

GARDEN CHATTER SEPTEMBER 2023



NEW OFFICERS FOR 2023-2024

PRESIDENT— MARILYN COOPER
VICE PRESIDENT— DEBBIE B'HYMER
SECRETARY— LAURA CURNAN
TREASURER— JOAN MEYER

Enumclaw Garden Club is a 501(c)(3) non-profit corporation
member of the Chinook District, Washington State Federation of Garden Clubs,
Pacific Region of the National Garden Club, Inc.

WHAT'S COMING UP at the Enumclaw Garden Club?

SEPT 18.....ENUMCLAW GARDEN CLUB BOARD MEETING

Note new date for this meeting

9:30 am Key Bank Community Room

All committee chairmen encouraged to attend

SEPT 23..... FIRST DAY OF AUTUMN!

SEPT 27.....ENUMCLAW GARDEN CLUB GENERAL MEETING AT THE VFW HALL

9:30 am Sign-In & Get-together

10:00 Meeting & presentation of Awards & Scholarships

10:45 Horticulture

**11:00 Everyone please bring your favorite dish or
dessert to share! Coffee, tea, & water will be provided**

Noon Program "Catching Up & Looking Forward"

OCT 9.....ENUMCLAW GARDEN CLUB BOARD MEETING

9:30 am Key Bank Community Room

All Committee chairmen encouraged to attend

OCT 26.....ENUMCLAW GARDEN CLUB GENERAL MEETING AT THE VFW HALL



THINKING OF YOU
GARDEN THERAPY

Our new Garden Therapy person is Yolanda Nelson

253-777-5810 ziinia2007@yahoo.com

If you know of a Garden Club member who is ill or just needs a little cheering up or encouragement, please let Yolanda know.

Flowers & a card were sent to Shannon Brock.

Please let Carol Pedersen know anyone who needs remembering & she will send out an email to the members.



EGC BULLETIN BOARD

A reminder & a thanks in advance from Clarine, MariBeth, & Dixie

If you didn't get a chance to sign up as hostess for this garden club year, that begins in September, you have been assigned a month. If not, you are a sub. You will need to be at the VFW Hall between 8:30 & 8:50 am to help set up the tables, set out the food, clean up & take down tables after the meeting. Hostesses also provide a raffle item, & one lucky person is chosen to provide the centerpiece. The schedule is in the yearbook. If unable to be there please find a friend to fill in for you.



Thanks to the VFW Weeding Crew!



Please send all EGC Treasurer correspondence to Joan Meyer at: enumgcfinance@gmail.com or POBox 714, Enumclaw 98022

WEB-SITE

WWW.enumclawgardenclub.info

Please contact Debbie B'Hymer with any questions, comments or club updates for the web-site at: debhymer@aol.com

Remember, the newsletter is included on the web-site, so please let Sharon know if there is any info you don't want made public.



Find us on Facebook

All members can join our Facebook page. Go to Enumclaw Garden Club & click on JOIN. Call or email Ginny Montgomery with any questions.

The cut-off date for the October newsletter will be October 11th@ noon. Please continue to send me pix of your gardens.

sharonjimfagnan@comcast.net or 253-350-8930

CHINOOK DISTRICT NEWS

www.chinookgc.org/

**Director Penny Merryman's theme this year is
"Celebrate each other & educate our youth"**

Ponderings from Penny

Greetings from Auburn. I am absolutely honored & incredibly excited to be starting a term as your Chinook District Director. I know we will have some great adventures together celebrating each other, & our Chinook District's 60 years of service to our communities. We will promote the WSFGC goals, & help our youth learn about horticulture, floral design, conservation, & the importance of pollinators. As I compose this message, I am looking out my kitchen window at beautiful & majestic Mt. Rainier. It has always beckoned & intrigued me, & I've had numerous adventures both relaxing & challenging as a child, with our own two children, & then our 7 grandchildren. I've hiked its winding trails, camped under its calming evergreens, & alongside its flowing creeks. I've slid down its snowy banks & enjoyed its colorful flowers in different seasons & enjoyed that mountain from afar. Now it is reminding me of the wonderful yet challenging adventures that lay ahead of all of us as we begin a new term in Chinook District. I know as we work together on our many activities, we will have both relaxing & challenging times; we will have both our winding trails, but also calming & fun times as we continue to learn & provide service to our local communities. Thank you for allowing me to serve you & continue to promote our goals for the youth of our communities.

**All meetings start at 10 am on the 1st Wednesday of the month
Auburn First United Methodist Church, 100 N St, Auburn
Flower Gals are not meeting.**

Oct 4...Chinook District Board Meeting

Nov 1...Chinook District General Meeting

Horticulture Program "Black & Gold" presented by Sue Miller

Design Program: Linda Maidas' program will be

"Designing for Fall & Winter Interest, using foraged plants"

Clerks: Enumclaw

Luncheon: Reservations must be made by the Tuesday of the week before & the cost is \$10. Please contact our President, Marilyn, if you plan to attend.

STILL THINKING ABOUT IT?

**Don't wait too long.
Some classes are nearly full or closed!
Registration closes September 18th!**



Master Gardener Foundation of Washington State

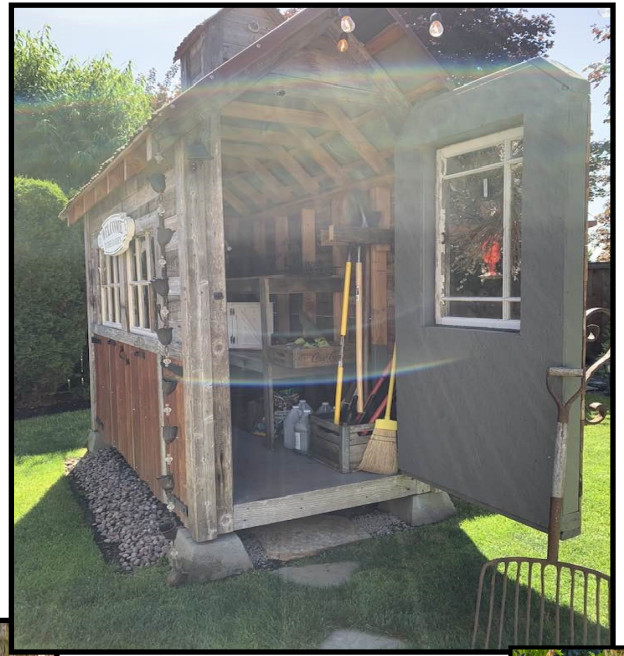
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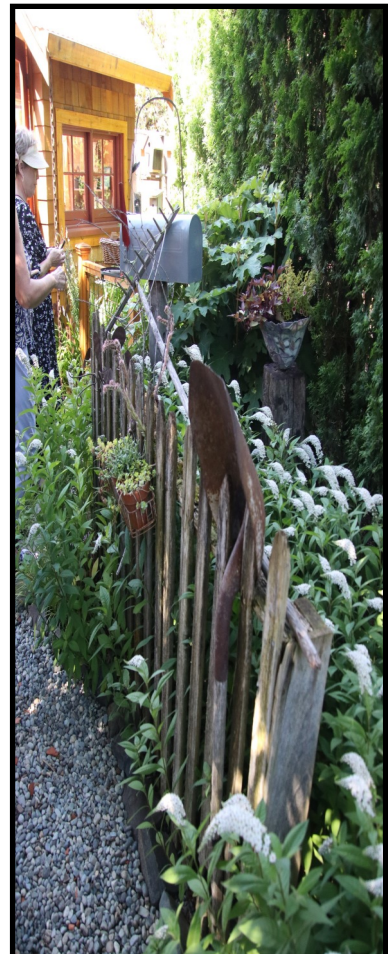
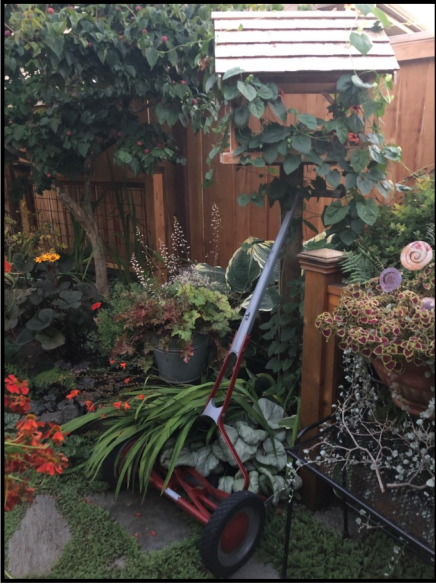
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ENUMCLAW GARDEN CLUB TOUR











GLAD YOU ENJOYED THE GARDEN TOUR!

YOU ALL MADE IT A GREAT DAY!

VAL, TRISH, BEA, JULIE, & SHARON.

Please consider sharing your garden next year!



MARYN OTTO ALSO SHARED HER



WITH US!

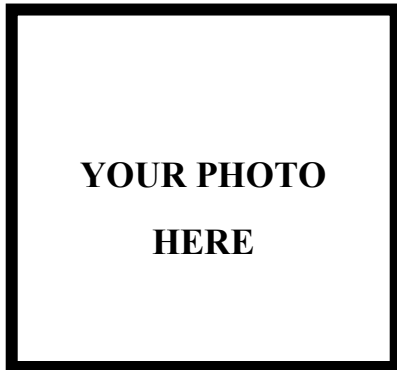


New member? We want to meet you!

If you are a new member, & would like to be featured in the newsletter, please send me a small bit of info about yourself & a pix. No pix? No problem...We can have one taken at the next meeting. Just let me know.

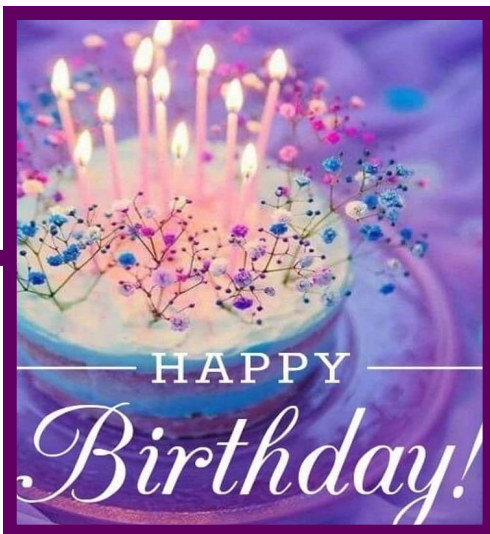
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Where friendships GROW
SEPTEMBER 2023



**Aster, the September birth flower,
stands for Wisdom, Faith & Valor.**

**TO ALL WHO
CELEBRATE IN
SEPTEMBER**