

# Garden Club 2018 November Newsletter

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**Message from Chairman Betsy**: Hopefully we are through with hurricanes for the year and next several years. Our hearts go out to the people of the Panhandle of FL. Our devastation from Florence and Michael has no comparison to that. Apologize for some confusion on dates and times of meetings and activities. Hopefully it is all correct in this newsletter.

## November Activities:

- Our workshop to make new and refurbish existing <u>Holiday ornaments</u> for the Town Hall and Post Office is Wednesday November 14 at the clubhouse, 10 am for refreshments. Gwen Rhodes and Jennifer Walsh are hostesses. Lee Duer and Linda Parker will lead us in ornament making/refurbishing. Bring glue gun, scissors, narrow ribbon and natural embellishments (dried flowers, pine cones, etc.). A few shoe boxes would be helpful to store ornaments. We will also be appointing officers and chairmen for 2019 (see above for list of positions). Please consider volunteering.
- Road clean-up under the Adopt-a-Highway Program is scheduled for Thursday November 15, 9 am. Meet at the parking lot on the corner of HY 55 and Sea Vista. Anne Parker is coordinating if you have any questions.

December Activities: The Holidays are around the corner, so get prepared for a

fun luncheon at <u>Morgan's</u> 17, 11:30 am. Invite friends! Santa gift exchange bring a \$25. Please let Anne Parker plan to attend so she can



<u>Tavern</u> in New Bern on Monday December If you wish to participate in the Secret wrapped gift valued at between \$15 and know by December 13 if you and friends make reservation.



Yard of the Month: Congratulations to Diane and Jerry Miller, 103 Apple Lane, Oriental for winning the November YOM and thank you to Betsy Hughes and Elizabeth Tooley for judging. December judges are Linda Parker, Lee Duer and Jennifer Walsh. December judges should get a \$25 check from OWC Assistant Treasurer Jean Chastang for the best Holiday decoration's winner. The list of winners is attached.

## Other Activities:

- Get your tickets for <u>Meal of the Month</u> fundraiser from Lee Duer. Drawing at the OWC December 4 Holiday Luncheon meeting.
- Get your \$15 tickets for the <u>OWC December 4 Holiday Luncheon</u> and installation of 2019 officers from Linda Parker, Kathy Kolan or any member of the Education Program. Proceeds benefit the scholarship fund. Mary Ellen Ham is catering the luncheon which is sure to be good. Social at 11:30 am with lunch served at noon.
- If you have not heard <u>OWC</u> officers for 2019 are: President Gwen Rhodes, Vice President Marlene Miller, Co-secretaries Anne Parker and Roz Kutchins and Treasurer Deborah Powers. Be sure to congratulate these ladies for volunteering to lead the club in an exciting 2019 year.
- <u>OWC dues</u> of \$50 are due to OWC Assistant Treasurer Jean Chastang no later than the Tuesday January 8 (not January 1) General Meeting. Remember, there are NO GC dues.
- The <u>December EC meeting</u> on Tuesday, December 11, 10 am is a joint meeting of outgoing 2018 and incoming 2019 officers, program chairmen and activity managers/leaders to exchange information and transition to the new administration. If you hold one of these positions be sure to attend.

### **Changes in Meeting Dates Reminder**

- GC Ornament Workshop, Wednesday November 14, 10 am
- GC Holiday Luncheon, Monday December 17, 11:30 am
- OWC General Meeting, Tuesday January 8, 1 pm
- OWC Executive Committee Meeting, Tuesday January 15, 10 am
- GC Planning Meeting for 2019, Tuesday January 22, 9 am



