

# The Garden Club of Hyannis Club Clippings



May 2023

**Co-Presidents:** Sally Cameron and  
Cheryl Baer  
**Editor:** Elena Ahlin

May 15,	Introductory Floral Design at West Barn. Comm. Ctr. 9am to 11:15
May 22,	Jewelry Tree Workshops Continued. See inside for details
June 13,	Annual Meeting And Standard Flower Show, Lighthouse Inn. See Flyer inside

## Presidents' message

*"True hospitality consists of giving the best of yourself to your guests."* - Eleanor Roosevelt

What an incredible event we hosted in April! Thanks to all of you, from the caterers to the guest buddies to the floral arrangers and the corsage makers – we are so proud of the care and feeding for our guests (and our members!). It was a great time, and we received lots and lots of thanks and kudos for the fabulous time. (We even got a new member out of it!)

Our Club activities are winding up for the year, but with all our creativity and energy galore. Read further in Clippings to see all the great things ahead.

But we must emphasize the great program we have this month – we get to see the fruits of our fundraising efforts as we give away \$6,000 to annual scholarship awardees! But wait – there's more! The Club received a \$10,000 gift from Joe Katchpole, Sr., husband of Elizabeth Katchpole, our member who passed away. Last year, Joe asked for his friends and family to give gifts to our Club in her memory for the scholarship fund. We gave more than \$3,000 to one student for the first Katchpole Scholarship, in Betty's honor. This year, we received Joe's gift to our scholarship fund, which enabled the Scholarship Committee to give four Katchpole scholarships this year!

And don't forget, our June meeting includes our small NGC Flower Show, "Honoring...Remembering...", which remembers members we have lost (Betty Katchpole, past president Karen Knaub, and past treasurer Sharon Thebaud) as well as work of our current members. It is chaired by Nancy Costa. It is our annual meeting, and we will have a great buffet at The Lighthouse Inn in West Dennis. (Thanks, Angela!) **Please get your checks to Linda Zarif by June 6. Don't bring it to the May meeting, as (Scholarship co-chair) Linda is pretty busy that day.** We will also vote on and induct our new officers.

We are all busy in our gardens, mourning our hydrangeas but rejoicing in the stuff that is coming back. Get out there and enjoy!

With admiration for all you do,

Sally and Cheryl

## Membership News

### **New members**

Our Club continues to grow! We have two new members bringing our total membership to 80! Please join me in welcoming **Nancy Barr** and **Donna Garrabrant**. Nancy just moved here from Columbus Ohio where she was a garden club member. Nancy Henry will be her Mentor. Donna Garrabrant is known to many of us already as an avid Garden Club presence on Cape Cod and Betty Logan will be her Mentor. Please add their contact Info to add to your Yearbook..

**Nancy Barr**, 61 Angus Way, Centerville, MA 02632 email: [nbarr842@yahoo.com](mailto:nbarr842@yahoo.com) Cell # 614-325-2454

**Donna Garrabrant**, 83 Prince Way, South Dennis, MA 02660 email: [chrisanddonnacc@gmail.com](mailto:chrisanddonnacc@gmail.com) Cell # 860-916-5004

### **Reminder**

Renewal Applications are due by May 31. **Attached are applications.** Save a stamp and bring your application and check to our May 16<sup>th</sup> meeting with you! We start work on the new Yearbook in June so need your information to include you!

Happy summer,  
Deborah Benassi

## \*\*\*\*\***MARKETPLACE WORKSHOPS**\*\*\*\*\*

Monday, May 22, - Continuance of Jewelry Tree workshop - For those who were unable to come to the first one, or members who would like to come who had not previously signed up for it. Please contact Cheryl Baer if you are coming.

### Summer Workshops

We will hold ongoing workshops during the summer on the following dates: (All at 10 AM at Dolores Ahern's house)

July 11

July 25

August 8

August 22

This is open to all members who would like to participate in creating things for the Marketplace at our Showcase in November 2024. No experience needed.



## HOSPITALITY NEWS

The Presidents' Day meeting was a major success. The food was delicious, and the place was beautifully decorated, and this was all due to the participation and hard work of the following members: Simone Perrier, Sharon Cornelius, Nancy Wong, Sally Cameron, Marsha Rehkamp, Kathy Clay, Elena Ahllin, Lynette Helms, Ann Marie Carlson, Betty Logan, Sandy Evangelous, Sue Robb, Deborah Coleman, Linda Lord, Candi Hurwitz, Kathy Looney, Gail Hubacker. Nancy Bailey, Gini Waterman Casey, Nancy Henry, Diane Erickson, Linda Zarif. Thank you to Dolores Ahern for her lovely floral arrangement. Thank you to all members that set and broke down all the tables and chairs. Without your volunteer efforts we would not be able to have such delicious monthly luncheons. If I have forgotten anyone please forgive me.

KUDOS TO ALL OF YOU.

Many of you have requested the recipe for the Asian salad that was served at the April meeting. Here it is as promised:

- 1 16oz. bag of shredded coleslaw
- 1 bunch of scallions thinly sliced
- 1 cup sunflower seeds roasted and salted
- 1 cup sliced almonds -baked for about 10 minutes
- 2 packages of ramen beef noodles soup (I prefer Maruchan brand - at Market Basket) put flavor packets aside.

Directions:

1. Early in the day put ramen noodles in a large bowl and cover with very hot tap water for about 10 minutes. Drain thoroughly and toss lightly to separate strands.
2. Combine in large bowl with all previous ingredients. Refrigerate covered until ready to dress.

Dressing:

- 1/2 cup of sugar
- 1/2 cup of oil
- 1/3 cup white vinegar

Whisk all together and cover, whisking occasionally; set aside.

Whisk well a couple of hours before serving and pour over salad. Mix all very thoroughly. I use vinyl gloves to toss because it can be messy to toss.

Angela Lipinski



*The Garden Club of Hyannis  
Annual Meeting Luncheon  
and NGC Small Standard Flower Show  
entitled "Remembering..Honoring"  
Tuesday, June 13th- 11:30am- - 3:00p  
The Lighthouse Inn  
1 Lighthouse Inn Rd., West Dennis Port, MA  
Cost \$38 (All inclusive)*

**Buffet:**

Grilled Vegetable Antipasto

Clam Chowder

Penne Bolognese

Orecchiette Chicken Scampi

Roasted Chicken Caprese on mini baguettes

Grilled Portobello Sliders

Dessert: Tiramisu

Coffee, Tea

Your check for \$38 should be made payable to The Garden Club of Hyannis. Please mail your reservation and check to Linda Zarif at 31 Tidal Lane, Hyannis, MA 02601. The absolute deadline for this event is June 6<sup>th</sup>. There will be no refunds given to those members who cancel after June 6<sup>th</sup>.

Please detach the reservation form on the dotted line and mail with your check by Saturday, June 6<sup>th</sup> (absolute deadline) to Linda Zarif at the above address. Checks for \$38 should be made payable to The Garden Club of Hyannis. All monies are non-refundable after June 6<sup>th</sup>. We will not be collecting any monies for this event at the May meeting. Thank you.

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## DESIGN - Nancy Costa

**May 15, Monday, Floral Design 201 Workshop 9:00 - 11:15 AM,**  
W. Barnstable Community Center. All members are welcome!

- ❖ **“Transparency Design - A Creative Design** with see-through elements (translucent, very thin/easy to see through, grid-like materials, etc.) integral to the design and permitting some components to be viewed through others.”
- ❖ **9:00 arrival/set-up; 9:30 workshop** begins.
- ❖ Bring transparent component, mechanics to steady/hold the transparent element & some plant material to create a design.
- ❖ We will make designs; share/discuss & display at May 16 Meeting.



**New Members' Introductory Floral Design Workshop. May 22, Monday,**  
**9:00 - 11:15 AM,** W. Barnstable Community Center.

- 9:00 arrive/set-up; 9:30 workshop begins.
- Materials provided - free, supplied by the Club
- Welcome new members (2022-2023) to attend
- Beginners through experienced!
- Bring scissors, bucket with 2” of water for flowers and a paper bag for cuttings.
- You'll feel confident & excited to join Design Workshops that will start up in the fall!



*(Photo: May 2022, New Members' Introductory Floral Design Workshop)*

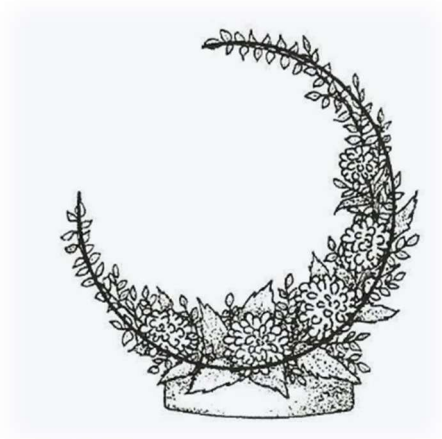
**‘Crescent Designs’ Floral Design Workshop, April 15**



Fran Hoothay



Sharon Cornelius



Crescent

Susan O'Leary



Ann Marie Carlson



Nancy Costa

**June 13, 2023 11:30 AM**

**Annual Meeting, Luncheon and An NGC Small Standard Flower Show**

**“Remembering...Honoring”**



**Lighthouse Inn  
1 Lighthouse Inn Rd., W. Dennis.**

**Come celebrate membership with colleagues/friends.**  
*For exhibitors' information – email Show Chairman, Nancy Costa*

- Something for everyone in your Flower Show - Horticulture entries & Floral Designs
- **Walk-in Horticulture entries - no pre-registration**
- **Horticulture entry cards**, will be available May 16, at Membership Meeting & the day of the Show. Entry cards should be filled out in pencil, in advance, if possible.





**District Flower Shows - Inquire now about openings in the Shows**

**Southeast District, NGC Standard Flower Show: “Eureka” July 19 - 21.** Horticulture, Floral Design, Botanical Arts and **Youth** Divisions at Heritage Museums & Gardens, Sandwich. Inquire now about openings.

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**South Shore District, NGC Standard Flower Show “Hobbies & Pastimes” Aug 18 -22** Horticulture and Floral Design Divisions at Agriculture Hall, Marshfield Fairgrounds, Marshfield. Inquire now about openings.

**Ginni Casey asked Ann Marie to create an arrangement for her husband, Bob’s, funeral. This is the beautiful result.**

