

## **PEW GARDEN CLUB MINUTES**

**MONDAY May 6, 2024 2:00 P.M.**

**NEXT MEETING – Monday June 3 at 2 p.m.**

### **Committee Reports**

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

**Publicity** – Hilltopper – Merlin Chancellor

PEW website – Lynn Thomas

**Secretary** - Alice Eades, Roger Fricette

**Librarian** – Helen Doherty

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

**Programs** – Merlin Chancellor

**Field Trips** – Robin Green, Cheri Carry, Shevan Teagarden

**New members** – Welcome to Tony Messina, space 68, Michael Wilkinson space 375, Robin Wilson, Denise Hickey space 139, and Jetta Russell

### **BUSINESS MEETING**

Herb Fields once again did a nice job of expanding our awareness of problems that can occur in our gardens. This time, he spoke on citrus disease and pests.

#### **Notes -**

**Herlinda** brought a large bouquet of beautiful sweet peas to brighten up the day!

**Lucy** brought two books for the garden library.

Great refreshments by **Susie Butler**

**Additional garden plots** - request for additional plots has been denied. There is concern about the possible impact that additional noise will be disruptive to the neighbors above the new plots.

**May 11, Saturday** – Free mulch from San Pasqual Valley Soils

**May 4 to 27** – San Diego Botanical Garden orchid show. \$7 admission fee.

**May 30 (Thursday) Field Trip** – Lunch at Rodger's Gardens Corona Del Mar. Carpool – meet at clubhouse at 8:30. Drive takes about one hour. Lunch reservation is at 11:30. 2301 San Joaquin Hills Road. RSVP to Merlin if interested. 16 people have signed up so far. Limit is 18.

**June 4** – Trip to Balboa Park Rose Garden – Free!!

**Saturday June 8** - Free mulch from San Pasqual Valley Soils

**July 4** – Community garden street party

**Thank you or Nice Job cards** – Ann has developed a card to be used to thank PEW residents for having a nice garden at their home. The card will encourage non garden club members to consider joining the Garden Club. If any of you see a nice garden or have one that you think is worthy of mention, just let Ann know and she will prepare a card and get it to the space number you designate.

**Amend soil** – Miracle Grow, peat moss, and mushroom mulch..

Fertilize every 30 days during growing season