

Garden Clippings

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MARSHALL AREA
GARDEN CLUB,
INC.



New members to add
to your directory:

Debbi Benedict

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Sandy Newport

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MAGCI Celebrates 35 Years

Marshall City Manager, Derek Perry, presented a proclamation to Janet Schoenmeyer commemorating the 35th Anniversary of the Marshall Area Garden Club at the September club meeting. Janet was the founding president of club in 1987.

Congratulations MAGCI on 35 years of serving the Marshall Community!



“LIVING IN A WINTER WONDERLAND” **NOVEMBER 15**

APPETIZER BUFFET POTLUCK AT 6:30 METHODIST CHURCH

Floral designers will share their holiday creations in the following categories:

CLASS 1: A BEAUTIFUL THANKSGIVING FEAST – DESIGN FOR A THANKSGIVING TABLE

All items are incorporated into the design. Items may be feathers, antlers, fruits, vegetables, etc...

Design space 20” wide x 20” deep and background is 20” w x 30” h

Underlay and background required.

Cherie Riser

Clarice Grado

Linda Gillespie

Ellen Thornton

Class 2: Christmas Holiday Fun – a floral design using any winter sport as the theme

One item may be used as an accessory or incorporated in the design to portray theme of design.

Design space 20” wide x 20” deep and background is 20” w x 30” h

Underlay and background required.

Alice Schneider

Janet Schoenmeyer

Gail Woods

Karla Love

Class 3: A Beautiful Sight – the Mighty White Pine – a line mass design featuring white pine

Branches, cones, stumps, slabs, etc.. from the white pine tree can be used.

Other plant material may be used but white pine is dominate.

Design space 20” wide x 20” deep and background is 20” w x 30” h

Underlay and background required. No accessories.

Lucy Robinson

Karen Deppe

Nancy Isham

Doug Crane

Well club members, it has been a very productive time since the last issue of Garden Clippings. We are welcoming four new club members, and I believe a couple others are waiting in the wings.

Our latest Marshall Area Garden Club Inc. members are: Sandy Newport who joined us at our September meeting. At October's meeting I received applications for another three new members. They are; Debbi Benedict, plus the couple of Clarice and Gary Grato.

On a sad note, we lost Wayne Chapman who passed on October 15 at the age of 86. Wayne became a MAGCI member in 2020.

To date, our membership total rests at 93. We are back on our way to having 100 club members. That is a goal I believe we will reach by next year's Marshall Area Garden Club Annual Garden Tour in July. Don't forget to talk up our organization to neighbors and friends. Remind them, they need not be Marshall residents to belong.

Bruce Gillespie
VP Membership



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MAGCI 2022 Certificates of Appreciation

These properties were honored in 2022 with "certificates of appreciation" from the Marshall Area Garden Club, Inc:

John & Sue Crapo	412 N. Kalamazoo
Richard & Diane Thompson	555 E. Mansion
Duane Dupee & Kevin Daus	603 N. Kalamazoo
Nate Palmer	213 N. Liberty
Paul & DiAnn Godbold	400 N. Kalamazoo

The Crapos, the Thompsons and Nate Palmer are shown below receiving their certificates.





The January 17, 2023 club meeting will be held at the Marshall District Library or you may attend by Zoom at home to learn about the beautiful native plant gardens designed by Piet Oudolf on Belle Isle. Watch for the Zoom invitation sent in January to your email address.



The Marshall Garden Club does not meet in December. We wish you and your loved ones a special Holiday Season and blessings in the New Year.



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