinator position for next year's Lawn and Garden Show.

She also asked if there was anyone interested in being the "Quilt Mother" to coordinate development of the new quilt for next year's Lawn and Garden Show. Please contact Roxanne or Marybeth if you are interested.

Oaks Nursing Home Courtyard Garden: Volunteers are needed to help with this garden. Please contact Donna Cagle if you can help. dgcagle@gmail.com

The Garden at Trinity Episcopal Church in Marble Falls: Kerry Nyquist noted that everything is growing well and they can use volunteers to help. With the weather heating up they are starting at 8:00am on M-W-F.

Jennifer reminded everyone that the next Green Thumb Program will be June 20th, 2:00-3:00pm at the AgriLife Extension Auditorium. Martelle Luedecke will give a presentation on "Companion Gardening". Attendees earn 1 hour of AT.

Our next General Meeting will be held on July 9, 2024 at 2:00pm at the AgriLife auditorium. We will not meet in August.

Meeting adjourned: 3:45pm

Submitted by:

Terri Clark/Recording Secretary