OCTOBER 2016 NEWSLETTER





Our meeting on October 12th was very well attended, with several new members as well as returning members. Master Gardener, Sam Marshall, gave a very entertaining and informative presentation on how to prepare our gardens this fall.

GARDENING TIPS FOR THE FALL

- 1) Do not plant spring-blooming bulbs until November or even early December when temperatures are cooler.
- 2) Divide daylilies, hostas, daisies, and iris by lifting plant out of ground and separating with a knife to get new specimens to

plant. Also a good time to dig up crowded bulbs such as daffodils.

3) Keep mums well watered and deadhead to encourage flower production. If in pots, you can plant in ground when finished flowering and they will come up next year.

COMING UP IN NOVEMBER

MEETING: WEDNESDAY, NOV. 9th @ 1:00 PM

"HOLIDAY TRIMMINGS ALL MERRY and BRIGHT" presented by Mandee Williams, "Bloomers Floral Designs" in OIB.

Please bring pine cones, pods, magnolia leaves, etc. to share with members to use for their own holiday decorating projects at home.

ANNUAL SOUP and BAKE SALE

Saturday, Nov. 19th 11:00 – 1:00 at CSPOA clubhouse

All proceeds will go into the Garden Club General Fund to be used toward scholarships and beautification projects in our community.

Lots of yummy baked goods to choose from – cakes, pies, breads and cookies. Soups and chili for you to

take home or you are welcome to enjoy a cup or two for lunch at the clubhouse. Coffee and crackers will be provided.

COMING UP IN DECEMBER



CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON

PLACE: PARSON'S TABLE (choice of 4 entrees)

DATE: WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 14th

TIME: 11:30 AM (cocktails)

12:00 PM (luncheon)

PRICE: \$20

Tickets available at November meeting. Members welcome to bring guests.