



Rio Lindo Garden Club

of Port St Lucie Florida

Meeting Room at the Port St. Lucie Botanical Garden 2410 SE Westmoreland Blvd, Port St. Lucie

Newsletter

November 2022

Upcoming Meeting

November 28th - 1 PM

November 28th, 2022 Agenda

1:00 PM - Speaker **Program/Workshop**- Holiday Floral Arrangement for Home with club member—Stephanie Alessandrini-Giaraffa (See details below.)

2:00 PM - **Hospitality**— Please check the yearbook and our website. If you can't attend please try to exchange dates with another member. Let Illona know.

2:30 PM - **Business Meeting**

Workshop (at 1PM)—Floral Arranging, **Stephanie Alessandrini-Giaraffa** will instruct us on how to make a home holiday arrangement that will last through the Holidays. The club will provide the oasis, container, tape, greens and flowers.

You should bring clippers, gloves and holiday ornaments you wish to include in the centerpiece. Members who RSVP'd by 11/ 14th- Boaz, Bird, Christie, Enzian, Frankel, Guthrie, Julius, Kelly, King, Lane, Lewis, Penkosky, Rosselli, Scaglione, Scully, Trotter, Vanella, Velez, Waters, York and Zeller.

Hello Gardening Friends!

The holidays are upon us! We will be getting in the spirit of the season by making floral arrangements that we get to take home. Our talented Stephanie A-G will be instructing us. Remember you need to advise Elaine Minga so the club can purchase your materials in advance. Please check your yearbook or the website to see if you are scheduled to be a refreshment hostess for our November 28 meeting. I hope you reserved your seat for the BOK Tower Bus Trip December 6 with Joleen or Illona since at the time I am writing this we may have only one or two seats left. Rio Lindo Garden Club is famous for our great bus trips. You wouldn't want to miss it! Let's take time this special season to count our blessings & remember those less fortunate.

Your President, *Karen York*



ROSE GARDEN TLC WORK DAYS: 9:00 am , on Thursday, December 8th & Wednesday 12-21st at the PSLBG Rose Garden.

Thank you on 11-16th to Anne, Katheleen, Virginia, Marilyn & kneeling Nancy. Lorrie & Joanne—no photo

Membership

A Warm Welcome to our club's newest members—all three joined at our last meeting.

Shelley Frankel
Lorrie Guthrie
Ellabee Scully



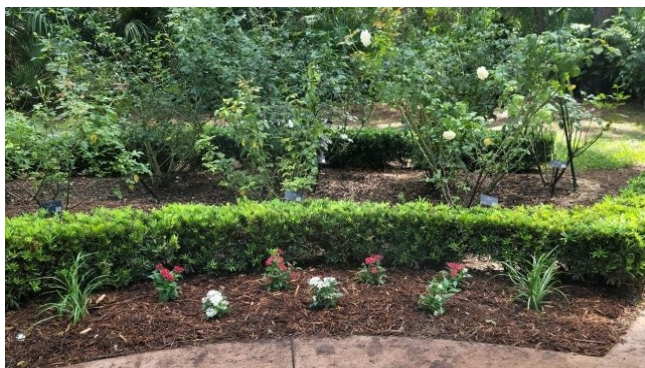
Ellebee enjoyed making the succulent planter at our last meeting. *Total membership count = 47*

Happy Birthday to all born in **November!**



Gerrie DeMonde 13th
Darlene Enzian 23rd
Gail Julius 28th
Gloria Lewis 28th

Members have been preparing for the "Holiday Lights in the Garden" event at the PSLBG. Red and white pentas have been planted in front of the garden. Sparkling lights will be placed inside the rose quadrants. **Sign up** to sit by the Rose Garden one night to talk about the garden and our club. **Volunteer** to make a raffle basket as a fundraiser so raffle tickets can be sold as a fundraiser. Contact Anne Nourse for details at aonourse@verizon.net or 443-758-4447.



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Important Events Ahead —

December 6, 2022 (Tues. - 7:30am to approx 5:30pm) **Bus Trip to BOK Tower Gardens**, Lake Wales, FL. (**Club Fundraiser**) Bus departs from PSLBG **Trip Filled**

January 10, 2023 (Tues. - 7:30 - 9PM) **Bat Stroll in the Gardens** (**Fundraiser**) conducted by Ken Gioeli, St. Lucie County Extension Agent. (still open for reservations) at PSLBG Port St. Lucie, FL 34952 **Cost \$20**

January 20, 2023 (Fri. - 11am) **Arbor Day Memorial Tree Planting** Port St. Lucie Botanical Gardens Rio Lindo Garden Club will be participating.

January 25 - 26, 2023 (Wed. & Thurs.) **66th Annual Tropical Short Course "Gardening for Life Part II"** **\$75** Registration Deadline - 1/13/23 **Sign up sheet for Carpooling to this event at our Nov. meeting.**

NEXT MEETING: **January 23, 2023** (Monday - 1pm) *Creating a Thriving Pollinator Garden* with C J McCartney

Details of all above events on our Website under **Save the Date!** <http://rio-lindo-gardenclub.org/index.html>

