PEW Garden Club Minutes January 3, 2022 NEXT MEETING TO BE DETERMINED

Depending upon the completion of the work being done in the Pavillion Happy New Year to Everyone Let's hope the viruse fades away soon

Meeting called to order at 2:10 p.m. 20 members attended.

Cindy announced there is a balance of \$313 in the account. We're halfway through the budget year.

Debbie continues to do an excellent job of putting Garden Club information in the Hilltopper.

Lynn also continues to do her creative work to keep Garden Club information on the PEW website.

Cheri has a box of garden books that were donated; she'll get them to Eileen for inclusion in the library.

Robin discussed possible future field trips:

February - Waterwise - meet at the clubhouse at 10 a.m. On Friday February 5.

April – San Diego Botanical Gardens

TBD – Japanese Garden – admission is free here on the third Tuesday of each month

TBD - Casa Romantica in San Clemente

TBD – Orchid Farms in Encinitas – limited to 10 to 15 per tour

Ann indicated that in February, she and Merlin will be presenting ideas to the Board about both enhancing the area in front of the clubhouse fountain and about possible locations for the community garden.

A question to consider – should the club offer to be involved in harvesting fruit (oranges, lemons, or grapefruit) from trees in the complex that are full of fruit and are not being picked?? The harvest could be shared with the homeowner, others in the park, and with local food banks. Approval would be needed from the office as well as from the homeowners. More information on this later.

Is anyone interested in becoming the Garden Club historian?? It will be nice to keep a record of the activities and projects the club has been engaged in. Something to think about. Volunteers are welcome!!!

The door prize, a beautiful ceramic bird planter with a succulent, went to Herlinda.