



Northeast TN Master Gardener Membership Meeting
Exchange Place, Kingsport, TN
August 2, 2021

ATTENDEES:

Barbara Radice, Barbara Voigt, Brenda Render, Carl Voigt, Cathy Horne, Donna Fowler, Earl Hockin, Heather Duby, Jane Mullins, Karen Rowell, Kathy Wagner, Larry Wagner, Laura Robertson, Margaret Woolery, Mary Cain, Patty Neas, Sharon Good, Sherry Ragsdale, Susie Morrison, Teresa Gaffner, Vern Maddux

CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME

Karen Rowell called the meeting to order and welcomed the Master Gardeners who attended. She announced several upcoming events:

- TEMG State Conference set for June 9, 10, 11th in 2022. Master Gardeners, who work 25 hours or more on the conference before it starts, are eligible for a discount on their registration fee.
- There will be an October NETMGA meeting at the RRAC – more info to come
- MG Class of 2021 to begin this week on Thursday, August 5th with a class size of 39

PRESENTATION BY EARL HOCKIN – FALL VEGETABLE GARDENING

Earl Hockin is a Master Gardener who harvests crops from his vegetable garden all year. The topic for this meeting was fall vegetable gardening. Earl distributed handouts listing the best choices for fall vegetable gardening and their various needs, timing to sow, and lowest temps that they can tolerate. He discussed what to plant and when (mostly now, in early August) for a fall harvest. Handouts are in separate documents sent with this email.

Earl then toured the MGs around the Exchange Place gardens that are tended by MGs.

NEXT MEETING

October 4th member meeting at 6:30pm at The Ron Ramsey Agricultural Center