Lincoln County Master Gardeners General Meeting  
Bonsai Workshop  
Yachats Commons  
May 10, 2008

**Present**: Emilia Lacy, Mark Dixon, Anne Irving, Pam McElroy, Rick and Janet Anderson, Donna Taylor, Jeanie Singler, Marje Takei, Nancy Dixon, Liz Dillon, Diana Pinto, Ruth DeForest, Charles Dallas, and guest Mike Mulligan.

**Call to Order**

Mark Dixon called the meeting to order.

**Minutes**

A motion to approve the minutes of the last general meeting was made by Ruth DeForest, seconded by Anne Irving, and passed unanimously.

**Treasurer’s Report**

Anne Irving reviewed account balances. Income and Expenses are nearly equal. We are looking forward to the revenues from the Plant Sale. She also reviewed outstanding potential liability for student refunds from the Classes of 2006 and 2007.

**Fairgrounds Move**

Emilia Lacy said we removed everything from the Fairgrounds and Craft Hall. She stated that the old greenhouse had gone to the Lincoln City Community Gardens. Rick and Janet Anderson said that the greenhouse did not survive the trip up the highway, so there is no greenhouse in Lincoln City gardens. Emilia reviewed where everything had been sent: Waldport received the new greenhouse and the composter, 12th Street Gardens received the cloche, raised beds, and soil. The 2008 apprentices are working at the various community gardens to meet their garden project hours requirement. Rick Anderson noted that five north County apprentices are doing a Mediterranean Garden at the Lincoln City community gardens.

**Plant Sale**

Liz Dillon report on the upcoming MG Plant Sale, and requested help with plant labeling.

**Chapter Display**

Emilia said we are still seeking someone to do the chapter display for Mini-College.

**Announcements**
Anne Irving said Seal Rock is donating $150 to LCMGA for Liz Olsen’s project at Yaquina View/Yaquina Bay Lighthouse. The funds will be used to purchase tools and other needs for the garden.

**Fall Bulb Sale**

Anne Irving reported on the Fall Sale. There will be a number of different bulbs for sale to the public. We are able to buy at wholesale and in bulk. We will repack those in bulk and sell all at less than local retail. The first Saturday in October is the tentative day, but we need to confirm location first. Anne also said we still have many Identi-pens for sale.

**Bonsai Demonstration**

The meeting then moved into the bonsai demonstration by Doug Hage.

Respectfully submitted,

Pam McElroy
Secretary