

Boynton Beach Garden Club
Founded 1938 – Federated 1953



Welcome

Boynton Beach Garden Club members meet monthly from September to May. Meetings provide a setting to socialize and enjoy educational programs focused on gardening and environmental topics presented by guest speakers or through workshops, and group tours/trips. We believe our club offers an informative and enjoyable experience. Guests are welcome at all meetings, giving you the opportunity to attend two meetings before becoming a member.

TO JOIN THE BOYNTON BEACH GARDEN CLUB

Supporting community conservation and environmental events, our club expects participation by members in our committees and attendance at community events. We maintain several community gardens, and as a club we organize civic activities such as The Blue Star Marker memorial event and have representation at Boynton Beach's events, such as the annual Earth Day celebration.

Your membership includes:

- New friends that have similar interests as you
- Ability to expand your gardening knowledge
- Ability to help support our BBCG's community beautification efforts
- A BBGC Yearbook
- Access to the Boynton Beach Garden Club's website
- Monthly BBCG Newsletter, 'The Boynton Bloomers'
- Membership in National Garden Clubs, Inc.
- Membership in Deep South Region Garden Club, Inc.
- Membership in Florida Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc.
- Membership in FFGC District X

ANNUAL DUES:\$45 - renewable in April

Boynton Beach Garden Club.
Send the check to: Linda Christianson
6570 Jog Estates Lane
Boynton Beach, FL 33437

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Membership Form

Date _____

Name Last _____ First _____

Username _____

Birthday (mm/dd) _____

Local Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email _____

Seasonal Address _____

Other Club Affiliations _____

What knowledge or special skills can you share?

Boynton Beach Garden Club Committees: to enhance your membership, you must volunteer for at least 1 or more committees.

____ Art in Bloom ____ Fundraising ____ Awards ____ Horticulture
____ Hospitality ____ Sunshine ____ Publicity ____ Butterfly Certification
____ Bylaws ____ Website ____ Yearbook ____ Raffles
____ Trip Planning and Summer Lunches

Civic Projects

____ Penny Pines ____ Blue Star Marker ____ Rustic Retreat

Community Projects

____ Butterfly Garden ____ Community Garden ____ Youth Garden
____ Memorial Garden ____ Wekiva/Seek

Boynton Beach Garden Club Committees

ART IN BLOOM Coordinates the annual show in which members arrange flowers to interpret artwork supplied by local elementary school students. Awards given in different categories.

FUNDRAISING Plans and organizes fundraising project(s) to fund donations to community organizations and scholarships to children summer programs such as Camp Wekiva.

AWARDS Recognizes membership or committee achievements following the goals and objectives of the FFGC Awards.

HORTICULTURE Provides a brief educational presentation at each monthly meeting.

BUTTERFLY CERTIFICATION Tours gardens of members requesting certification and awards certification when approved by state chairman. Provides education on butterfly plants at monthly meetings.

BYLAWS Meets as needed to make changes or corrections.

HOSPITALITY Coordinates refreshments at meetings and events.

WEBSITE Maintains accuracy and updates information as needed on the website. Helps the webmaster with site functions.

PENNY PINES Collects donations for the replanting replacement of trees indigenous to a particular damaged area. The jar for donations is passed at monthly meetings.

BLUE STAR MARKER Organizes a ceremony held at Blue Star Marker on Veterans' Day. These markers across the highways of the U.S. pay tribute to those who served in the armed forces.

RAFFLES Organizes monthly meeting fundraiser raffle, generally raffling donated plants.

RUSTIC RETREAT Coordinates November visit and other visits during the year in support of the Veterans Retirement Home.

TRIPS/LUNCHEONS Coordinates bus trips, carpools for members; plans the summer luncheons.

BUTTERFLY GARDEN Maintains the garden located by the Schoolhouse Children's Museum, Ocean Ave, Boynton Beach.

COMMUNITY GARDEN Maintains the garden on N.Seacrest and NW 5th Ave in Boynton Beach.

YOUTH GARDENERS Works with and helps to educate elementary age children about Florida gardening at local elementary school.

MEMORIAL GARDEN Maintains the garden at Highpoint West, located at our meeting site.

YEARBOOK Updates new yearbook and makes changes as needed.

Wekiva/SEEK Identifies possible applicants for either camp.

SUNSHINE Sends birthday and get well cards and phone calls as needed.

PUBLICITY Creates public awareness of our club and activities.