

Jefferson County Master Gardener Volunteer Association

Minutes of the March 9, 2017 Meeting

1. The Meeting was called to order by President Mike H. A motion was made to approve the February Minutes. The motion was made, seconded, and approved by the membership.
2. The February Treasurer's Report was presented by Treasurer Barbara S. A motion to approve the Treasurer's Report was made, seconded, and approved by the membership.
3. The Wimga Representative Report was presented by Diane K. There is nothing new to report at this time. The next Wimga meeting is scheduled for March 18, 2017.
4. The UWEX Report was presented by Vern G.

There will be three training opportunities for Plant Health Advisors:

April 7th Marathon County (Wausau) Registration Deadline March 31

May 3rd Kenosha County (Bristol) Registration Deadline April 26

May 16th Outagamie County (Appleton) Registration Deadline May 9

Brian Hudelson- Director of Plant Disease Diagnostics Clinic, will be speaking at the Level 1 Training on March 22, 2017

Next Generation Extension Update: there are a couple of opportunities to comment. By July 1, 2017 there will be different types of educators going forward. The Regional Director will be phased out being replaced by 2 Assistant Deans.

Farm Tech Days continues to be developed.

5. Plant Sale- This year's plant sale will be held on May 13, 2017 at the Jefferson High School Greenhouse.
6. T-shirts, anyone interested in purchasing a t-shirt please contact Audray W. or Ron L.
7. New Projects- there are two new projects. A school garden in Cambridge and one in Johnson Creek. If anyone is interested in volunteering for these projects please contact Mike H. for more information.
8. Ongoing Projects- Below is a list of projects and contact person that were discussed at today's meeting.

Rotary Park Jefferson- Judy F

Hoard Museum- Bev D, Ron L, or Maggie S.

Fort Atkinson Police Station- Maggie S.

St Pat's in Whitewater- Maggie S.

Jefferson County Fair- Jeannie T.

Lake Mills Elementary School Garden- Jeannie T.

Rock River Community Garden- Audray W.

West Elementary School Garden- Audray W.

4-H- Sharon S.

West Elementary 4th grade class- Sharon S.

Living Savior Church- Sharon S.

Jefferson Farmers & Winter Market- Sharon S.

Rockwell Elementary School Garden- Shawn M.

A Motion to Adjourn was Made and Seconded

Support Time: 2 Hours

**In Attendance: Shirley B, Nancy B, Bev D, Rob E, Judy F, Vern G, Dee J, Mike H, Diane K, Linda K, Ron L,
Shawn M, Michelle M, Barb S, Sharon S, Amanda S, Maggie S, Deb S, Jeannie T, Tina V,
Audray W, Eve W, Susan W.**