



# Sprigs N Sprouts

The Gardeners of Lima

March 2020

Lima, Ohio

## First Meeting of 2020

Meet at the Clubhouse in Faurot Park on  
Tuesday, March 10, at 7:00 p.m.

## Some REAL Indoor Gardening



Plants for the Spring Plant Sale are getting a good start in the Maki home, where TGOL members have been doing a lot of work.

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## Spring, Where Art Thou?

We're looking for the corner that Spring's just around;  
So we can put some flower and veggie plants down in the ground.  
Sometimes it looks like that proverbial corner is within sight;  
Then it's pushed away by a late snowstorm or a cold frosty night.

So patience is called for, my gardener friends,  
To wait until Winter finally ends.  
But patience is part of a gardener's stock in trade:  
Think how he waits for that first green blade,  
And then how he waits for blossoms and fruit.  
So he'll just have to wait for Springtime... to boot!

Frank Cooley

## Keep up with us on Facebook



Pictures of club events have been posted on our Facebook page.

Winter activities of club members are among the posts You can view photos documenting early stages of growth of some of the plants to be sold at the Spring Plant Sale.

Also you can see a picture of a handsome snowman.

## Put it on your Calendar

March 6 Board Meeting

March 10 Kick-off Meeting for 2020 at the  
Clubhouse at 7 pm

March 26 Board Meeting



# Spring PLANTING

Asparagus, crowns

plant March - April, 6-8 inches deep



beans, bush snap

plant April 15 - Aug. 1, 1 inch deep

carrots

plant April 1 - July 15, 1/4 inch deep



cucumber

plant April 15 - June 1, 1-2 inches deep

kale

plant March 1 - Aug. 1, 1/2 inch deep



onions, seed

plant March 1 - April 1, 1/2 inch deep

lettuce, leaf

plant March 1 - Aug. 1, 1/4 inch deep



parsley

plant April 1 - April 20, 1/2 inch deep

peas

plant March 1 - April 1, 1/2 inch deep



pumpkin

plant April 1 - May 20, 1-2 inches deep

radish

plant April 1 - Aug. 1, 1/2 inch deep



spinach

plant April 1 - Sept. 1, 1/2 inch deep

watermelon

plant April 1 - May 20, 1-2 inches deep



chard, swiss

plant April 1 - April 10, 1/2 inch deep

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Thanks to President Steve Maki for submitting this chart.

# Christmas Banquet



President Steve Maki and Alice Cooley check preparations



Darlene Brown and grandson Zack are all smiles at the Christmas Banquet



Past President Dave Williams was called on to install the 2020 officers.



Members enjoying the banquet

## THE GARDENERS OF LIMA

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2 <sup>nd</sup> V.P.	Donna Maki
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