

PEW Garden Club Minutes

March 7, 2022

NEXT MEETING

Monday April 4, 2022

2:00 P. M.

The Happy Hour Meeting

Bring Appetizers!!

This meeting was dedicated to a presentation by **Rob Wood, local expert on Monarch Butterflies**. And, it was an excellent presentation.

A group of butterflies is called a kaleidoscope

Monarch butterflies need nectar plants

The little critters sometimes called **caterpillars, that develop into butterflies, feed on milkweed.**

Please note the distinction between the actual butterfly and the little critter from which they come.

Rob provided informative handouts regarding the butterfly and issues related to them.

At the April 4 meeting, **Cathy Byrd will discuss growing and supporting earthworms**, some pretty wonderful creatures to have in your garden.

Marilyn and Sally distributed a **February To Do list**. Informative and helpful. March is a good month to prepare for summer and for one thing, to plant tomato seeds; wait for warmer weather to warm up the soil before transferring them to the ground.

Stand by for notices about **future field trips**.

We are still looking for a **Garden Club historian**. Both the pay and working conditions are excellent..

At the next meeting, we can discuss further the idea of having **GC members pick extra fruit from orange, grapefruit, and lemon trees in the complex**. Ann and I responded to one such request, but there was too much fruit for us to deal with.

After refreshments, the door prize, a Shamrock plant, was won by Debbie Stevenson.
