

Over the Garden Gate

Meeting Minutes 11/28/16 – 9 members present

Meeting was called to order by President Linda Schultz. Secretary report read and accepted. Treasurer report community garden total is \$1,224.60 and club balance \$1,128.91 for a combined amount of 2,347.51.

Old Business

- We received a grant of \$250.0 for our 2017 bus trip. We ask that you start thinking of places to visit.
- A new chair person is needed for the fair booth.
- Community garden-FFA advisor was contacted. No word back yet. Six Garden Gate members helped with the fall clean up.
- Positive reports were given on the courthouse beds. Fall clean-up was completed on these beds also.

New Business

- Dave was unable to make the meeting but sent the bylaw changes and accomplishment report. He is also overseeing the clean-up and redo of the fairground area by the 4-H area.
- Richard suggested touring Northern Family Farms (greenhouse and supplier) in Merillan.
- \$50.00 was donated to Loyal and Granton food pantry.
- All officers will remain the same. Kris Keller will be the Wimga contact person.
- Master Gardner training will be held January through April.
- Master Gardner education on grafting apple trees and container gardening was suggested

Next meeting will be January 23, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. in the Neillsville Courthouse. We are also having a potluck that evening.

-Judy Vine, Secretary