

Minutes for Feb 11 Edelweiss Garden Club

Meeting was called to order at 10:30 by first vice president Denise Matteini. The Pledge of Allegiance was said. Minutes from our previous meeting, the by-laws revision, and the presidents report were tabled. Denise introduced our guest speaker Niki Diehl, from Dynamic Physical Therapy, who recommended stretches for gardening and ways to protect our body when working in the garden. Members also recommended tools they have that help with gardening. Denise said she needed more volunteers for the spring luncheon. Karen Gurchiek, Linda Kirkpatrick, and Jane Mead volunteered. The luncheon will be on May 13 at the Waters Twp. Hall. Dee Buraou reported on the sun catchers that are being made for the convention in June. Help is needed to finish them. Members who want to help will meet at the Sportsplex on March 18 for a work session to finish them. Linda Reinhardt, the treasurer, reported that we have \$7,188.75 in the bank. Mirja Hoeft reported that the VFW members picked up the money from the Christmas luncheon. She said they will start building their new post near the Patriot Place. There were 43 individuals in attendance at the luncheon. Ann Kureth reported on the basket for the convention. She said she hasn't done a lot yet but is thinking of making it around golf. Sue Brown, a new member, volunteered to take over the website starting in June. Denise announced that members can pay their dues at the next couple meetings or send them to her. They are \$15. Jeanne Freymuth made an announcement about the Up North Gardening seminar and luncheon that Master Gardeners are sponsoring on Feb. 21 at Treetops. Nancy Pike let us know that the Gaylord Chamber has us listed as members but we are bot members anymore. There was some discussion on this topic. Meeting was adjointed at 11:29

Submitted by Roseann Kujawa