

**March 23, 2013 (Coralville Public Library)
CVIDS Meeting Minutes by Sally Riewerts for Donna Denly**

53 members present

We enjoyed a very informative and “eye pleasing” program on perennials by Deb Wade from Peck’s Nursery in Cedar Rapids. Her program showed a wide variety of shade tolerant and sun loving plants of many varieties. From alchemilla to asters and from Hellaborus to Heucherella, she held the interest of the membership and gave good information on plants that will grow well in our gardens.

53 members grabbed another food serving and we began the business meeting as Zora welcomed all at 2:55 p.m.

The minutes were approved with a motion by Gary Oster and second by Clay Dawson, although there was some discussion as to the web availability of the minutes from the Feb. meeting.

The treasurer’s report was tabled until next month so that all plant distribution vendors could be included.

Jackie Westhoff presented information on the North American Lily Society, Inc. 66th Annual Lily Show and Symposium which will be held in West Des Moines, Iowa, from June 26 to 30, 2013. More information is available at the web site: <http://www.iowaregionallilysociety.com/NALS2013show.html> or at NALS2013ShowSchedule.pdf. Their show will have presentations, floral displays, auctions and garden tours similar to our regional last summer.

Susan Minger reported on the Club Tour for this summer. It will be held the Saturday after July 4th and she asked for additional gardens that might be included in the North English area near the Moffitts’ gardens.

Heather Harroun requested clarification re. the returning plants from the 2010 plant distribution. Last fall’s plant return was cancelled due to the drought and severe growing conditions in favor of returning these plants at the same time as the Club Plant Distribution on May 25 of 2013. All members who received club plants in 2010 are asked to notify Heather with the name and number of fans to be returned then. She also will need to know if plants have died or have no increase. The 2010 plant distribution list is on the club web site.

Open board positions at the end of 2013 include Treasurer, Vice President and Secretary. Further information will be coming from Zora.

In a motion by Gary Oster seconded by Rex McCreight, the membership approved CVIDS hosting the 2019 Region One regional meeting again as we did this past summer. The biggest concern for committing to this event is that we will all be six years older in 2019....

The initiative to have a bus tour for the club was shelved in favor of procuring a “named” speaker for the Fall Banquet. Keith Riewerts is working on this project.

Verne Moore moved to adjourn seconded by Clay Dawson. Motion approved.

Following the business meeting, Nancy Carlisle gave a well-received presentation on labeling your plants. From organizing your collection to losing labels due to over-zealous lawn workers to the types of labels available and markers to make labels permanent, Nancy shared interesting and useful information.

Several members, including Barb Papenhausen, Gerald Hobbs and Keith Riewerts added their “label secrets” during a Q and A time.

Finally, Keith Riewerts handed out Membership Directory Updates that he and Jonathan Poulton had compiled and had printed.

Two new members attended; Mel Bauguess and Scott Feddern.

Door Prizes were randomly drawn. Winners include Jackie Westhoff, Brenda Knipper, Rex McCreight, Joyce Parsons, Sherry Baldonado, and Gerald Hobbs

Respectfully submitted: Sally Riewerts

CVIDS Attendance March 23, 2013

53 members marked their attendance at the March 23rd CVIDS meeting, held at the Coralville Public Library.

Sherry Baldonado	Robert Moffitt
Mel Bauguess (new member)	Suzanne Moffit
Barbara Bowersox	Cathy Moore
Nancy Carlisle	Robert Moore
Doris Carney	Mary Moore
Wayne Carney	Verne Moore
Clay Dawson	Karmin Mullins
Kathy Dawson	Gary Oster
Diane Derganz	Barb Papenhausen
Monica Dabling	Bob Papenhausen
Scott Feddern (new member)	Joyce Parsons
Jill Gardner	Steve Parsons
Sara Hankemeier	Diann Pavelka
Scott Hansen	LeAnn Pisarik
Heather Harroun	Ginger Pruess
Loren Hass	Nancy Rash
Myrna Hass	Keith Riewerts
Kay Hill	Sally Riewerts
Gerald Hobbs	Jan Rogers
Steve Hobbs	Zora Ronan
Brenda Knipper	Sylvia Seymour
Roger Knipper	Diana Strait
Dave Kramer	Ted Strait
Sue Kramer	Shirley Waters
Barb McCreight	Jackie Westhoff
Rex McCreight	
Susan Minger	
Lyle Moen	
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