



Evergreen Garden Club

WILD IRIS

April, 2016

April Program

How to Build and Utilize a Scarecrow

Presented by Master Gardener Charlotte

March Program

The Secret Life of Bees

Presented by Tupper Briggs



Tupper Briggs presented information about the enjoyment and challenges of keeping bees.

Next Meeting

Tuesday

April 12th, 2016

Bergen Park Firehouse

Social Time 9:00-9:30

Meeting at 9:30 am

APRIL BIRTHDAYS!

April Birthdays:

Jeff Davidson

Jeri Dufford

Cindy Gibson

Jo Overton

Bev Wickland

Jean Lipson

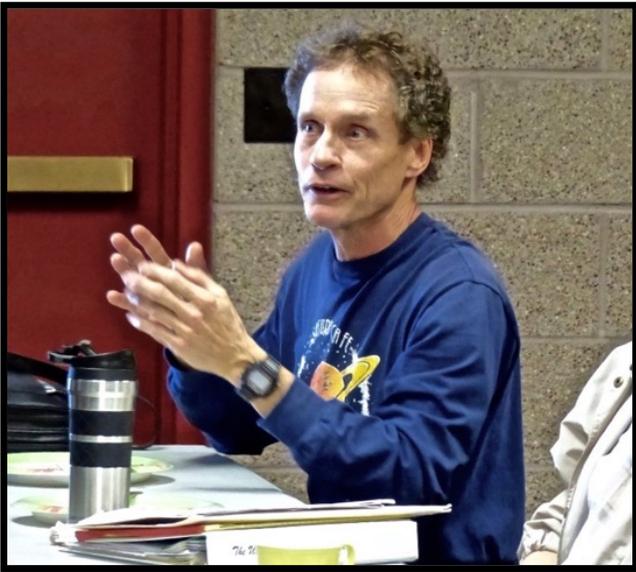
Louise Mounsey

Ivy Parish

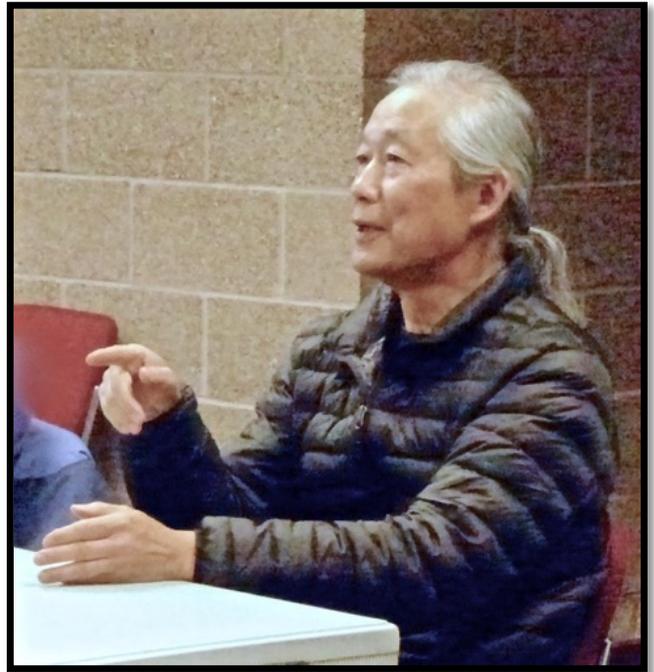
Please Volunteer for one of our Positions for 2016-2017 (June-June?)

President
2nd Vice President
Newsletter

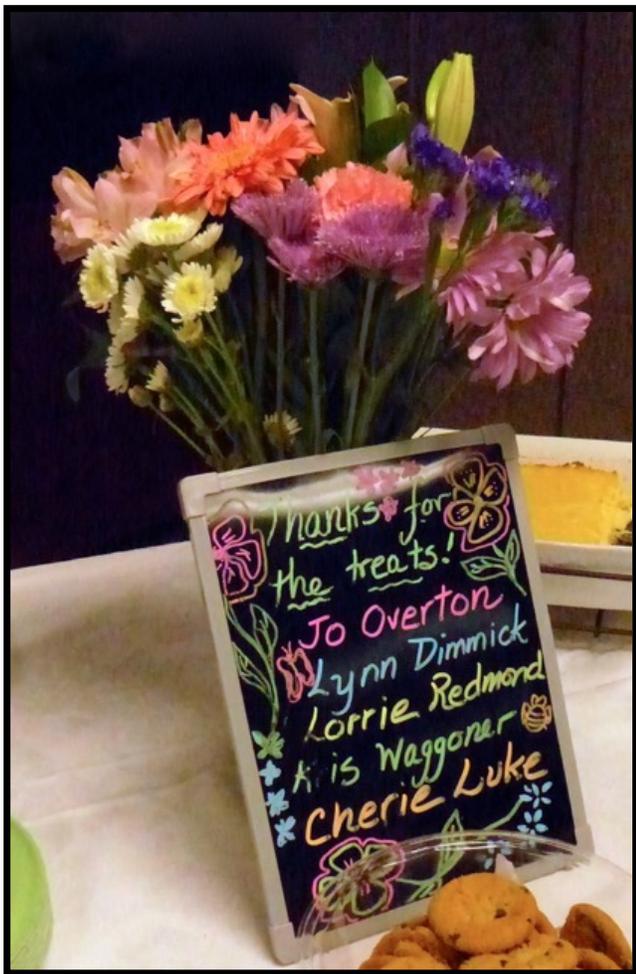
Descriptions of ALL positions in our club are listed in the back of our Membership Directory and includes job descriptions and committee coordinator responsibilities.



Jeff Davidson shares his experience as a beekeeper.



Ned Ning, also a beekeeper, explains some of the differences between queens, drones and worker bees.



Refreshment table complete with spring flowers.



Linda Fisher adds to the audience participation.

All photos by Margo Constable

An invitation from the Friends of the Conifer Historical Society,

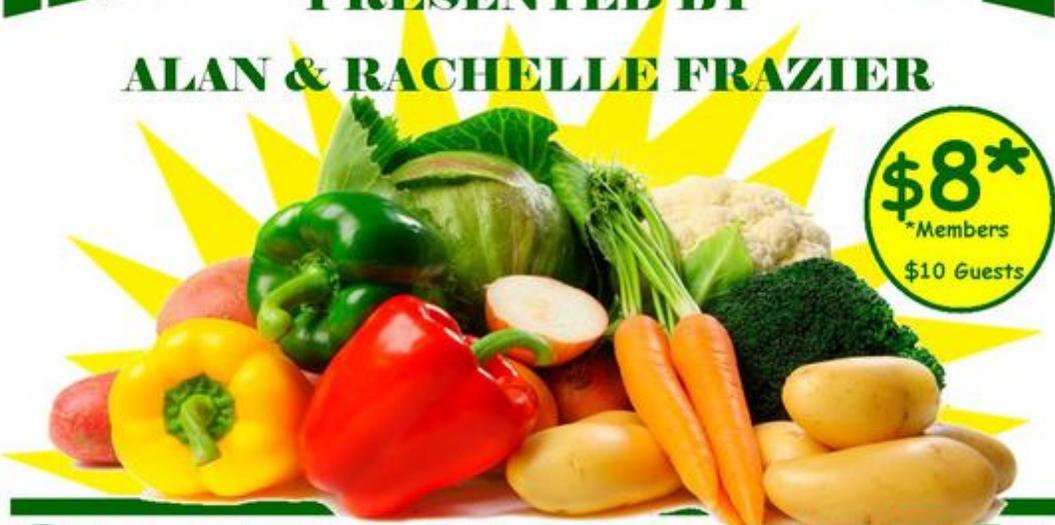
High Altitude Gardening can be accomplished! Alan Frazier and his family have been growing flowers and organic vegetables at 8,500 feet in Conifer, Colorado for forty plus years. During this time, he has enabled his wife to experiment with numerous varieties by creatively troubleshooting the ever-changing demands of a short season rural location. Alan wrote an article on high altitude gardening that was featured in the Rocky Mountain Gardening Magazine (formally known as Zone 4).

CONIFER HISTORICAL SOCIETY

HIGH ALTITUDE

PRESENTED BY

ALAN & RACHELLE FRAZIER



\$8*
*Members
\$10 Guests

GARDENING

SUNDAY, APRIL 3 1:00

RSVP 303-396-5975

LITTLE WHITE SCHOOLHOUSE

26951 BARKLEY RD.

www.ConiferHistoricalSociety.org

26th Annual Summit County Garden Tour

Saturday July 23, 2016

Time: Registration: 8:30 – 11:00 a.m. (no later) on July 23

Place: All tour guests must check in on tour day at the Summit County Community & Senior Center
83 Nancy's Place, Frisco
in order to obtain the Tour Garden Guidebook

Cost: Tickets are \$15 if purchased on the day of the tour,
or \$10 if purchased in advance

Details: A self-guided tour (from 9AM to 3PM)
of a selection of beautiful gardens in Summit County.

This year they will be in the southern half of the county in and around Breckenridge. Please check out the website at: summitcountygardenclub.org where additional details will be posted in the near future.

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Sundance by Design

We have been acting like little kids on Christmas Eve...so excited to open our boxes of new spring arrivals! We can't wait to share our fresh finds with you. The cure to Spring Fever: stop in and check us out.

Keep up with all our news and happenings...view our new website and sign up for our newsletter and facebook:

www.sundancegardens.com



To celebrate **Earth Day** we will be having a **Special Sale** on all our recycled, repurposed and "green" (succulents, air plants, potted plants) items: **20 % OFF**. Stop in Friday, April 22 & Saturday, April 23, from 10-5. Pick up some great art, support local artists, AND celebrate Earth Day. Win, win, win!

Evergreen Garden Club Minutes
March 8, 2016

The meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. by Co-Vice-president Lindy Doty, in the absence of President Susan Black due to surgery. Board members present were Co-Vice President Annell Hoy, Secretary, Gloria Owens, Treasurer, Jane Wingquist, absent Technology Officer, Sophia Prado.

Marva Zima welcomed guest, Carol Hanback. Lindy Doty announced the birthdays for March. Ruth Alford, Lucy Ginley, Roseann Paslay, Jane Wingquist, Claire Roberts.

Secretary's report: Gloria Owens announced minutes were in the Wild Iris and asked if there were any corrections to the minutes. Hearing none, the minutes were approved as printed.

Treasurer's report: Jane Wingquist announced the current payment option process for Evergreen Garden Club. Dues can be paid online going to the Membership page of the Wild Iris. Paypal will process the credit card. Smart phone credit card point-of-service sale is being up for membership payments and can be used for ticket purchases during the Garden Tour.

Directory: Annell Hoy announced four new names have been added. The stickers are available at the welcome desk so you may add these new members to your directory.

Program: Lindy Doty announced there will be no "Garden Work Day on May 10. The "How to Build a Scarecrow" program has been changed to the April meeting. The field trip (yet to be decided upon) will be on May 10th meeting instead of June. The June meeting will be a regular meeting with a program.

Technology Office: No report

New Business: Roseann Paslay offered to get donated plants for our public gardens. This offer was discussed at the February 29 Evergreen Garden Club Board Meeting and approved. The garden club budget still is in place so plants may be purchased by the garden leaders. The garden leaders need to proceed to make a "wish list" so Roseann can be on the look out for the plants wanted.

Garden Tour: Lynn Dimmick announced volunteers are needed for the Garden Tour July 16, 2016. Irma Wolf talked about the need for Docents. There will be 28 shifts; 9 – Noon; Noon – 3. Docents will welcome visitors, provide water and have a few tickets available (for \$20) at the door. They will hand out information on the garden and handle safety issues. There will be a flower expert at each garden. All docents involved will go on a pre – tour of the gardens. One garden has backed out.

Committee Reports:

Communications: No report

Publicity: No report

Historian/Photographer: No report

Hospitality: Lorrie Redman and Leslie Jordan need refreshments for the June meeting.

Natural Resources: No report

Public Garden Coordinator: Lynn Dimmick - She will notify garden leaders that Roseann will need their wish list of plants needed for each respective garden.

For the Good of the Order: Linda Fisher reported the Hearty Soups we provided for EchO were making a difference. Lindy Doty announced if anyone had extra plants they would like to give away, bring to the next meeting. With no further business the meeting adjourned at 9:55 a.m. Refreshments were served.

Indy Doty introduced Tupper Briggs and the program “The Secret Life of Bees.”

Respectfully Submitted,
Gloria Owens, Secretary