

TOPSHAM GARDEN CLUB MINUTES

September 9, 2015

Presided by Assistant Treasurer Liz Volckening

ITEMS DISCUSSED:

-Treasurer's report. Checking account balance (8/9/2015) - \$2506.61. Does not include \$150 from the first prize Topsham fair award. Savings account balance \$2506.40 (8/31/2015). The books are ready for review. We are starting the year with more money than anticipated. We renewed our domain name for 3 years. The Friends of the Topsham Library membership was renewed at the premium level which entitles us to sponsorship of the gardening book table at their book sale thereby generating more publicity.

-New Members – Pam LeDuc, Izza Johnson, Nancy Simboli, and Freda Bernotavicz.

-Master Gardener Scholarship. The Medomak District is providing one scholarship per club. Check the website for an application or contact Kathleen Filtranti.

-Daffodil Sale – Deadline is Oct. 1. See the website for more info. You may combine your order with someone else to reach the minimum order of 50.

-Fall Conference is October 27 at the Augusta Civic Center. Deadline for registration is Oct.21. Dr. Tim Howe from Parkview Hospital is one of the speakers. See the website for more information.

-Christmas Project- The idea was brought up for discussion and there wasn't any interest.

-Program – Bob Metivier presented a slide show of his gardens as they have evolved over time.

MOTIONS PASSED:

-To accept the June meeting minutes. (by Marjorie Whipple , second , Alison Harris) Note: No business was conducted in July or August 2015

Respectfully submitted, Barbara McHarg Secretary