

Wentworth Falls Garden Club Inc.
Minutes – General Meeting 12 January 2017
Wentworth Falls School of Arts Hall

President - Celeste Shadie

- Welcomed visitors.
- Welcomed new members:
 - Ken Bernoth
 - Dianne Bernoth
- GCA BM Zone meeting 12 Nov. Report by Gai. Friendship Day 13 May 2017 to be held Lithgow Worker's Club. Costa Georgiadis is possible guest speaker.
- 2016 GCA calendar. Feedback by members. Gai to forward feedback to GCA: inclusion of school term dates, quality of printing, hole for hanging not aligned.
- Gai advised that stage is being used for storage by Shakespeare group. Karen Ives, BMCC ensured theatre area was clear for WFGC GM.

Secretary – Gai Horrocks

Directed members' attention to Noticeboard:

- GM dates Jan-Nov 2017 on Noticeboard. No June GM.
- GCA Photographic Competition. Closing date 1 March 2017.
- Guest Speaker Schedule. Jan – May 2017. No June GM.
- Special Events/Open Days.

Financial Report – Henry Nelson

As per Statement of Accounts: 1st Nov – 31st Dec 2016.

Total Funds: \$3,990.40 Total Income: \$1,977.36. Expenditure: \$2,938.40

Available Funds: \$3,029.36

Moved Acceptance of Financial Report: Henry Nelson. Seconded: Fran Craze.

Welfare – Lea Nelson

- Get Well cards
 - Jan Klemenchic

Publicity – Narelle Nolan No Report. Apologies from Narelle.

Library – Carol Conway

- Silent Auction of donated books. Raffle ticket number used to indicate bidder.
- Silent Auction to be repeated Feb GM.
- 12 of the donated books to be accessioned.
- Pockets for accessioning ordered.
- Books and new DVD will be ready for Feb GM.
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Membership - Barry Butler. No Report.

Guest Speaker Schedule 2017 – Celeste Shadie

- Jan – May 2017 Guest Speaker Schedule on Noticeboard.

Tours and Functions – Sharon Phillips

- Plant Fair. 8 April 2017.
 - \$42 covers entry and lunch at Norman Lindsay Gallery.
 - Increase in entrance and diesel costs.
 - 7.30am bus departure.
- Christmas function 2017. Rebooked WFCC 7 December 2017.
- Two Garden Rambles today: Adrienne Brown, Jenny Priestley.
- Thank you to Narelle for Ramble maps.

What I have been doing in My Garden - Janine Shoemark.

- Janine requested 3-4 speakers for 2017 My Garden segment.
- Introduced Corrie Kennedy as Jan GM speaker.

Morning Tea

Guest Speaker - Celeste

- Guest Speaker: John Keir Landscapes. History and Development of Jenny Priestley's Garden.

Meeting Closed: 12.00

Next Meeting: Thursday 9 February 2017