Gardens Council Committees:
Chairs and Members
2017

Regular Committees

**Amateur Radio Club**

Chair: Ed Ansell

Members: Doug Betts, Sharon Dannels, Bill Johnston, Dick Newton, Marida Slobko, Bill Thomas, Milt Wilson

**Announcements**

Chair: Warren Wright

Members: Dick Carlson, Carlynn Christian, Don Griffin, Jane O'Donnell, Georgia McManigal, Wyn Scalia, John Suchocki, Peggy Verrill

**Appreciation Party**

Chair: Don Robinson
Members: Charlene Betts, Gigi Fossum, Ellen Heymann, Sue Robinson, Wyn Scalia

**Art Inventory**

Chair: Barbara Patch

Members: TBD

**Arts and Crafts Center**

Chair: TBD

Members: TBD
Audio/Video Facilities

Chair: David Reger

Members: Gus Diesslin (Sunday Vespers), Bill Elhai, Don Griffin, Debby Griffin (Support), Jane O’Donnell, Bill Thomas, Harold Unland, Milt Wilson

“Loop” Volunteers: Fran Bruner, Marianna Ekelund, Jean Motz, John Nelson, Pat Olson

Banking Services

Co-Chairs: Rob Kurtz, Ada Mok,

Members: Joan Casson, Jim Heywood, Alice Lichti, Claire Lee, Doris Littlejohns, Phyllis Maslow, Helen-Jeanne Munter, Virginia Peele, Mary Ritchie, Joyce Roebuck, Kitty Schulte

Biography Files

Chair: Bob Rogers

Members: Adar Belinkoff, Bob Brown, Milly Jones

Birthday Dinner

Chair: Carol Tanenbaum

Members: Debby Griffin, Melva Kokka, Sheila Kyster, Helen Latson, Judy Perkins

Book Reviews

Chair: Patrick Culbertson

Members: Sandy Glass, Nancy King, John Maguire, Maggie O’Connor, Tom Rimer, Natalie Stalwick, Katie Schwarzenbach
Bridge/Games
Chair: Reid Shannon
Members: Stan Barnes, Harvey King, Marida Slobko

Bulletin Boards
Chair: Julie Howard
Members: Charlene Betts (Poets’ Info), Barbara Leochner

Christmas Package Distribution
Co-Chairs: Dale and Julie Bensko
Members: TBD

Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)
Chair: Rob Kurtz
Members: Ed Ansell, Ed Babcock, Doug Betts, Donald Brown, Evelyn Diaz Brown, Sharon Dannels, Lenore Dollries, Anne Henke, Bob Lee, Martha Lewis, Barbara Miller, Jack Miller, Dick Newton, Don Robinson, Sue Robinson, Joyce Roebuck, Sue Smith Crowley, Milt Wilson, Warren Wright
Ex-Officio: Will Levitt, Dennis Smith

Community Orientation
Chair: Carlynn Christian
Members: Dick Newton, Joan Phillips

Computer Administration
Chair: Rob Kurtz
Members: Dick Newton, Bob Rogers
Conservation & Sustainability

Chair: Jan Bush

Members: Georgeann Andrus, Ken & Marion Brown, Liz Davis, Ellen & Roger Heymann, Bob Lee, Doreen Maas (Chair of Buildings & Grounds Advisory Committee), Stuart Oskamp, Marilyn Peppin, Ethel Rogers, Ray Schmidt, Hazel Scotto, Sam Tanenbaum

Copy Machine/Shredder

Co-Chairs: John Suchocki, Ada Mok

Members: Gus Diesslin, Howard Ulm

Dance

Chair: Mary Cavena

Members: Jean Motz

Dining Services

Chair: Carole Harter

Members: Nora Butler, Fran Gilfry, Sheila Kyster, Betty Reynolds, Mary Ritchie, Betty Roleder, Peggy Spear, Natalie Stalwick, Carolyn Whitham

Ex-Officio: Maureen Beith, Bob Betros, Ken Deal, Jack Forrest, Laura Ortiz

Display Cases

Chair: David McCarthy

Members: Betty Naylor, Nancy Norris

Diversity

Chair: Bette Corner
Members: Carmen Abramovitz, Norman Cadman, Bette Corner, Sallie Curtis, Alice Granewich, Ken Hunter, Joe Kelly, David Levering, Lilly Levering, Marie Long, David Reger, Lola Taylor, Bob Tranquada, Jan Tranquada, Harold Unland, Bill Wells

Education Scholarships

Co-Chairs: John Ekelund, Rich Phillips

Members: Carmen Abramovitz, Trisch Diaz, Anne Henke, Georgia McManigal, David Reger

Evergreen Villas – Friends of

Chair: Ralph Riffenburgh

Members: TBD

Excursions – Baseball

Chair: Herb Christian

Members: Bill Granewich, John Suchocki

Excursions – Day Trips

Co-Chairs: Bette Corner, Marilyn White

Members: Jeanne Bellman, Sallie Curtis, Bill Dingle, Gigi Fossum, Teddy Hopper, Peggy Phelps, Tom Slobko, Norma Wilson

Excursion – Theater (South Coast Repertory)

Chair: Janet Kahn

Members: Meg Evans

The Forum

Chair: Milt Wilson
Members: Tom Beal, Cathie Brown, John Maguire, Stuart Oskamp, Jil Stark

**Gallery Exhibits**

Co-Chairs: Jack Edwards, Jane Park Wells

Members: Connie Black, Susan Hunt, Ardys Hunter, Joe Kelly, Jeanne Kennedy, Peggy Phelps, Katie Schwartzzenbach, Gen Steinfeld

**Gardens Chorale**

Chair: Pat Kelly

Members:
- Sopranos & Altos: Mary Anne Blaine, Jean Cochran, Myrlie Evers-Williams, Margaret Fulmer, Fran Gilfry, Katie Hawks, Cathy Henley-Erickson, Ruth Henzie, Teddy Hopper, Julie Howard, Doris Jacob, Pat Johnston, Pat Kelly, Georgia McManigal, Justine Mintzer, Nicole Mitescu, Louise Newman, Maggie O’Connor, Jane O’Donnell, Peggy Phelps, Carolyn Prestwich, Nan Reger, Wyn Scalia, Georgia Shannon, Peggy Spear, Marian Thompson, Gania Trotter, Marilyn White, Joan Wild, Norma Wilson

**Gardens – Rose**

Chair: Grace Tallon

Members: Ken Brown, Marion Brown, Roger Heymann, Barbara Miller, Jil Stark

**Gardens – Cutting**

Chair: TBD
Members: TBD
Genealogy

Chair: Bob Lee


Great Decisions

Chair: Warren Wright

Members: Bill Johnston, Pat Johnston, Jack Miller, Stuart Oskamp, Jean Wright

Green Leaf

Chair: Cathie Brown (Editor)

Members (Reporters and Copy Editors): Charlene Betts, Dick Carlson, Janie Carpenter, Ann Dozier, John Ekelund, Debby Griffin (Distributor), Kay Grimmesey, Sid Jones, Kurt Liepman, Mary Pierson, Carolyn Prestwich, Ethel Rogers, Katie Schwarzenbach, Peggy Spear, Kathleen Wicker

Health Education

Chair: Mel Butler

Members: None

Health Services

Chair: Mel Butler

Members: Ken Brown, Joan Casson, Frank Hungerford, Pat Johnston, Melva Kokka, Rob Kurtz, Lee McDonald, Alice Oglesby (Secretary), Joan Presecan, Janet Riser, Hazel Scotto, Gene St. Clair, Sue Stutzman, Bob Tranquada
Hearing
Chair: Kirsten Gonzalez
Members: Bob Lee, Jack Miller, Marilyn Peppin, Ralph Riffenburgh
Volunteers: Fran Bruner, Jim Long

Horseshoes
Chair: Sid Jones
Members: Dick Carlson, Herb & Carlynn Christian, Gus Diesslin, Don Robinson, Wyn Scalia, Gene St. Clair, John Suchocki, Bob Tranquada

Hospitality
Co-Chairs: Norm and Pat Bortscheller, John and Pat Nelson
Members: David and Justine Mintzer, Don and Sue Robinson

Housekeeping
Chair: Margaret Cooke
Members:
A Bldg: Pat Norin
B Bldg: Gerry Newman
C Bldg: Margie McKinley
D Bldg: Doreen Maas
Fringe: Wyn Scalia
Harrison: Marianna Ekelund
Bonita: Claire Lee
Terraces: Karl Kohn
Oak Tree Lodge: Doris Littlejohns

Inter-Faith Chaplain Support
Chair: Harold Unland
Members: Ardys Hunter, Joan Irvine, Barbara Patch, Jane Schaffner

**Interiors**

Co-Chairs: Nancy Norris, Peggy Verrill

Members: Ruth Abel, Barbara Patch

Consultants: Constance Black, Gayle Ginsburg

**Knitting**

Chair: June Anderson

Members: Julie Bensko, Charlene Betts, Meg Evans, Barb Heywood, Donah Holmes, Helen Latson, Martha Lewis, Elaine Newton, Laura Perry, Norma Wilson

**Koffee Klatch**

Chair: Georgia McManigal

Members: Gus Diesslin, Meg Evans, Denny Gambill, Jean Motz, Bill and Rosemary Thomas

**Library**

Chair: Tish Butler

Co-Supervisors: Becca Kurtz, Louise Newman

Members: Catharine Alexander, Ann Dozier, Joe Kelly, Joan Phillips, Betty Roleder, Sam Tanenbaum, Nancy Waldman

Staff: Bridgette Evangelista

**Live Poets Society**

Chair: Charlene Betts
Members: Catherine Cameron, Bob Crowley, Mary Lou Davis, John Ekelund, Cathy Henley-Erickson, Ardys Hunter, Lillian Levering, Jean Mill, Sturat Oskamp, John Suchoki, Carol Tanenbaum, Arnie Thompson, Milt Wilson

**Lost and Found**

Chair: Norm Bortscheller

Members: TBD

**Lounge Flowers**

Chair: Barbara Patch

Members: Carla Britton, Carlynn Christian, Marty Digges, Doreen Maas, Jean Mill, Betty Naylor, Paula Ray, Mary Ritchie, Lola Taylor

**Model Trains**

Chair: Doug Betts

Members: David Bruner, Jack Edwards, Roger Ginsburg, Frank Hungerford, Howard Ulm

**Musical Programs**

Chair: Natalie Stalwick

Members: Patrick Culbertson, Fran Gilfry, Don Griffin (Advisory A/V), Ellen Heymann (Advisory-Pianos), Roger Heymann (Advisory-Pianos), Evelyn Hubacker (Advisory-Pianos), Joe Kelly (volunteer worker), Pat Kelly, Bill McCallister, John Nelson, Frankie Nobert, Jane O’Donnell, Ladell Payne (volunteer worker), Betty Roleder, Sam Tanenbaum, John Tate, Gania Trotter

**Photography – Events**

Chair: Jean Mill
Members: TBD

**Pool Room/Billiards**

Chair: Herb Christian

Members: Alan Carlisle, Gus Diesslin, Dick Dozier, Kurt Liepman, Reid Shannon

**Postage Stamp Sales**

Chair: Norma Wilson

Members: Gigi Fossum, Barb Heywood, Claire Lee, Jean Motz, Marj Stoddard, Joyce Roebuck

**Putting Green**

Co-Chairs: Mel and Nora Butler, Jim and Barb Heywood

Members: Doug Betts, Herb Christian, Gus Diesslin, Alice Lillie, Jean Motz, John Suchocki

**Puzzles**

Chair: Norma Wilson

Members: Sally Boyle, Nan Reger, Kim Sutton

**Resident Holiday/Theme Parties**

Co-Chairs: Judy Rascon, Sid Jones

Members: Charlene Betts, Norm Bortscheller, Gayle Ginsburg, Katie Hawks, Ellen & Roger Heymann, Donah Holmes, Doreen Maas, Margie McKinley, Elaine Newton, Ethel Rogers, Kate Stoeer, Peggy Verrill, Dorothy Whitham
Resident Interviews

Chair: Reid Shannon

Members: Ed Ansell, Karl Kohn, John Maguire, Stuart Oskamp, Bill Relf, Susan Seymour, Peggy Spear

Sales Room

Chair: Warren Wright

Furniture Sales: Warren Wright (Mgr), Dale Bensko, Jean Motz, Paula Ray, Bill Richards, Katie Schwarzenbach, Jayne Sutton

Housewares Sales: Sharon Dannels (Mgr), Sally Boyle, Mary Escherich, Violet Nielsen

Jewelry Sales: Julie Bensko (Mgr), Barbara Leochner

San Antonio Shop

Chair (Manager): Nancy Norris (Buyer – Gifts, Inventory, Display)
Personal: Virginia Peelle (Scheduling, Paper Supply, Cashier, Olives)
Treasurer: Alice Lichti (Cashier)

Cashiers: Emily Becker, Fran Bruner, Nora Butler, Ann Chaney, Meg Evans (Buyer – Assorted Candy/Food), Ruth Henzie, Barbara Heywood (Hand-Stamped Greeting Cards), Donah Holmes, Barbara McDowell, Jean Motz, Pat Nelson, Joyce Roebuck, Wyn Scalia, Kate Stoever, Rosemary Thomas, Marilyn White, Carolyn Wieland

Sales: Jean Abell, Don Brown (Buyer – Personal Products, See’s Candy), Mary Jo Clauer, Helen Crawford, Sallie Curtis, Mary Escherich, Gigi Fossum, Fran Gilfry, Melva Kokka, Helen Latson, Doris Littlejohns, Ruth Martindale (Buyer – Greeting Cards), Georgia McManigal, Betty Merfield, Catherine Miller, Nicole Mitescu, Judy Perkins, Joan Phillips, Betty Reynolds, Don Robinson (Buyer – Office Supplies), Sue Robinson, Eiko Tamiyasu, Virginia Waggoner
At Large: Ruth Abell (Asst. Buyer – Gifts), Marty Digges (Place Cards),
Murray DuVall, Joan Irvine (Asst. Buyer – Gifts), Fred Maynard (Asst.
Buyer – Products), David McCarthy (Receiving, Display). To Be Contacted:
Katie Hawkes, Marianne Hillman, Lee Jackman, Nan Reger

Saturday Night Movies

Chair: Joe Kelly

Members: Jack Doyle, Barbara Leochner, Kurt Liepman, Alice Lillie, Joan
Nay, Maggie O’Conner, Georgia Shannon

Speaker’s Corner

Chair: Rich Phillips

Members: Catharine Alexander, Georgeann Andrus, Hanne Ansell, Marion
Brown, Steve Glass, Susan Seymour, Bob Tranquada

Special Program Requests

Chair: Georgia McManigal

Members: Hanne Ansell, Margaret Cooke, Denny Gambill, Betsy Grindle,
Bob Tranquada, Nancy Waldman

Summer Day Camp

Chair: Carole Harter

Members: Pat Bortscheller, Carlynn Christian, Marianna Ekelund, Joe Kelly,
Becca Kurtz, Bob & Claire Lee, Nan Maples, Mary Jean Neault (Staff), Judy
Rascon, Kim Sutton

Swimming Pool

Chair: Pat Bortscheller

Members: Helen Crawford, Louise Newman, Nan Reger, Kim Sutton,
Harold Unland
Theater Company

Co-Chairs: Mary Cavena, Jean Korf

Members: Roger Ginsburg, Janet Kahn, Mike Layne

Transportation

Chair: Jayne Sutton

Members: Frances Gilfry, Betsy Grindle

Visual Aid

Chair: TBD

Members: Kay Grimmesey, Anne Henke, Jan Kahn, Marida Slobko, Marj Stoddard, Jean Ann Wright

Website

Chair: Bob Rogers

Members: Adar Belinkoff, Bob Lee, Roberta Russell

Woodworking Shop

Chair: Duane Jackman

Members: Doug Betts, Ken Brown, David Bruner, Laurie Graham, Ellen Heymann, Roger Heymann, Bill Thomas

Standing Committees

Appreciation Retirement/Fund

Co-Chairs: Martha Lewis, Stuart Oskamp

Members: TBD
Budget

   Chair: TBD

   Members: Conrad Maas (Treasurer), Barbara McDowell (Asst. Treasurer),
   Bill Relf, Joyce Roebuck, Bob Rogers

Building/Grounds Advisory

   Chair: Doreen Maas

   Members:
   A Bldg: Rosemary Thomas
   B Bldg: Kurt Liepman
   C Bldg: Betty Buschman
   D Bldg: David Bruner, Sam Tanenbaum
   Fringe: Jack Edwards
   Bonita/Taylor: Gene Corey
   Harrison: Pat Nelson
   BHT: Marj Jollymour
   Terraces: Sid Jones
   Oak Tree Lodge: Joan Nay
   Interiors: Nancy Norris
   Administration: Maureen Beith, Julianna Clark (Secretary), Will Levitt, Bob
   Pierce (or Steve Wheeler)

Committee on Committees

   Chair: Bill Wells

   Members:
   A Bldg: Bette Corner
   B Bldg: Jane O’Donnell
   C Bldg: Gloria Slosberg
   D-1 Bldg: Evelyn Diaz Brown
   D-2 Bldg: Becca Kurtz
   Fringe: David McCarthy
   Bonita/Taylor: Rich Phillips
   Harrison: John Ekelund
   Terraces: Sid Jones
Oak Tree Lodge: Bill Richards
Magnolia Grove: TBD

Memorial

Chair: Marilyn White

Members: Gus Diesslin, Millie Farnsworth, Nicole Mitescu,

Nominations

Chair: TBD

Members: Trisch Diaz, Karl Kohn, Louise Newman, Dick Newton, Jayne Sutton

Special Needs

Co-Chairs: Joan Casson, Peggy Spear

Members: Nancy Norris, Bill Relf, Joyce Roebuck, Bob Rogers

Ex Officio: Marilyn Dale, Bill Wells

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