

Minutes of Meeting November 10, 2025  
Garden Club of Dearborn

Meeting Called to Order at 11:07 by President Rose Wiggle. The Pledge of Allegiance was said and guests were introduced.

27 members present. Guests: Gwendolyn Holt (who found us at the senior expo!)

- Motion to accept the minutes of the previous meeting by Marlene Bankwitz and seconded by Judy Polcyn. Minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report -

- Balance is: \$22,525.00
- Full report is available from Laurine Griffin. Motion to accept the minutes by Mary Calder and seconded by Katrina Harris. Approved.
- Buddy's Fundraiser raised \$161.01 (which means we had over \$850 in sales).

Mary Bugeia read about the Poinsettia in the book 101 Flowers and How They Got Their Names

Community Outreach

- Terri Bungee reported about the poster contest.

Programs

- Kim Kovacs-Gucwa reported about next month's speaker who will present about simplifying your garden. Last month's speaker was well received.

Membership

- Carol Chrzastek sent in a report– there are currently 79 members

External Affairs

- Mary Bugeia reported on the lecture about Boblo Island at the museum.
- Next month's lecture is about Henry Ford.

Michigan District 1

- Linda Johnson

**Committee Reports**

Holly Berry Brunch Committee

- Gifts need to be brought to Terri Bungee's house by Friday. Please call ahead. Phone numbers are in the yearbook.
- **Volunteers are needed to sign up for the Holly Berry in various positions.**

New Business:

Paulette Baumgart reported that she contacted the Festival of Trees and if you would like to put a value on your wreath, you may. (In previous years some people were disappointed about how their wreath was priced high/low.) They may change it though. She also suggested that the table top trees be more spread out and some kept in the back and they said they would.

Meeting Adjourned by Rose Wiggle at 11:30.

Minutes Respectfully Submitted,  
Heather Yeaw  
Secretary