Palmer Arboretum

Regular Meeting

Wednesday, Octobrt 27, 2015

Woodstock Town Hall Room B

1. **Call to Order** 7:05 p.m.

2. **Attendance**: Chair Bill Brower, Chad Hart, Marian Hallowell, and Edie Pearce
   Excused – Judith Gries, Marilyn Pomeroy, Matt Sheldon and Dave Schroeder

3. **Approval of September Minutes** – Edie/Chad

4. **Treasurer's Report** - Balance as of 10/19/15 $3,692.50

5. **Old Business**:

   a. **Continuing topics:**

      i. **Budget …new news**
         1. **Beech bleeding canker** – Problem – fungus – treatment needed.
      ii. **Fence fully stained** – Thanks to the volunteers.
      iii. **Margaret "Peg" Koerner's** Rhododendron - Spring wait.
      iv. **Rain Garden, John Navarro had it dug out – not enough** – Bill - contact John.
      vi. **Shade Garden: Linda Kaplan, Deb Lee**-wait! Spring –lack of rain.
      vi. **Tree ID: $ Philippa Paquette, Mary Ellen Ellsworth et al**. – List done.
      vii. **Stone engraving: Nancy Sheldon** - Stop and see stone at entrance.
      viii. **Hillside and daylilies – Planted, daffs are being planted.** In progress.
      ix. **Brochures:**
         1. Shade Garden – working on it.
         2. Arboretum –
      x. **Shrub Planting** – spring area – Dave
         1. Prep

6. **New Business:**

   a. **Fall cleanup** – At the end of season.
   a. **Self-guided tour-mailbox** – Larger mailbox in spring.

7. **Adjourned** 7:30 p.m. Edie/Chad

Next meetings are scheduled for November 17 and December 15, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Marian Hallowell
Palmer Arboretum Secretary