

**Over the Garden Gate Meeting
April 28, 2014
Loyal High School**

14 members present

Meeting was called to order by President Donna Streiff.

Secretary report accepted as read.

Treasurer reported a balance of \$2,929.87 and accepted as read.

OLD BUSINESS

- Community gardens in Neillsville look good. E-mails are to be sent out regarding clean up time.
- Ted gave report on Dorchester, Abbotsford and Colby beds. Members needing hours can assist with building and setting up the beds. E-mails will be sent out when weather permits.
- Responding to Horticulture Inquiries Training will be May 28 in Eau Claire U.W.E. from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

NEW BUSINESS

- Plant sale set up is Friday, May 9 at 5:00 p.m. Only Master Gardeners are allowed to set up tables early. Saturday set up starts at 6:15 a.m. and sale will begin at 7:30 a.m.
- Humane Society garden clean up date needs to be set before their open house which is June 21.
- Summer trip is planned for Hosta Stop – Plover, Cottage Gardens – Waupaca, and Rose Hill – Hobart. No date yet. Linda is checking into a bus with Progressive Travel.
- Ask the Master Gardener – do we want to continue in person at UW-Extension Office or do it by email?
- Next meeting is May 19 with clean up at the library, 5:00 p.m. and then onto the fairground flower bed and planting. Meeting to follow at fairgrounds.

Meeting adjourned and then Matt Reinders gave a talk on the Loyal High School Greenhouse along with a tour.

Submitted by

Judy Vine
Secretary