

2024 April Membership Meeting

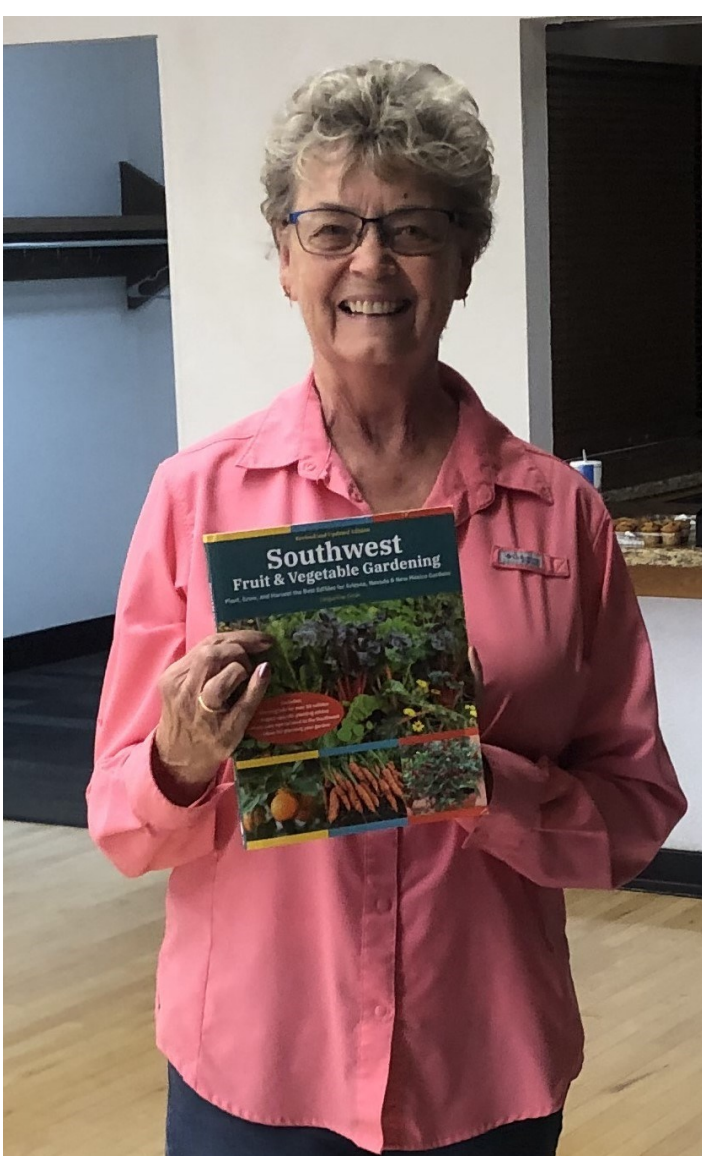
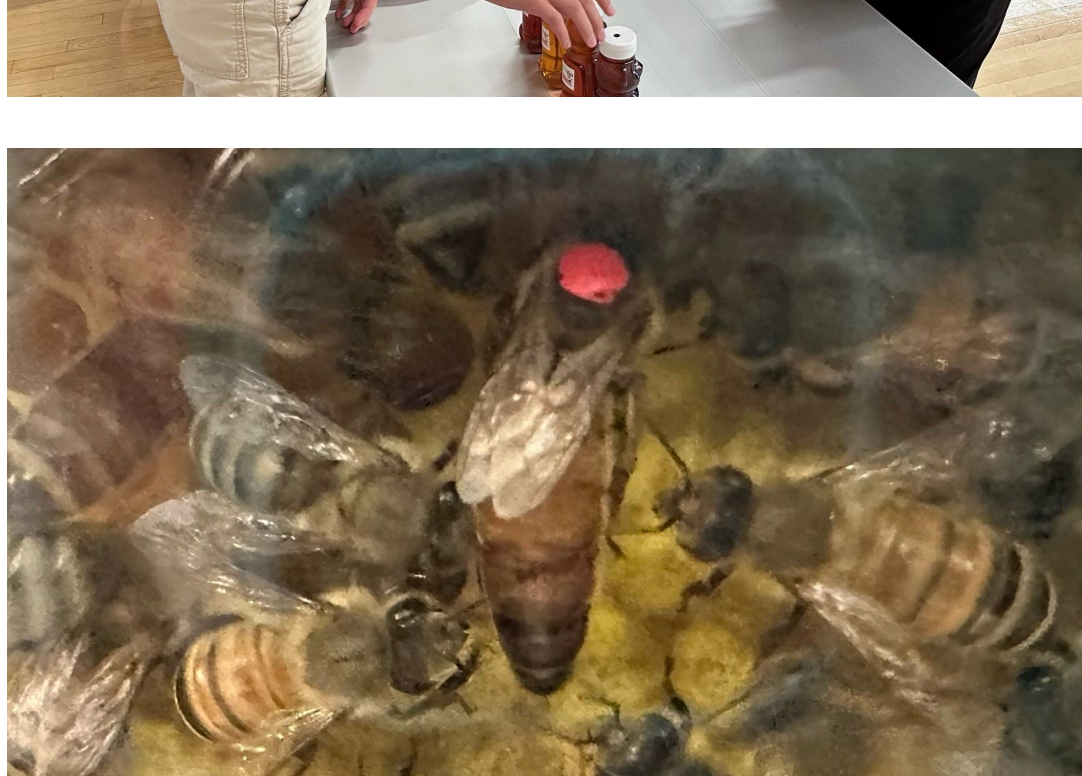
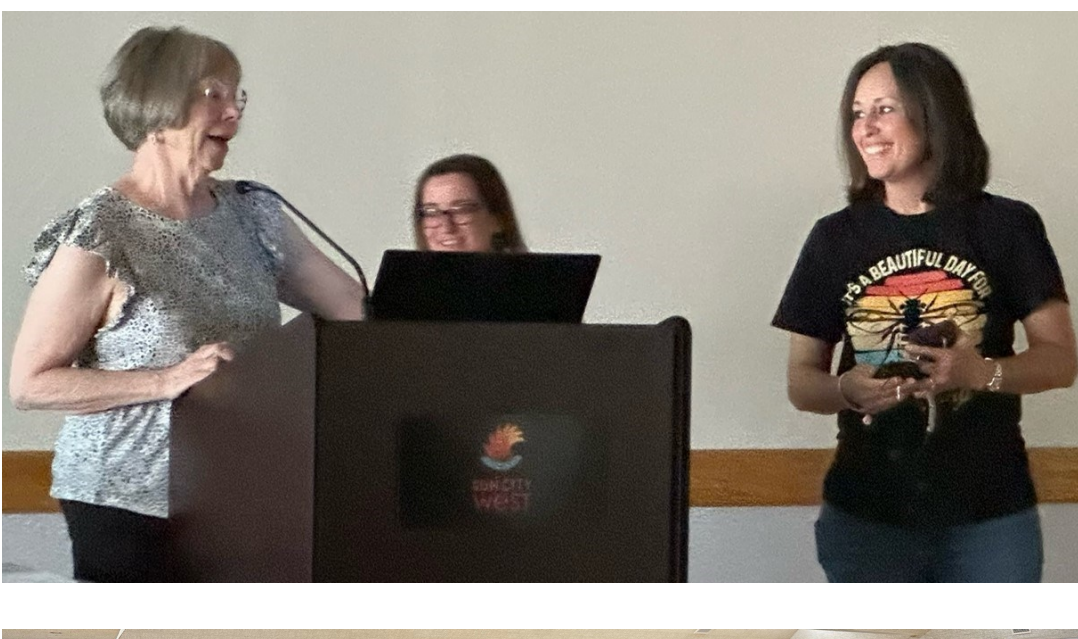
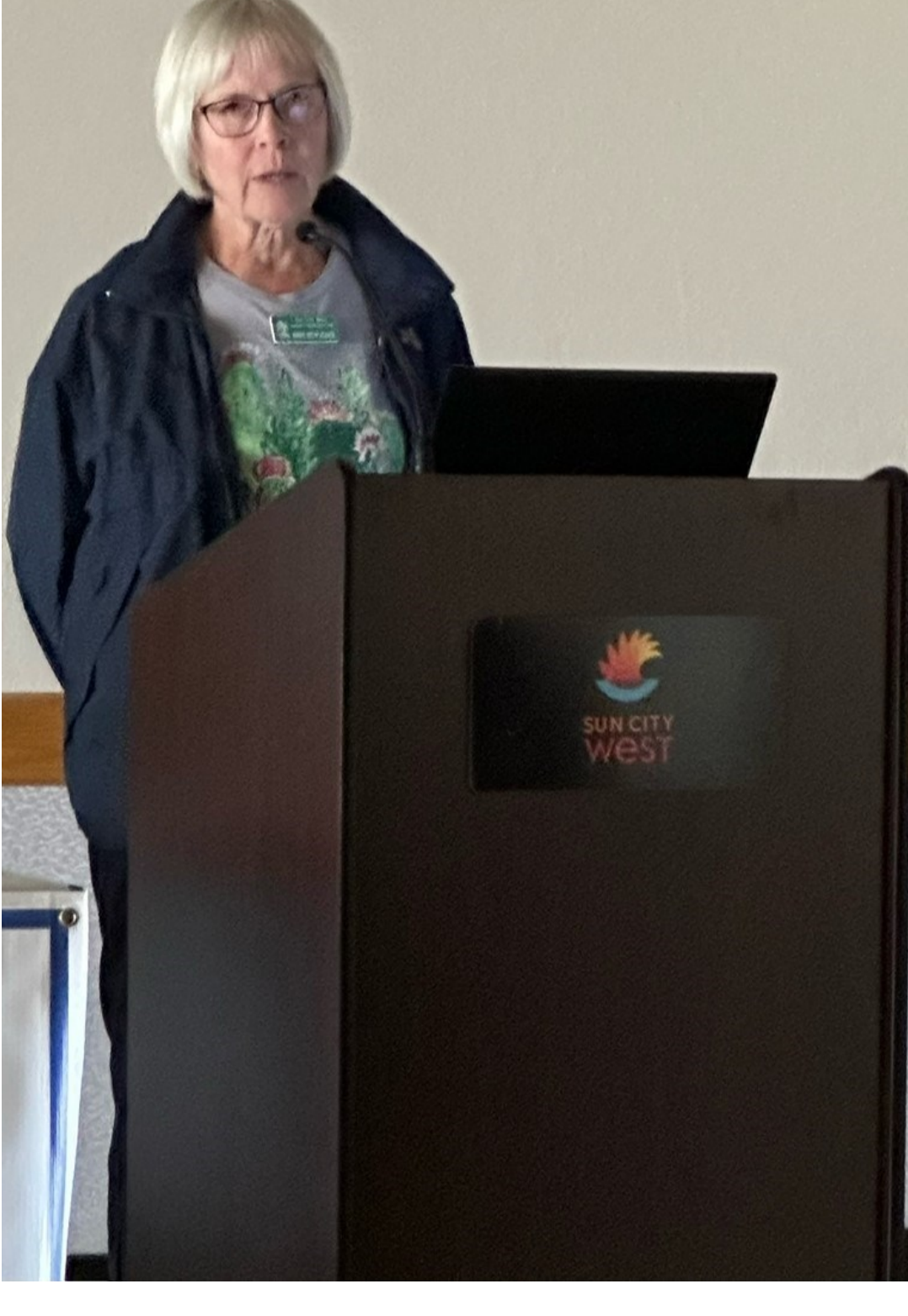
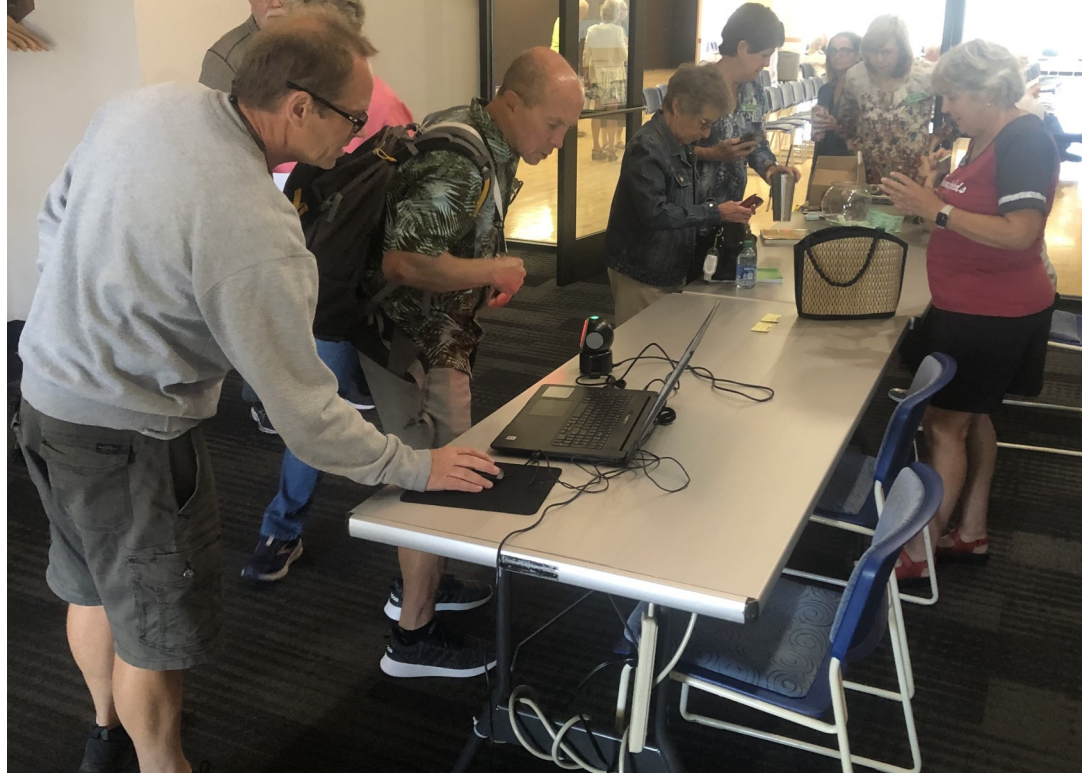
President Julia Miller began the meeting by recognizing all of the work done by so many of the club's members. From harvesting to sales, she pointed out the many hours spent making the organization a success.

She then called on Sandy Warmuth, Mary Beth Kunze, and Mike Anderson to report on social activities, educational events, and the greenhouse operations.

A proposal to donate \$15,000 to 501(c)(3) charities serving the Sun City West community was unanimously approved.

Jeanette Johnson introduced the featured speaker, Master Beekeeper Connie Moore, owner of Honey Hive Farms. Her presentation, Helping Honey Bees, was lively as well as informative. Her love of the bees was obvious as she explained many aspects in getting honey to market such as the roles each type of bee takes on in the hive. She brought a case with live bees including a queen that gave the members a chance to get close to the action without fear of being stung. With her son's help, she offered free taste samples of her bees' honey and sold several bottles of the product.

The meeting ended with four people winning door prizes.



Door prize winner Sherry Clark

Door prize winner Mary Beth Kunze

Door prize winner Patricia Thomas



Door prize winner Jeanette Johnson