

“Columbia Underground”

Member National Garden Club, Federated Garden Clubs of Missouri, and Central District

Upcoming Event

October 8th, Monthly meeting, Callaway Fields Nursery, in Mexico, MO. (note time and details below).

October 10 Central District Fall Meeting in Mexico, MO.- Carpooling will be discussed at the Oct. 8th meeting.

October 22 CGC 2019 Dues must be paid and sent to Evette Nissen by this date.

November 5 CGC monthly meeting (location & date change) 1pm at HyVee upstairs.



“Juncos arrive from Canada”

CGC Monthly Meeting October 8

The CGC meeting will be at Callaway Fields Nursery in Mexico, MO. We will **meet at 9:30 at Lowes parking lot** in front, close to Staples for carpooling. **Bring a chair.** Betty will have maps for traveling to Callaway Fields. John Graham, owner will talk with CGC members about succulents. Members will be able to make an arrangement in a pumpkin or other container (at members expense) if you wish. After leaving the nursery we will eat in Mexico at Stacy's Place. Bring money to pay 2019 member dues.

CGC Dues for 2019

It's time to pay your 2019 CGC member dues. The cost is \$20. Checks should be made to CGC and given to Evette Nissen at our October 8th meeting or mailed to her by October 22 so that she can send money to FGCM for our club. Evette's address is 10721 South La Vista; Columbia, MO 65202.
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Central District Fall Meeting

You are invited to join Mexico Federated Garden Club to “Celebrate Missouri’s Fabulous Fall,” at the Central District Fall Meeting in Mexico, Missouri, October 10, 2018. Meeting will be held at the Audrain County 4-H Center, 2109 Highway D, South of Mexico.

Refreshments and registration will begin at 9:00 a.m. The business meeting will begin promptly at 9:45 a.m. Central District Presidents will give a 3-minute report on their club activities and projects for 2018.

After lunch the program will be presented by John Graham of Callaway Fields Nursery.

Registration cost for the meeting and lunch is \$15.00 per person. This should go to CGC treasurer for her to mail one check for all members attending.

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CGC Flower Show September 15

The September 15 CGC flower show was a success again this year. Thanks to all CGC members that helped make this happen. We had many visitors through the show. It was good to see several college age attendees at the show this year. The show received enough points to apply for an FGCM award. Now a book of evidence will be made and sent in.

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Flower Show School

Central Missouri Judges Council is sponsoring a 4 Course Flower Show School here at the Boone County Extension Office. The first course will be held on May 17 & 18, 2019. The first day iris and crabapples will be studied. The second day will be spent on studying color theory, design principles and elements. Anyone may attend this school for the educational value or for credit to become a credentialed judge. We will have flyers at the next several meetings or contact Barb Schuette or Marie Pasley for info.

CGC September 10, 2019 Meeting Minutes

Columbia Garden Club held the September 10 meeting at McAdam's LTD. Many members

brought plants to add to the gardens that are being developed in the hope they can be named a Monarch Way Station. Members arrived at 11 to browse through the merchandise and enjoy the wonderful snacks provided by McAdam's.

Carolyn Oates called the meeting to order. The minutes of the August meeting were approved. Although there wasn't a Treasurers Report, she announced that the Betty Gladney memorial contributions now total \$2,013.00.

Old Business

The Fall District meeting will be in Mexico, MO on October 10. Carolyn said she would take the checks for the registration or they could be mailed to Evette.

The Flower Show is scheduled for September 15 with set up on Friday afternoon starting at 2:00pm. The back door will be open at 7:30am for contributors to bring their horticulture specimens and designs. Marie asked that more people sign up to do designs. There were some horticulture tips provided-clean bottles, wedge the stems. It was also determined that we still needed 4 Clerks so Betty Connelly, Karen Blackmore, and Marsha Taylor joined Rita Gerke.

New Business

Since 2019 will be the 100th anniversary of Columbia Garden Club, a committee was formed to decide how we will celebrate. 8 members signed up and Marie agreed to chair it.

It was pointed out that due to the change in time and location of today's meeting there was some confusion as to the timing of the business meeting and luncheon.

The October meeting is a field trip to Callaway Fields in Mexico, MO. We will meet to car pool at the Lowe's parking lot on the east side so we can leave at 9:30. Lunch will be at Stacey's Place in Mexico.

The group left McAdams and relocated to Stephen's Park for a picnic potluck. There was lots of delicious dishes and good conversation.

Submitted by,
Betty Connelly