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## Wellington Garden Club

Feedback

**Dear WGC Members,**

**It is with sad heart that I send this message to you.**

**Kay Brown passed away on December 20, 2023. Kay has been a long-time member of WGC and co-chair of our Adopt-A-Street project for a number of years.**

**Her Memorial will take place on January 6, 2024 from 10:00 am to 12:00pm at Lakeside Funeral and Cremation which is located at 11347 Okeechobee Blvd., Royal Palm Beach, FL. 33411.**

December 31, 2023

Wellington Garden Club  
Treasurer Report

Income since November 30, 2023 was \$3,718.78, primarily from Kings Academy fund raising and holiday luncheon raffle.

Expenses since November 30, 2023 were \$3,889.01 for Kings Academy fund raiser and holiday luncheon.

Balance in the checking account is \$21,864.96.

For more information please review the budget versus p&l to date.

Danese Sloan Kendall  
Treasurer

## Gardening School, Course 4



Created by Tippawan Sookruay  
from Noun Project

Interested in taking your gardening skills to the next level? Looking for more information about gardening in SE Florida? District X has engaged four of the area's most knowledgeable presenters for this spring's Gardening School, Course 4. Take advantage of this opportunity to expand your general knowledge about gardening and horticulture. Become a more confident and successful SE Florida gardener.

February 20 & 21, 2024

8:30 AM—3:30 PM

Mounts Botanical Gardens

531 N. Military Trail

West Palm Beach, FL 33415

Registration Fee: \$75 + \$8 Exam Fee  
Includes lunch, snacks, and beverages

To register, go to [www.DistrictX.org](http://www.DistrictX.org) and look under Educational Opportunities for an online interactive registration form.

For more information, contact Carol Stender at 610-297-1224 or [carol.stender@gmail.com](mailto:carol.stender@gmail.com).

### INSTRUCTORS

**Dr. Kimberly Moore**, a highly acclaimed instructor who has taught Gardening School courses nationwide. She will cover two areas:

- Plant Classification, including important flowering and foliage plant groups.
- Specialized Styles of Gardening, including sun/shade, organic, greenhouse, etc.

**Joel Crippen**, the Display Gardens Horticulturist for Mounts Botanical Gardens, will share

- Techniques for Growing Woody Ornamentals and a presentation of
- Pruning Techniques with an outside demonstration.

**John Roberts, PhD**, U of FL Environmental Horticulture Dept. will help us with Outdoor Identification of Plants, including:

- Characteristics of Plant Families
- Local/regional choices

**CJ McCartney**, area expert and consultant on Gardening for Wildlife and the Environment

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	Jun - De...	Budget	\$ Over B...	% of Bud...
<b>Income</b>				
<b>4000 · INCOME</b>				
4100 · Inventory Items Fundrasing				
4101 · Boutique Items	558.00			
4106 · Plant Raffle Meetings	535.00	500.00	35.00	107.0%
4110 · Misc	66.44	100.00	-33.56	66.4%
4100 · Inventory Items Fundrasing - Other	0.00	100.00	-100.00	0.0%
<b>Total 4100 · Inventory Items Fundrasing</b>	<b>1,159.44</b>	<b>700.00</b>	<b>459.44</b>	<b>165.6%</b>
4200 · Membership Dues	920.00	5,625.00	-4,705.00	16.4%
4300 · Program Services Revenue				
4301 · Awards & Grants				
4301.1 · Awards	130.00			
4301.2 · Grants	1,500.00	250.00	1,250.00	600.0%
4301 · Awards & Grants - Other	0.00	50.00	-50.00	0.0%
<b>Total 4301 · Awards &amp; Grants</b>	<b>1,630.00</b>	<b>300.00</b>	<b>1,330.00</b>	<b>543.3%</b>
4302 · Donations & Memorials				
4302.1 · Donations Other	101.00			
4302 · Donations & Memorials - Other	0.00	100.00	-100.00	0.0%
<b>Total 4302 · Donations &amp; Memorials</b>	<b>101.00</b>	<b>100.00</b>	<b>1.00</b>	<b>101.0%</b>
4309 · Penny Pines	85.87			
4313 · Coral Reef	98.49			
<b>Total 4300 · Program Services Revenue</b>	<b>1,915.36</b>	<b>400.00</b>	<b>1,515.36</b>	<b>478.8%</b>
4400 · Special Events				
4402 · Holiday Luncheon Income				
4402.1 · Member meals Holiday Luncheon	2,602.00	4,500.00	-1,898.00	57.8%
4402.2 · Other Holiday Luncheon Income	404.00	500.00	-96.00	80.8%
<b>Total 4402 · Holiday Luncheon Income</b>	<b>3,006.00</b>	<b>5,000.00</b>	<b>-1,994.00</b>	<b>60.1%</b>
4403 · Spring Luncheon Income				
4403.1 · Member meals Spring Luncheon	0.00	4,500.00	-4,500.00	0.0%
4403.2 · Other Income Spring Luncheon	0.00	250.00	-250.00	0.0%
<b>Total 4403 · Spring Luncheon Income</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>4,750.00</b>	<b>-4,750.00</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Total 4400 · Special Events</b>	<b>3,006.00</b>	<b>9,750.00</b>	<b>-6,744.00</b>	<b>30.8%</b>
4409 · Fundraising				
4409 b · Fundrasing other	5,608.78	1,275.00	4,333.78	439.9%
4500 · Garden Tour	0.00	15,000.00	-15,000.00	0.0%
<b>Total 4409 · Fundraising</b>	<b>5,608.78</b>	<b>16,275.00</b>	<b>-10,666.22</b>	<b>34.5%</b>
<b>Total 4000 · INCOME</b>	<b>12,609.58</b>	<b>32,750.00</b>	<b>-20,140.42</b>	<b>38.5%</b>
<b>Total Income</b>	<b>12,609.58</b>	<b>32,750.00</b>	<b>-20,140.42</b>	<b>38.5%</b>
<b>Gross Profit</b>	<b>12,609.58</b>	<b>32,750.00</b>	<b>-20,140.42</b>	<b>38.5%</b>
<b>Expense</b>				
<b>6500 · EXPENSE</b>				
6501 · Inventory fundraising expenses				
6507 · Plants Meetings	19.09	50.00	-30.91	38.2%
6501 · Inventory fundraising expenses - Other	249.00			
<b>Total 6501 · Inventory fundraising expenses</b>	<b>268.09</b>	<b>50.00</b>	<b>218.09</b>	<b>536.2%</b>
6599 · Fundraising expenses				
6599 b · Fundraising Other	4,190.00			
<b>Total 6599 · Fundraising expenses</b>	<b>4,190.00</b>			
6700 · Management & General				
6701 · Chamber Dues (Wellington)	125.00	125.00	0.00	100.0%



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6702 · Correspondence	182.96	250.00	-67.04	73.2%
6703 · Discretionary	0.00	250.00	-250.00	0.0%
6704 · Historian	79.12	25.00	54.12	316.5%
6705 · Insurance	582.27	700.00	-117.73	83.2%
6706 · Membership				
6706b · New member reception	0.00	150.00	-150.00	0.0%
6706 · Membership - Other	0.00	100.00	-100.00	0.0%
Total 6706 · Membership	0.00	250.00	-250.00	0.0%
6707 · Newsletter	0.00	400.00	-400.00	0.0%
6709 · President's Expense	0.00	800.00	-800.00	0.0%
6711 · Treasurer & Accountant	358.85	1,000.00	-641.15	35.9%
6712 · Website	75.98	350.00	-274.02	21.7%
6713 · Yearbook	825.00	800.00	25.00	103.1%
6717 · Miscellaneous				
6717 b · Storage	335.65	575.40	-239.75	58.3%
Total 6717 · Miscellaneous	335.65	575.40	-239.75	58.3%
Total 6700 · Management & General	2,564.83	5,525.40	-2,960.57	46.4%
6800 · Program Services				
6802 · Award & Grants	31.92	100.00	-68.08	31.9%
6803 · Member Education	331.00	2,000.00	-1,669.00	16.6%
6804 · FFGC & District Dues				
6804.1 · Dues FFGC	110.00	1,562.50	-1,452.50	7.0%
6804.2 · Dues District X	0.00	62.50	-62.50	0.0%
Total 6804 · FFGC & District Dues	110.00	1,625.00	-1,515.00	6.8%
6806 · Honorary Awards	0.00	600.00	-600.00	0.0%
6807 · Floral Design	0.00	100.00	-100.00	0.0%
6807b · Garden Art	0.00	100.00	-100.00	0.0%
6808 · Habitat	0.00	500.00	-500.00	0.0%
6809 · Youth Activities				
6809.1 · Youth programs	223.14			
6809 · Youth Activities - Other	0.00	1,600.00	-1,600.00	0.0%
Total 6809 · Youth Activities	223.14	1,600.00	-1,376.86	13.9%
6810 · Meeting Programs/Speakers	150.00	1,000.00	-850.00	15.0%
6812 · Memorials and Donations	0.00	150.00	-150.00	0.0%
6813 · Mounts Membership	0.00	125.00	-125.00	0.0%
6814 · College Scholarships	0.00	5,000.00	-5,000.00	0.0%
6815 · SEEK Capital Fund	0.00	200.00	-200.00	0.0%
6816 · SEEK Scholarship	0.00	1,500.00	-1,500.00	0.0%
6817 · Sunshine Fund	0.00	150.00	-150.00	0.0%
6818 · Wekiva Camperships	0.00	1,470.00	-1,470.00	0.0%
6819 · Wekiva Capital Fund	0.00	200.00	-200.00	0.0%
6820 · Wekiva LIT Program	0.00	300.00	-300.00	0.0%
6827 · Earth Day	0.00	100.00	-100.00	0.0%
6829 · National Garden Week	246.86	200.00	46.86	123.4%
6830 · NGC Disaster Fund	0.00	50.00	-50.00	0.0%
6831 · Environmental Education	0.00	50.00	-50.00	0.0%
6834 · Coral Reef Restoration	200.00			
6836 · Wellington Preserve Landscaping				
6836.b · Wellington Wildflower Garden	1,460.85	300.00	1,160.85	487.0%
6836 · Wellington Preserve Landscaping - Other	0.00	350.00	-350.00	0.0%
Total 6836 · Wellington Preserve Landscaping	1,460.85	650.00	810.85	224.7%
6837 · Community Garden	124.22	450.00	-325.78	27.6%
Total 6800 · Program Services	2,877.99	18,220.00	-15,342.01	15.8%
6900 · Special Events Direct Expense				
6901 · Around & Abouts	25.00	100.00	-75.00	25.0%

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6904 · Holiday Luncheon				
6911 · Holiday luncheon Other expense	437.90	300.00	137.90	146.0%
6913 · Member Meals	2,029.28	4,500.00	-2,470.72	45.1%
<b>Total 6904 · Holiday Luncheon</b>	<b>2,467.18</b>	<b>4,800.00</b>	<b>-2,332.82</b>	<b>51.4%</b>
6905 · Hospitality	124.31	300.00	-175.69	41.4%
6908 · Spring Luncheon				
6909 · Spring luncheon Other expense	0.00	300.00	-300.00	0.0%
6912 · Guest meals	0.00	225.00	-225.00	0.0%
6914 · Member Meals	0.00	4,500.00	-4,500.00	0.0%
<b>Total 6908 · Spring Luncheon</b>	<b>0.00</b>	<b>5,025.00</b>	<b>-5,025.00</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Total 6900 · Special Events Direct Expense</b>	<b>2,616.49</b>	<b>10,225.00</b>	<b>-7,608.51</b>	<b>25.6%</b>
6910 · Flowershow	95.48			
<b>Total 6500 · EXPENSE</b>	<b>12,612.88</b>	<b>34,020.40</b>	<b>-21,407.52</b>	<b>37.1%</b>
<b>Total Expense</b>	<b>12,612.88</b>	<b>34,020.40</b>	<b>-21,407.52</b>	<b>37.1%</b>
Net Income	<b>-3.30</b>	<b>-1,270.40</b>	<b>1,267.10</b>	<b>0.3%</b>

MEMBERSHIP REPORT TO THE MEETING:

Date: 1/8/24

1. We would like to introduce guests today and say thanks for joining us. After I call your name, please stand so we can give you our WGC Welcome!

<u>Lydia Guckian</u>	<u>JEFF MORRIS</u>
<u>NICOLE GRYLZON</u>	<u>DENA MORRIS</u>
<u>BARBARA WOLFE</u>	<u>KAREN WALKER</u>
<u>LARA BRESLIN</u>	<u>MEGALY MALEBRANCH</u>
<u>MARIA LIMA</u>	<u>BOB ROLFE</u>

2. I am happy to introduce several new members to our club. When I call your name, please come forward to receive the WGC pin, your yearbook and a small gift. (call everyone up together for Maria to present book and pin; Kimberly will present the gift.)

IRMA PHILMUS (KATHERINE W-R)  
MARIECLAIRE BOROWY (mimi)  
LORI ABELE-CUSTER (TINA RICHTER)  
(ADD LYDIA GUCKIAN in FEB !!) (DIANE RICE)

3. All new members should see our club photographer, Paige, who will take your pic for the yearbook.

4. All new members are reminded that their name tags must be returned before leaving the meeting.

5. Mentors for new members are generally the person who brought them. If not, please see Alison for a mentor assignment.

\*\*For Membership table: Send membership applications and check to Data Mgr. who will record info and forward check to the Treasurer and send info to Yearbook editor.

Other notes: \_\_\_\_\_



Report for Holiday Gift Boutique		
<b>INCOME</b>		
Cash In Hand	\$379.00	(\$159.00 cash in box at end of day)
		(\$133.00 from Milkweed sale)
		(\$87.00 from Raffle)
One Check (Cass)	\$21.00	
Income from Credit (square)	\$90.78	
Income from Milkweed Sales (42x7.00/ea)	Check total = \$161.00	
		(Check 414 - 21.00)
		(Check 1666 - 28.00)
		(Check 2206 - 70.00)
		(Check 1258 - 14.00)
		(Check 11479 - 28.00)
		<b>\$651.78</b>
10% from Vendors	Cass Stryker - 21.00 (included above)	
	Ann Cavaleri - 10.00 (included in cash in hand)	
	Petra Russell - 15.00 (included in cash in hand)	
	Dee Rolfe - 253.00 (Dee gave directly to Danese)	
	Total = \$299.00	<b>\$253.00</b>
Total		(651.78 + 253.00 = 904.78) <b>\$ 904.78</b>
<b>Expenses</b>		
Hanging Basket for Door Prize	\$24.00	
Milkweed	\$225.00	
	Total	<b>\$249.00</b>
<b>Net Profit</b>		<b>\$655.78</b>



## WGC Holiday Luncheon – December 4, 2023

Report date: December 11, 2023

Venue: Casa Tequila Restaurant  
12795 Forest Hill Blvd.  
Wellington, FL 33414

Time: 11:00 am

Chairs: Barbara Zenker, Bobbi Ziegler

There were a total of 81 members and “friends” who attended.

There were 4 meals offered; namely, Beef Chimichanga, Veggie Fajita, Chicken Caesar Salad, and Salmon Plate. Cost to each member was \$32.00. There was a happy hour from 11:00am to 2:00pm for house Margaritas for \$3.95 each.

There were raffles of a 50/50 and 4 tickets to TKA “Best of Broadway” production and Mounts membership and event passes. Income from raffles was \$404.00. Total income was \$3006.00 with expenses of \$2,467.25 which leaves a plus balance of \$538.75. (Note these two totals include what was collected and paid out for the meals.) We went over the budgeted amount of \$300.00 with actual expenses for this luncheon of \$437.90.

50/50 was \$5.00 each

Raffles were \$5.00/one or 3 for \$10.00

Joann Akins and Kathy Hood managed and sold the raffle tickets.

We had Fairy Hair with Samantha. Stormi Bivin is the contact for Samantha.

We also collected “Toys for Tots”, which were collected by the Sgt. Parra and friends at the end of the luncheon.

The owners of Casa Tequila, Manuel and Julio, were excellent hosts and went out of their way to please Wellington Garden Club.

December 14, 2023

Wellington Garden Club  
Holiday Luncheon Report

Income was \$3,006.00, \$2,602.00 from meals and \$404.00 from raffles & 505/50.

Expenses were \$2,467.25.

\$2,029.28 for meals and \$437.90 for other expenses, see breakdown of expenses attached.

Danese Sloan Kendall  
Treasurer