The Blaming Bulletin

A monthly publication of the Plantation Garden Club

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If you missed the End of Year Luncheon yesterday, here are some of the items you may need to know.

Also you missed an excellent and hearty Italian Buffet and 41 of the "best people in the world" gathered to celebrate this past year.

Look What We Have Done

Scholarships 4 totaling \$4000
 Environmental Awards 12 totaling over \$4000
 Rummage Sale \$1000+ and partners for first time
 Membership End of Year 64 paid

members and 43 are already signed on for the coming year!

We are happy to welcome our former President Claudette Hammond back to Plantation and active membership in the Club!

We really enjoyed having one of our scholarship recipients, **David Lawthorp**, at the luncheon yesterday and thank you Mimi for arranging this.

Judith Lahey and I are still collecting items for the High Tea baskets. You may drop them at my house or her house all summer. We want to get **Jeannette** started as we will have only one month when we return in September.





Incoming Board Meeting: Wednesday, June 12, 2019 10AM at my house, 7142 E Tropical Way, Plantation.

June **2019**

First General Meeting for next year: September 18, 2019, 9:30 AM at El Dorado Clubhouse. Hope to see everyone there for the "get acquainted" session. And of course, good food.

And speaking of that **Phyllis and Addie** have agreed to continue helping with the preparation prior to the monthly meetings but a chair for this task is still needed. So, if you can come early and help set up the food, table decorations, etc. please consider volunteering for this position. There are usually plenty of people there to get the job done but any group needs a coordinator! Thank you.

Meantime, enjoy the break and come back ready to plunge it and get the High Tea on the road!

Fondly, Peggy



Plantation Garden Club News

Gardening Wisdom from Roxie Pelliccia

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Hi, Everyone!

Wishing you all a Happy Summer and happy gardening!

We have a few things to do in June that are really important. First, we all know hurricane season is about to start, so trimming back your bushes and removing dead, woody limbs from your trees is a big help. You can still plant new trees but only small ones, no taller than 3'-8' tall. Keep to a fertilizer schedule of three times a year, March, June, October for all trees and bushes. Use a good palm food for everything except fruit trees and citrus, use a fertilizer specifically for them.

Flowers to plant now are full-sun, drought lovers, purslane, portulaca, vinca, Kalanchoe, beach Daisy. Shade lovers are Begonias, pentas, impatience. Also, herbs do well in the shade in summer.

Vegetables to plant are heat tolerant eggplant, okra and a few small fruited tomatoes. If you have insects, use Neem oil or organicide, only spray in the evening.

Plant of the Month Crape Myrtle



This wonderful flowing tree is easy to grow. Buy your tree at this time of the year so you get the color you want. There are two varieties now, the large ones grow to 15' and the dwarf are 4'-5'. They bloom in late spring to late fall. They lose half of their leaves in winter. You can find at least 20-30 different colors. This tree has lots of nectar for bees and butterflies.

Have fun,





Tai Chi for Arthritis and Fall Prevention

Benefits:

Reduces Pain Increases Flexibility Increases Stamina/Cardio Improves Mental Attitude Produces Muscle Strength Helps Balance and Fall Prevention

Offered at:

Hawthorne Village Club House

Starting June 4th, 2019

Tuesday and Thursday 11:45 am to 12:45 am



Principles Body: Alignment / Posture Weight Transfer Movement: **Gentle Resistance** Slow, Even & Continuous Mind: Sung (Loosening & relaxing) Jing (Mental quietness)-Focus

Hawthorne Village

Club House

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Plantation, FL 33317

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Those who attended had a great time at the **End of the Year Luncheon at Plantation Preserve**. One of our scholarship recipients **David Lawthorp** (seen below with **Mimi Sakal**), also attended. (©

















Reminder: There are no member meetings scheduled for June, July and August



2019/20 Monthly Schedule

Thank you to **Lorraine Timmes** for sharing this lovely photo of her orchids!



SAVE THE DATE Plantation Garden Club

7th Annual High Tea Sunday, October 20, 2019, 2PM-5PM Renaissance Hotel 1230 S Pine Island Road Plantation, FL Tickets \$45 each RSVP: Judith Lahey, 845-764-0429 Checks made payable to: Plantation Garden Club Send to: Cindy Bates, Treasurer, 7142 E Tropical Way, Plantation, FL 33317



Happy Birthday!

Georgia Brown 6th Paulette Kandel 10th Jeannette Smith 19th

Upcoming Plantation Events

(From the Sun-Sentinel Online)

June 7-8 & 21-22, 2019 (Fri. 9-5pm, Sat. 9-4pm)-Used Book Sale - Helen B. Hoffman Library, 501 N. Fig Tree Lane

June 7, 2019 (4pm-9pm) – South Florida Sports Card Show, Sawgrass Inn & Conference Center, 1711 N. University Drive

https://www.southfloridasportscardshow.com/

June 12 & June 26, 2019 (12:30-2pm) – Broward County Job Seeking and Resume Class, West Regional Library, 8601 W. Broward Blvd.

June 21, 2019 (10:30am-12pm) – Non-Fiction Book Club, West Regional Library, 8601 W. Broward Blvd.

June 27, 2019 (2pm-4pm) – West Regional Classic Films Program, West Regional Library, 8601 W.

Broward Blvd.

June 1 (10am-6pm), June 3-7 (9am-8pm) – Reflect: Healing Through Art (Art Installation), ArtServe, 1350 E. Sunrise Blvd., Fort Lauderdale