GARDEN CLUB OF TEANECK MAY 2019 NEWSLETTER

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Saturday, May 18, 2019 – 10am General Meeting

Held at the Greenhouse, easternmost end of Lindberg Blvd, opposite Teaneck Community Gardens Final meeting of the year will be held on Saturday, May ,18th at 10 a.m. .

Notes from Joe Begley, GCT President

It is almost here boys and girls! Our great sale that you have all worked so hard this year to make it possible. I have a few things I would like to address:

- First is Nancy Lichtenstein can still use a few more volunteers to pass out sale flyers in parking lots and offices locations. Reach her at: nlicht@msn.com. She will fill you in on how you can help. Thanks for this work it did a **lot** to bring in folks last year.
- Next along Cedar Lanes, at the hospital and other is that last year there were many folks showing up all week long and being turned away when we were not open. I would like help in keeping our doors open to the public from 11 to 6 Monday thru Friday to accommodate these customers. I will be there to whole time to keep us open but I could use a lot of help from everyone. So if you can please sign up for a 2 or 3 hour segment, I'd just love workin with ya to please these customers. I also need one more person for the first Saturday to help park cars and direct traffic. If you are energetic and have some experience in traffic flow and parking please text me at 210 860 0454.

Notes from Doug Raska Horticulture Director

The 2019 Garden Club of Teaneck Annual Plant Sale starts Saturday, May 4th.

Come one, come all! (and bring your friends, your family, your)



Notes from Lenny Schwartz Greenhouse Director

Hi all, the following are some last minute reminders about our plant sale:

- 1) come 15 minutes early to help set up
- 2) Park off property on the week- ends so that our customers have space to park
- 3) We will supply some food on Sat and Sunday, but bring your own lunch as well
- 4. We can still use more tray like boxes, so continue bringing them in .
- 5) Make sure you have signed up for at least two weekend time slots

In addition:

Our final greenhouse meeting of the year is scheduled for **Saturday**, **May 18 at 10 am**.

All member's plants should be removed by **Saturday June 1.** Plants remaining after that date may be thrown away. Please clean your bench and the surrounding floor area. Please remove everything on, around and under your bench so that the greenhouse can be cleaned. Anything still present after June 1 may be thrown away.





Notes from Olga Newey Hawthorne School Program

I was at the greenhouse April 7, a Sunday. It was busy. There were 2 groups, the Bonsai Club, Doug and myself. Everyone was so involved, helping one another. Doug was helping two groups by providing advice, materials, help. He was directing Robin Jackson and myself to organize the plants for the sale. He did this with skill, patience and good will. The Bonsai people were teaching one another. They were friendly and polite. I left with such a good feeling and touched by the good intent of all. Olga Newey - An Observation The Saturday morning group has been working steadily weeding the formal and Mediterranean gardens, transplanting seedlings and maintaining the plants for the sale.

From Editor Laurie Ludmer

Everything that slows us down and forces patience, everything that sets us back into the slow circles of nature. is a help.
Gardening is an instrument of grace.

- May Sarton

