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# GARDEN CLUB



**MAY 2017 NEWSLETTER**  
**NEXT MEETING: May 2, 2017**  
**WHERE: BREAKFAST AT THE GREENHOUSE**  
**TIME: 9:00AM**

## **PRESENTATION**

There will be no formal meeting in the Lecture Hall.

We will be having our meeting at the Beardsley Rec. Center just outside of the Greenhouse/Planting Garden. After a short meeting, we will have breakfast and you will be able to tour the Greenhouse and Courtyard to see what has been going on. Some of the "CREW" will be there to answer your questions. The Beardsley Rec. Center is located at Beardsley Road and 128<sup>th</sup> – parking lot on 128<sup>th</sup>.

Breakfast will consist of: Croissant Sandwich (Scrambled eggs, slice of baked ham, Swiss Cheese on a freshly baked croissant), Country Style Potatoes, Seasonal Fresh Fruit and Orange Juice. Coffee/water will be supplied by the club.

**If you have any ceramic pots suitable for dish gardens or planting and want to donate them to a good cause, please bring them to the breakfast. The Greenhouse Crew is selling the dish gardens so fast they are running out. Any size will be appreciated.**

## **FUTURE ACTIVITIES PLANNED**

1. May 2<sup>nd</sup> – Breakfast by the Greenhouse – 9:00AM
2. May 5<sup>th</sup> – Greenhouse plant sale – 8a to 10a (**LAST OF THE SEASON**)

## **INFORMATION ON CIRCULATING PETITIONS**

A situation arose while we were on our trip to Boyce Thompson with circulating petitions. The day after our trip, Ray Kamka went to the Administrative Office of the Rec. Center and talked to Peggy Augustine regarding the situation and was told that under no circumstances are petitions to be circulated, whether we are on SCW grounds or OUT on a trip. Below is the information she sent to Ray on April 5, 2017.

**From:** Peggy Augustine [<mailto:peggy.augustine@suncitywest.com>]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, April 5, 2017 10:14 AM  
**To:** garden club  
**Cc:** Cindy Knowlton  
**Subject:** support causes

Issue regarding person bringing petition to a Garden club event soliciting signatures on a petition that is not club business.

In the Rules, Regulations and Procedures in the preamble page 1 Article II Section C it addresses Chartered Clubs shall not endorse or support **causes/propositions** or candidates for elective office other than their own internal elections. Solicitation of signatures, campaigning endorsing, passing of election literature, addressing the members, or any other non-club election activity is prohibited during club meetings or functions. If this has

anything to do with the tennis courts petition going around instructions have been given to the group by the governing Board Manager as to how to conduct themselves.

If you need more information please contact Cindy Knowlton at [cindy.knowlton@suncitywest.com](mailto:cindy.knowlton@suncitywest.com), Sharon Schomer, Governing Board Manager at 623-544-6115 or Cathy Peterson, General Manager's Management Assistant 623-544-6110.

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### **SAFE TRAVELS**

Whether you are leaving to go to cooler areas or staying here and taking short trips, we wish you all safe travels. Our next meeting will be Tuesday, September 5, 2017. See you then.

### **ANOTHER BIG THANKS FROM THE GARDEN CLUB**

Thanks to all of you who came and helped with the moving of the potting soil. With all your help, you got the job done in about one-half hour. Thanks and get some rest over the Summer.

### **MONTHLY PLANT SALE**

The monthly plant sale is the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of each month at the Beardsley Greenhouse. **The next sale is May 5, 2017, 8-10 AM. LAST SALE UNTIL SEPTEMBER! Bring a friend!**

### **MEMBER INFORMATION UPDATE**

If your e-mail address, mailing address, and/or phone number has changed, please let Carole know at the next meeting, or send Ray an E-mail to ( [raycool@cox.net](mailto:raycool@cox.net) ) with the correct information.

### **CLUB WEBSITE**

For all those with internet access, please visit our club's website at [www.garden.scwclubs.com/](http://www.garden.scwclubs.com/). Click on the various pages (Home, Announcements, Photos of Activities and Organization, etc.) for club information, pictures from our various activities, are available for viewing on the **Photos of Activities** page.

### **MASTER GARDENER**

The public can reach Master Gardeners at 602-827-8201.