



View from the Garden

News from the Wolfeboro Garden Club

**In Like a Lion!
General Meeting
Tuesday, March 10 @ 1pm**

Board meeting @ 11am



FROM OUR PRESIDENT

March is here! The days are longer, the sun is stronger, spring is right around the corner. I don't know about you but I am ready to talk about gardening. I'm ready to look at catalogs, to stroll through nurseries, to start seed trays. I'm really ready to see the grass again, I like winter but this has been a snowy one.

As our thoughts turn to spring planting, the speakers we've invited for the next few months were chosen based on your interests, I can't wait to hear them each share their gardening insights and knowledge with us all.

March will be all about the shady side of gardening! Many members have requested a program on this topic so we have invited **Kathy Gariepy, MA Master Gardener extraordinaire**, to educate and entertain us on the subject. Creating a well- balanced garden in a shady spot is intimidating to many

gardeners, Kathy will show us that it's not as hard as we may think to have a beautiful shade garden with year- round interest. I'll see you Tuesday!

Also, **Garden Club 2026 - 2027 dues are payable at this time.** We appreciate if members can pay early if possible so dues can be processed before the June luncheon reservations begin. If you're a new member please see Shelly about dues.

Thanks so much!

Kim

Member Spotlight Coming Soon to the Garden Club

We are pleased to launch our new **Member Spotlight** feature, celebrating the people who make our Garden Club such a vibrant and welcoming community. In the coming weeks, we will begin reaching out to selected members.

Our Publicity Chair, **Julie Fergus**, will be contacting members and inviting them to participate in a short, informal conversation about their interest in gardening and nature, how they became involved with the club, and what inspires them. These relaxed interviews will be shared on our website, Facebook page, and possibly with the *Granite State News* as a way to highlight the passion, knowledge, and diverse experiences within our membership.

Participation is entirely voluntary, and conversations can take place in person, by phone, or by email — whatever is most comfortable. The goal is simply to share stories, foster connection, and shine a light on the wonderful individuals who help our club grow and flourish.

We look forward to getting to know one another a little better.

From Martie at Beautification

Just want to remind members that this is the time to pick Forsythia and bring it into the house to force lovely yellow blooms to enjoy. Also, **Sandy Lowe** and myself will be doing a **WGC Display at the library for March and April**. If anyone would like to sign up to contribute an arrangement, please **contact Sandy or myself**. Or if you want to help with the ideas for the display, just contact us.

This is fun and no stress!

Also, I have contacted some of our new members and assigned them to various WGC gardens. It is great that all of you have committed yourselves and we will be having Clean Up meetings at each garden in April.\ and your chairman will contact you. Thank all of you for helping and we will enjoy some beautiful

gardens in 2026 and hope it is easier than the Hot, Dry Summer of 2025. See you soon, **Martie Lincoln 603-569-2652**

TIME TO GET YOUR NEW MEMBERSHIP PAID

We're now accepting the 2026-2027 season membership dues. We are returning to the original/pre-covid amount of **\$40**. Checks can be made out to **WGC and mailed to PO Box 1786, Wolfeboro, NH 03894** if mailing is more convenient.

The member list has been updated on our website and can be downloaded. **Please note the following for additions/corrections to the 2025-2026 Yearbook at this time.** At the meeting they'll be wearing a green dot on their name badge.

New Members

Please welcome our new members:

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Clark Park Historic Garden left out!
Diane Cleary, Chair; Anne Hardenbergh, Margaret Rourke, Susie Walker, Inger Woerheide, and Denise Ferriman. (Subject to change)

Hallock & Bean Gardens: Mary Eiler (new chair 2027), add Julie Fergus

PO Garden: Linda Wilberton, Chair

While waiting for Spring here are some online offerings from **UNH Cooperative Extension Service**.

All programs require registration to get a link to join in.

- [New Hampshire Butterfly Monitoring Network Programs on Butterflies](#)
 - [UNH Nature in Your Backyard Series](#)
 - [Strategies to Preserve Ash Tree Seeds](#) affiliation with the Wild Seed Project. There is a tour of the NH State Forest Nursery in Boscawen associated with this program as well.
 - [NH Master Gardeners Spring Symposium](#) This is the March fundraising event for the NH master gardener's Association. There are fees involved. The theme is community gardens this year.
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