



Northeast TN Master Gardener Membership Meeting
Ron Ramsey Agricultural Center via Zoom
Date: February 6, 2023

MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE: Ed Basconi, Mary A. Basconi, Andrea Belcher, Carl Belcher, Liz Blakeley, Claire Childs, Gina Clark, Grace Ann Clark, Cameron Coates, Linda Coates, Frank DiCarlo, Sue DiCarlo, Lisa Dishner, Gwen Duncan, Donna Fowler, Edwin Fowler, David Gostonski & spouse, Nancy Haas, Millie Sue Hawk, Charles Hawk, Cheryl Heisey, Martin Heisey, Michelle Hejny, Doug Hilton, John Hitchcock, Earl Hockin, Ben Hunter, Ginny Lapin, Vonda Little, Chris Loveday, Don Lovelace, Mary Ann Lovelace, Vern Maddox, Bob Mazurkiewicz, Pat Mazurkiewicz, Brenda McKinnis, Sheila McNeely, Susan Miller, Linda Mitchell, Phillis Morgan, Harold Morrison, Susie Morrison, Maureen Mulroy, Patty Neas, Katie O'Lenic, Chris Ramsey, Melissa Ramsey, Karen Rowell & guest, Nancy Shilling, James Shugart, Judy Shugart, Linda Spisak, Karen Todd, Carl Voigt, Barbara Voigt, Kathy Wager, Larry Wagner, Wes Walker, Joletta Woodward, Margaret Woolery

GUESTS: David Doan, Jo Summers, Sam Summers

CALL TO ORDER AND WELCOME

Meeting was called to order by the President, Karen Rowell. The membership was congratulated for a successful year which included hosting the State Master Gardener Conference, being an active presence in the community by maintaining various project gardens, and offering many educational efforts throughout the region.

2022 Master Gardener Stats:

- Of the 156 members on roll, 131 are active dues paying NETMGA members.
- In 2022 the NETMGA membership logged more than 10,000 service hours and more than 1600 CEUs were reported.
- The NETMGA members who donated 100 or more hours during 2022. They are:

Elaine Adams, Terri Agold, Susanna Barry, Andrea Belcher, Liz Blakely, Mary Cain, Don Davis, Edith Early, Robin Feierabend, Karen Fleenor, Teresa Gaffner, Karen Hatfield, Millie Sue Hawk, Michelle Hejny, Doug Hilton, John Hitchcock, Earl Hockin, Ben Hunter, Betts Leach, Jeanne Lilly, Vonda Little, Christine Loveday, Brenda McKinnis, Monty McLaurin, Phyllis Morgan, Susie Morrison, Maureen Mulroy, Pamela Pope, Barbara Radice, Karen Rowell, Nancy Shilling, Clarke Shugart, Janet Smith, Linda Spisak, Marcia Vandermause, Barbara Voigt, Carl Voigt, Delette Walker, Wes Walker, Margaret Woolery

24 Master Gardeners certified from the 2021 class. They are:

Elain Adams, Terry Agold, Susanna Barry, Edith Early, Karen Fleenor, Maxie Gregory, Jennifer Hale, Karen Hatfield, Millie Sue Hawk, Charles Hawk, Michelle Hejny, Clark Hollingsworth, Catherine Hornbeck, Ginny Lapin, Jeanne Lilly, Christine Loveday, Monty McLaurin, Phyllis Morgan, Susan Sims, Willie Sims, Gloria Snodgrass, Jeanne Thompson, Julie Underwood, and Kathleen White

15 Members from the 2022 class are now certified Master Gardeners and received their green badges. They are:

Tracey Brown, Joyce Bolden, Cameron Coates, Lisa Dishner, Jennifer Guest, Glen McClain, Susan Miller, Linda Mitchell, Marcianne O'Day, Kathleen O'Lenic, Janet Smith, Linda Spisak, Dan Tippen, Elise Valencia, and Susan Young

9 Master Gardeners received the 3-year VIP status. They are:

Sarah Barbour, Heather Duby, Robin Feierabend, Lucie Hagen, Janet Hill, Catharine Horne, Michelle McClure, Brenda McKinnis, and Susie Morrison

7 Master Gardeners received their 5-year Badges. They are:

Mary Carr, John Hitchcock, Barbara Radice, Karen Rowell, Karen Todd, Wes Walker, and Margaret Woolery

3 Master Gardeners received their 10-year Badges. They are:

- Earl Hockin, Betts Leach, and Vern Maddux

3 Master Gardeners received their 15-year Badges. They are:

- Cheryl Broome, Jim Hayes, and Marcia Vandermause

2 Master Gardeners received their 20-year pins. They are:

- Ben Hunter and Gene Morgan

Next Master Gardener Meetings:

The next board meeting is Monday, March 6 and the next membership meeting is Monday, April 3. All meetings begin at 6.30 p.m. The location will be announced at a later date.

Meeting was adjourned by Karen Rowell.