

**Minutes – General Meeting of Wentworth Falls Garden Club
Thursday – 12 November 2015 at Wentworth Falls School of Arts Hall.**

President - Celeste Shadie

- Welcomed visitors
- Welcomed new member: Fiona Smedley.
- Circulated rosters for 2016: hall set-up and pull-down, morning tea helper, morning tea refreshment donations.
- Requested help in pulling down after meeting.
- Reminded members of discounts offered by local businesses.
- Updated members on WFGC Email contact and Direct Debit.
- Passed Q&A red book.

Secretary – Gai Horrocks

Advised members

- Display of WFGC Photo albums commencing 1989.
- 2016 General Meeting dates

Directed members' attention to noticeboard:

- Sarah Childs. Peonies

Financial Report – Henry Nelson

As per Statement of Accounts: 1 October – 31 October 2015

Total Funds: \$4,372.34 Total Income: \$1,160.67 Expenditure: \$925.66

Available Funds: \$4,607.35

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

Welfare – Henry on behalf of Lea.

- Nancy Pollock

Publicity – Narelle Nolan

- WFGC Newsletter format will change slightly commencing 2016.
- Garden Tips will be finalised having completed a 12 month cycle. To access tips refer to www.wentworthfallsgardenclub.com.

Library – Carol Conway

- Donation of books. For use in WFGC lending library or Silent Auction.
- Two DVDs purchased.

Membership - Barry Butler. Celeste on behalf of Barry.

- Membership rising steadily. Total 138 as of 12 November.

Tours and Functions – Sharon Phillips

- Recap - October: bus trip to Gairloch and Mayfield. Rambles to Belvidere and Cherry Dell gardens.
- Glenmore House. Friday 13 November.
- Christmas Lunch. 65 members to attend so far.
- November Ramble hosts. Vic and Ronah Tuite, Janine and Peter Shoemark. Map available.

Q&A

Marjorie Gunasekara. Roving mike by Jane Blackshaw.

Morning Tea

Guest Speaker: Judy Horton. "The History of the Australian Backyard"

Registered horticulturist, media personality, and tour guide specialising in botanical tours.

Meeting Closed:

Next Meeting: Thursday 14 January 2016