

September 2022

PRESIDENT'S LETTER—

Hello Friends,

Happy to report, our club has grown, and new roots have sprouted. Ideas blossom with Great Programs, Fun Outings, a Magical Annual Fundraiser, the Spring Friendship Tea Party all binds our strong roots of friendship.

At our September General Meeting, I will have at each table a folder full of information to sign or sing out about for different opportunities that you can join.

The upcoming Kokedama Workshop, bake sale, field trip, and Poinsettia Sale, and more because I am sure I have left something out. Please let me know, I am a phone call away!

Did you know we won the Gold Club award last year? How exciting for our past presidents Linda and Ann. There is so much that goes into it, our programs, activities, and the annual yearbook, which is full of very useful information.

Dana Knox included in the yearbook what we have done in the past, our upcoming programs, board meetings, Houston Federation Garden Club programs and lots of other resources, and most important, members of the club. Please take time to go through it, the answers to some of your questions are there.

See you soon, the fun and learning are just around the corner.

~Our Deep Roots Lead to Future Blossoms~

My honor and pleasure,

Kathy Luckenbach, President

SCGC Board Meeting

The Board will meet Thursday, September 8, 2022 at the home of Annette Griffith, 21 Bentwood Dr. Please RSVP (text or phone) to Annette by September 5th at (281)772-6381 if you plan to attend. Co-hostesses are Diane Parrott, Patti Von Tungelin, and Sandra Dickey.

SCGC September General Meeting

Thursday, September 15, 2022 At Sugar Creek Country Club

9:30 AM Welcome Coffee

10:00 AM Meeting

Program -- "Floral Arrangements with a Flair" presented by Mary Sommers, Owner, Bayou Blooms is a Floral Designer and Gardener.

Houston Federation of Garden Clubs-

The HFGC General Meeting will be September 9th, 10:30 AM at Saint Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 5308 Buffalo Speedway, Houston, TX 77005, (Parking entrance – Rutgers Ave.).

Program: "Gardening for the Birds and the Bees: Saving the World One Garden at a Time"" Presented by Greg Grant, Smith County Extension Agent – Horticulture, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Tyler, TX. Zone 4 (which includes SCGC) is host. If you are able to assist in preparing sandwiches or cookies, please contact Kathy Luckenbach, (281)794-7555 as soon as possible.

There is a **Landscape Design School I** in College Station September 26-28th. Additionally, the Flower Show School IV is scheduled for September 26-29th at Bayland Community Center, Houston, TX.

SCGC Kokedama Workshop

Kathy Luckenbach and Dana Knox are hosting a Kokedama Workshop on Thursday, September 22nd at 1:00 PM at 534 Longview. Please call Kathy at (281) 794-7566 by Monday, September 19th to reserve your spot.

It is Not Too Late to Pay Your Membership Dues!

The Yearbook Directory has already been sent to the printer; however, it is not too late to join SCGC. If you have not yet paid your SCGC membership dues, an application form is included this newsletter. Please fill out the application and send to Judy Johnson at 3015 Bainbridge Court, Sugar Land 77478 along with your check made out to SCGC for \$45; or bring your application and check with you to the September 15th SCGC meeting. Please forward this information to others, including new SCGC neighbors you think might be interested in joining SCGC. Many folks are probably not aware of SCGC's contributions to the neighborhood's landscaping efforts in the common areas.

SCGC September Birthdays as Listed in the Membership Directory—

Linda Barbone, Shirley Gordon, Dana Knox, Mary "Zooks" Campbell, Julie Honefenger, Linda Edmiastion, Evelyna Saxon, Beth Morrow, Alice Galiano, Sandra Dickey, Carol Beth Gore, Kimberly Noble, Judy Sims, Gail McLendon, Jane Friedman

Remembrances—

Thoughts and prayers for Kathy Luckenbach on the loss of her mother and to Marie Godfrey on the loss of her husband, Arthur.

Best wishes to Carol Beth Gore's husband CT who is recovering from a stroke.

Get well wishes for smooth recoveries to Joanne Preng who had collarbone surgery and to Dvosha Roscoe for hip surgery.



August Yard of the Month– 107 Medford Ct.