

Flint Hills Daylily Society
2 February 2015 Minutes

Kathy Foster, President, called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm at the Seniors Service Center, 301 North Fourth Street, Manhattan, KS. Thirty-one people were present. Introduced new member - Lou Irwin.

Program presented by Ann Redmon. She shared pointers and pictures of her hybridizing efforts.

Minutes from the 9/22/14 Annual Banquet were not provided. Carla will send the 9/22/14 minutes with the 2/2/15 minutes for the April 21 meeting.

Ruby Zabel, Treasurer, provided several reports on checkbook balance and recap of the 2014 transactions. Also provided the 2015 membership roster. Any changes, please send to Ruby.

Committees

Banquet – Maureen Thien – aiming for 9/14/15

Bloom Display – Karen Hawes – suspended due to Regional meeting

Daylily Drawings – Frank Schmeidler/Jim Parker – business as usual.

Farmer's Market sale(s) – Ernie Minton – not present; nothing to report.

Media Specialist/Librarian – Linda Marston – plant labeler is available to members

Member's Garden Tour – Jim Parker/Frank Schmeidler – suspended due to Regional meeting

Membership – Gary McKenzie – trying to reach out to everyone

Nominating – Steve Amy, Steve Thien, Kathy Foster – nothing to report at this time

Photo Contest – Steve Thien – rules for contest discussed; suggestions taken into consideration

Programs – Christopher Renner – April 20 meeting will be devoted to plans for the Region 11 conference; June meeting is planned to be Manhattan's city garden planner; a long-time member of FHDS will be asked to present a historical view of the club in August; Plan for September's meeting will be a regional daylily expert.

Refreshments – Kent Foster – Still needs volunteers for hosting future meetings.

Summer Regional Meeting – Steve Amy – sign up sheets went around; further info to be provided at the April meeting.

Webmaster – Ruby Zabel – will add regional conference info to website.

Policies and Procedures – all committee chairs are asked to write their duties and practices down. The plan is to create a manual for future chairs to help ease the transition of duties to new people. Kathy would like the information by the August meeting so the manual will be available by the Sept. meeting.

Upcoming Events

Region 11 Winter Gathering 13-15 February, Independence, Missouri

National Meeting 10-14 June, Atlanta, Georgia

Region 11 Summer Meeting 10-12 July, Manhattan, Kansas

New Business – Return (babysitting) plants are to be brought to the August meeting.

Adjournment

Next meeting 20 April 2015

Flint Hills Daylily Society
20 April 2015 Minutes

Kathy Foster, President, called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm at the Seniors Service Center, 301 North Fourth Street, Manhattan, KS. Thirty-two people were present. Introduced new member – Jordan Ordoyne (sp?) and guest Michaela Baker.

Program was presented by Steve Amy, coordinator of the Regional 11 meeting hosted by FHDS this July. A nice slide show of the seven host gardens was shown. Steve then provided a hand-out giving breakdown of the plans so far and what was still coming. Per Carla Bishop, twenty-one registrations have been received. Members of FHDS who are working the event will pay reduced registration fees of \$50 per person. Registration cut-off is July 1. Discussion ensued re: registration bags, guest plants (about 419), food in the gardens, auction (80 plants per Ann), soliciting vendors for boutique tables, received \$400 donation for hospitality, etc. Sign-up sheets were sent around again, still needing members to fill in the gaps to make the event a fun one for all people.

BUSINESS MEETING

Minutes from the 9/22/14 Annual Banquet and 2/2/2015 meeting were submitted. Redmon motioned and Makenzie seconded to accept minutes; Motion passed.

Ruby Zabel, Treasurer, provided current membership roster for 2015 and checkbook balance including transactions by category.

Committees

- Banquet – Maureen Thien – scheduled for 9/14/15 at the Senior Service Center.
- Bloom Display – Karen Hawes – suspended due to Regional meeting
- Daylily Drawings – Frank Schmeidler/Jim Parker – business as usual.
- Farmer's Market sale – Ernie Minton sent e-mail on 4/26 proposing dates of 8/22 or 8/29.
- Media Specialist/Librarian – Linda Marston – plant labeler is available to members
- Member's Garden Tour – Jim Parker/Frank Schmeidler – suspended due to Regional meeting
- Membership – Gary McKenzie – trying to reach out to everyone
- Nominating – Steve Amy, Steve Thien, Kathy Foster – nothing to report at this time
- Photo Contest – Steve Thien – rules for contest discussed; suggestions taken into consideration
- Programs – Chris Renner – June meeting will have Manhattan's city garden planner give a presentation.
- Refreshments – Kent Foster – Recognition of this meeting's providers was given.
- Summer Regional Meeting – Steve Amy – see Program info.
- Webmaster – Ruby Zabel – still in update mode.

Policies and Procedures – REMINDER – all committee chairs are asked to write their duties and practices down. The plan is to create a manual for future chairs to help ease the transition of duties to new people. Kathy would like the information by the August meeting so the manual will be available by the Sept. meeting.

Upcoming Events

National Meeting 10-14 June, Atlanta, Georgia; Region 11 Summer Meeting 10-12 July, Manhattan, Kansas

REMINDER – Return (babysitting) plants are to be brought to the August meeting.

Adjournment – Next meeting 1 June 2015

Flint Hills Daylily Society
1 June 2015 Minutes

Kathy Foster, President, called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm at the Seniors Service Center, 301 North Fourth Street, Manhattan, KS. Thirty-two people were present.

Program was presented by Wyatt Thompson with the City of Manhattan's Park Dept. Wyatt discussed the various plans the City is considering in making the parks more user-friendly. Drawings were presented of the various ideas.

BUSINESS MEETING

Minutes from the 4/20/2015 meeting were submitted. Renner motioned and Markham seconded to accept minutes; Motion passed.

Ruby Zabel, Treasurer, provided checkbook balance.

Committees

Banquet – Maureen Thien not present, however Banquet is still scheduled for 9/14/15 at the Senior Service Center.

Daylily Drawings – Frank Schmeidler/Jim Parker – All guest (babysitting) plants are to be returned at the August meeting. Reminder notices were handed to the responsible individuals.

Farmer's Market sale – Ernie Minton – set for 8/22/2015.

Media Specialist/Librarian – Linda Marston – No report.

Membership – Gary McKenzie – No report.

Nominating – Steve Amy, Steve Thien, Kathy Foster – No report.

Photo Contest – Steve Thien – Handout re: rules were presented. Entries due 8/30/2015.

Programs – Chris Renner – August meeting will have a member provide his/her history w/FHDS.

Refreshments – Kent Foster – Recognition of this meeting's providers was given: Kromm, Benton, Lacey, Lauer, and Bishop.

Webmaster – Ruby Zabel – still in update mode.

Yearbook – Zabel / Lauer – No report.

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Upcoming Events

National Meeting 10-14 June, Atlanta, Georgia; Region 11 Summer Meeting 10-12 July, Manhattan, Kansas

Old Business: Region 11 conference; Voted to have purple shirts for those interested.

Daylily Drawing: Plants from Woodhenge & Thoroughbred.

Adjournment – Next meeting 3 August 2015

Flint Hills Daylily Society
3 August 2015 Minutes

Kathy Foster, President, called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm at the Seniors Service Center, 301 North Fourth Street, Manhattan, KS. Twenty-seven people were present.

Program was presented by Martha Miller, one of the original FHDS' chapter members. She gave insight into the daylily plant itself and how the interest in hybridizing grew. Shared photos of some of the first "newbies" brought to Manhattan, KS.

BUSINESS MEETING

- Minutes from the 6/1/2015 meeting were submitted. CJ Bishop motioned and M Quinlan seconded to accept minutes; Motion passed.
- Ruby Zabel, Treasurer, provided checkbook balance. Made a profit with Fantasy in the Flint Hills conference.
- Steve Thien introduced "H. Marion Q", new daylily hybridized by Steve and registered with American Hemerocallis Society.
- Kathy Foster took orders from everyone for the new daylily book, \$13.00 each.
- Region 11 daylily auction is in process.

Committees

Banquet – Maureen Thien affirmed Banquet is still scheduled for 9/14/15 at the Senior Service Center. Gather by 6:00 pm, eat at 6:30. Cost is \$11.50 per person. Must reserve and pay by 9/9/2015.

Farmer's Market sale – Ernie Minton – 8/22/2015 at Farmers Market. Price plants at minimum of \$5, unless unknown then \$4.

Membership – Gary McKenzie is recovering. Jo Lyle is taking over duties of this chair. Bobbi Kromm is ill.

Nominating – Steve Amy, Steve Thien, Kathy Foster – Looking For volunteers; election at Sept mtng

Photo Contest – Steve Thien – Handout re: rules were presented. Entries due 8/30/2015.

Programs – Chris Renner – working out details for speaker at the 9/14 mtng.

Refreshments – Kent Foster – This meeting's providers were: Hall, Lyle, Zabel, & Memarian.

Webmaster – Ruby Zabel – still in update mode.

Policies and Procedures – REMINDER – all committee chairs are asked to write their duties and practices down. The plan is to create a manual for future chairs to help ease the transition of duties to new people. Kathy would like the information by the August meeting so the manual will be available by the Sept. meeting. Has write-ups from President, Banquet, Bloom Display, Member's Garden Tour, and Refreshments.

Upcoming Events

Presale potluck at Linda Marston's home on August 21. Bring daylilies ready for selling. Eat around 6:00.

Daylily sale on August 22 at the Farmers' Market.

Old Business: Region 11 conference is completed. No other report.

Daylily Drawing: Plants from Patti Waterman.

Adjournment – Next meeting is Annual Banquet on 14 September 2015

Flint Hills Daylily Society
14 September 2015 Annual Banquet

Social hour began at 6:00 pm. Dinner began at 6:30 pm. Meal was fried chicken with baked beans, potato salad, apple salad, rolls, and ice cream sundaes for dessert, catered by Hyvee. Thanks to Maureen Thien for her wonderful planning.

Kathy Foster, President, called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm at the Seniors Service Center, 301 North Fourth Street, Manhattan, KS. Thirty-two members were present.

PROGRAM - Photographs submitted by membership were on display. Everyone was to cast his/her ballot for the best photo in six different categories. Winners are:

Landscape: 1st -Pam Lauer, 2nd - Ann Redmon
Individual Bloom, full form: 1st - Linda Marston, 2nd - Carla Bishop
Individual Bloom, double form: 1st - Ruby Zabel, 2nd - Linda Marston
Individual Bloom, UFO/spider: 1st - Ernie Minton, 2nd - Steve Thien
Multi-bloom/clump: 1st - Kathy Foster, 2nd - Ann Redmon
Artistic Garden: 1st - Maureen Thien, 2nd - Kathy Foster

The new FHDS Policies & Procedures Manual was coordinated by Kathy Foster and sent out via e-mail to the membership.

The daylily sale on August 22 went well.

New officers were elected.

President - Christopher Renner
Co-Vice-Presidents - Lou Irwin & Laura Hall
Secretary - Shirley Masterson
Treasurer - Pam Lauer

Adjournment - See you in February 2016.