

Established 1959

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Dear Ladies of the Club,

Oh dear, summer is coming to an end just when I've settled into the rhythm of it. I am never ready for this—never ready to say goodby to hot, steamy, breathless days when jumping into Taylor Creek (is that safe?) or the surf is the only perfect antidote.

But fall is on the way and we will love those cooler days (whenever they get here) that also end too soon. One truly nice thing about fall arriving is that this coming Thursday, September 6, will be our first meeting of the year. And it looks like a great beginning to another inspiring, fun year with our garden club.

We have a new slate of officers but old faces remain. And we will enjoy another year of old friends, new friends, and soon to be old friends. Please see our new President's message in the next column.



From the President

I welcome all of our members to the 59th year of the Beaufort Garden Club. I hope that this year everyone comes to our meetings, has a good time, makes new friends, eats good food, and learns a little more about plants and gardens.

Our committees are the lifeblood of our organization, and we appreciate so much all the hard work those members do: they plan the programs and refreshments, the bake sale, the jumble sale; they beautify our town; they handle membership and create the directory and the Newsbud; they organize the Yard-of-the-Month, the Garden Tour, the Road Trip, wreath making for the holidays, flower arranging for the Old Homes Tour, and so much more.

This year we will undertake the beautification of Topsail Park. We will look into developing a plan for a public art project and a proposal for the new park to be located by the old drawbridge. On April 12, we will take our road trip to the Edenton Historic Homes Tour. In May, we will have a merry time at our own Garden Tour. As for the June luncheon, we need suggestions for a new venue.

We look forward to the new Beaufort Garden Club adventures that await us in the coming year!



First Garden Club Meeting of the Year

Thursday, September 6th
Ann Street Methodist Church, Eure
Buildng
9:30 for delicious refreshments
10 o'clock meeting
Master gardeners Susan Johnson & Celine
Lauer will lead our program and discussion.
Bring your gardening questions.
What an excellent start to our year!



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What's Happening with.....
The Beautification Committee, a.k.a. The
Pretty Ladies

*Wednesday, September 5th @ 9 a.m., a workday at Beaufort Boys and Girls Club. Please bring appropriate toolsweeding, trimming, and raking-Lots of hands needed.

*Wednesday, October 10th, our fall planning meeting. *Wednesday October 17th fall planting begins. Thanks to all for their continued watering. All garden club members are welcome! See ya round town! Beverly Glover-Wood, Editor



Our website is www.Beaufort-gardenclub.com?

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