

Oriental Woman's Club Garden Club
September 17, 2019 Minutes

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Linda Parker at 9:15 am at the clubhouse.

Other members present were Lee Duer, Carol McAdoo, Gay Webster, Cindy Porter, Jean Chastang, Gwen Rhodes, Jennifer Walsh, Carolyn Ellis, Betsy Hughes and Sharon Morgan.

Linda Parker welcomed everyone back from summer vacation with a special welcome to Cindy Porter after the loss of her husband. She stated that a trip to New Bern for tour of Tryon Palace Gardens and a trolley tour is scheduled for Oct. 15. Cost is \$18 and only offered twice during the day for a 2 hr. excursion. She felt that an additional workshop was needed to complete painting of the clay pots and possibly some other items that could be offered at the Bazaar on 11/16. Everyone agreed to cancel the trip to New Bern and concentrate on workshops for the Bazaar. A second workshop will be held on Oct. 15, 9 am. There was discussion of other items that could be made.

Betsy Hughes proposed giving a donation of a tree at a cost of approximately \$100 to Lynne and Marc Kaplan in memory of their son, Eddie. They have been a part of the Oriental Tree Board for years and it was agreed that this would be a lovely living gift in his honor. Donations of \$10 were collected by Linda and Betsy will investigate and make the purchase.

There being no further business, meeting was adjourned and painting of clay pots began.

Submitted by
Jean Chastang, Secretary