**Alpine Master Gardener Association**

**Minutes September 23, 2015**

Board Members present: Karen Blewett, President; Jeanne Freymuth, Vice President; Michelle Roberts, Treasurer; Betty Hartmann, Secretary

Margaret Albert agreed to be on the nominating committee. The two offices open are Vice President and Secretary.

6 hours of education have been provided by our monthly meetings in 2015. Jeanne Freymuth reported that 3 of the 14 weeks of classes for Master Gardeners have taken place. Alpine Master Gardeners may audit classes for $5 a class. Each class provides 4 hours of education.

Members needing a Master Gardener name tag should email Rudi Edel to request one and he will contact MSU Extension.

Thank you to Lorraine Blazic and Karen Blewett for the tasty snacks.

The guest speaker is Karen Fifield from MSU Extension of Montmorency County. She is speaking about drying and preserving vegetables, fruits, and herbs.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty Hartmann, Secretary