ILLINOIS DUNESLAND GARDEN CLUB General Meeting January 14th, 2020 Zion-Benton Public Library, Zion, IL

The meeting was called to order byPresident Jan LaBelle at 1:01pm. She then led the group in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call: There were 50 members and 4 guests present at the meeting.

Introduction of Guests: Jan Labelle welcomed guest Ed Waddle-who has signed up as a new member, Sharon Nelson, Connie Moore and Cindi Williamson.

January Birthdays: Members with January birthdays were invited to stand for acknowledgement: Ruthann Davis, Judy Anderson, Janet Melin, and Suzanne Raiden.

Guest Speaker: April Meyers introduced our guest speaker Master Gardener Linda Mackey. Her topic was "Container Gardening".

Minutes: The December 10th, 2019 minutes compiled by Doreen Matteson and Judy Leonard were posted at the meeting, emailed and posted on our website. The required signatures were obtained and accepted.

Treasurer's Report: Dolores Mink presented the Treasurer's Report for December and it will be placed on file. The ending balance of the savings and checking is \$ 9398.13

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Sunshine: Helen Koetz one card was sent to member Glenda Clark.

OLD BUSINESS: Sue Raiden thanked everyone for their help at the Christmas Luncheon.

NEW BUSINESS: Zinnia's for Zion-Fire Station #1 and #2 would like us to plant the Zinnias again this year. Gail Dulian and April Meyers offered their services, but need volunteers to help with the watering and deadheading.

Board meeting- the board will be getting together prior to our meeting in February.

Induction of new members- Susan Burrows and Kim Hemphill and Ed Waddle introduced themselves.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

February Speaker: "Butterfly and Hummingbird Gardening" to be presented by Tim Pollak.

February Refreshment Committee: Lead- Gail Dulian-Greeter- Judy Leonard, RC Members- Sheryl Anderson, Ethel Blanton, Carol Behm, Mary Fredrickson, Lucretia Lynch and Liz Perez. They will meet at the end of this meeting.

Thanks to the January Refreshment Committee: Lead- Carol Bufton-Greeter-Liz Spannraft, RC Members- Glenda Clark, Barbara Farrell, Kim Hemphill, Judy Jenson and Diane Sheehan.

Becky Bozarth spoke about the Milwaukee Art Museum's Art in Bloom event being held April 30th-May 3rd.

Reminders: Everyone was reminded to read the posts on the Information Board, take any articles of interest, and to be sure to return name tags before leaving the meeting.

Adjournment: A motion to adjourn was made by Liz Grulke and seconded. The motion passed; the meeting was adjourned at 2:35 pm.

Doreen Matteson & Judy Leonard-Co-Secretaries