

## PEW GARDEN CLUB Minutes

MONDAY Nov. 6, 2023 2:00 P.M.

**NEXT MEETING – Monday Dec. 4, 2:00 P.M.**

**Introduced** new members -

### Committee Reports –

**Treasurer** – Cindy Palermo – this year's budget allocation is the same as last - \$420.

**Publicity** – Merlin will work with Debbie to get Garden Club news and photos inserted into the Hilltopper.

PEW website – Lynn Thomas

**Secretary** - Alice Eads/ Roger Fricchette

**Librarian** – Helen Doherty

**Education** – Marilyn Chambers and Sally Jeans – theme of the month and "to do list"

**Programs and Field Trips** – Shevaun Teagarden and Cheri Carry

### **BUSINESS MEETING**

**A fall decoration event – bring your "stuff" to decorate pumpkins, wreaths, succulents, and so on. A fun workshop!!!!**

Please bring succulent cuttings and other ornamentations for the holiday decorating workshop similar to last year. Glue guns, wire, wire cutters, Spanish moss and some forms like gourdes/wire wreaths will be provided.

**The Community Garden is looking GOOD!!** Thanks to Merlin and all the others who have done such a nice job of bringing the community garden concept into reality!!!

### **More on the community Garden – HELP NEEDED**

We'd like your input in compiling **ground rules and code of behavior** for the community gardens use. We will have an appointed **head for the community garden** **who** will maintain contact information and facilitate communication. Other duties will include maintaining a master of plot assignments, planning activities and updating the communication board in the garden. Please give it some thought and share those thoughts at the Monday meeting.

## **Craft Fair Booth -**

The garden club will have a booth at the craft fair Saturday November 11th. If you are able and so inclined, **please bring rooted potted plants, labeled if possible, for us to sell.** The proceeds will go into our community garden fund which will allow us to expand and improve the community garden.

**Thursday Nov. 9** – A trip to **Oasis Water Efficient Gardens.** It's located near and just before going into Mt. Meadows Mushroom Farm. Meet in front of the clubhouse at 9 a.m. About a 20 minute drive. If you've been to Mt. Meadows Mushrooms, you've driven past Oasis on your left. For those interested, a side trip to Mt. Meadows to get free mulch would be a great idea!!!

A sign up sheet for **Nov home garden tours** will be circulated at the meeting.

**San Pasqual Valley Soils** will be giving away free mulch again On Saturday November 11. from 7 to 1:30.

**Mountain Meadows Mushroom Farm in Escondido** gives away free mushroom mulch Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Refreshments** – a sign up sheet will be circulated.