

PEW GARDEN CLUB MINUTES

MONDAY March 3rd, 2025 2:00 P.M.

NEXT MEETING – Monday April 7, 2025 2:00 P.M. – Herb Field will be our speaker

**Mark you calendar's now for our May 5, 2025 meeting and Cinco de Mayo Potluck Happy Hour
at Lynn Thomas' home, Spc #67**

Committee Reports

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

Publicity – Hilltopper – Merlin Chancellor

PEW Website – Lynn Thomas

Secretary – Lynne Widdison, Roger Frichette

Librarian – Helen Doherty

Programs – Merlin Chancellor

Field Trips – Robin Green, Cheri Carry,
Shevaun Teegarden

Merlin notified the group that there is a pile of mushroom mulch down at the Community Garden for plot owners use and anyone in the club can go get buckets for their home garden use.

Roger Frichette volunteered to be the club treasurer since Cindy does not have the time to attend our Monday meetings.

Susie Butler has garden worms for anyone that is interested in having some, she has lots!!

Merlin circulated the monthly refreshments calendar for member signups and had a To Do This Time of Year handout which was discussed. The handout is available upon request.

Shevaun & Cheri were absent so no reports as to upcoming field trips. Some ideas are Palomar College Aboretum and campus gardens; San Marcos Creekside Project; Discovery Park; Alta Vista Botanical Gardens; Japanese Garden in Balboa Park; City Farmers Nursery and Nate's Garden Grill restaurant.

The 21st home garden tour in Oceanside on Sunday, March 30th at 2pm. Tour 18 gardens!! Meet at St. Mary's School located at 515 Wisconsin Ave, 1 block East of the 101 Café. Contact Buena Vista Audubon Society at BVAudobon.org or Oceanside Coastal Neighborhood Assn. www.OCNA101.org

Sheila Miller shared that the free mulch give away that occurs at San Pasqual Valley Soils does not happen if it is raining. But she was able to purchase 2 big tubs for just \$4.00... the mud on her car was free! 😊

We would like to get some home garden tours scheduled for after our monthly meetings. Please contact Robin Green, Cheri Carry or Shevaun Teegarden to sign up.

Thank you Lynn Thomas for the tasty and Spring themed treats.