# FAIRFIELD GLADE GARDEN CLUB

**April 2020** 

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#### FROM KATHY...

Hello from my home to yours!

I want to start out by wishing you well in these uncertain times. I also want to update you on a few FG Garden Club matters.

To begin with, the April and most likely May meetings will be canceled. June's meeting remains to be seen. April usually brings us our largest fundraiser for the year, the Fern & Geranium Sale. We are in contact with the high school and are putting our heads together to try and make that happen in some way or another, but at the moment there are no concrete plans to have the sale. This is also the time when we receive the applications for this year's scholarship recipients. The Scholarship Committee is working with the high schools to see how we can receive the information needed to make scholarships possible. Unfortunately, there will not be a Scholarship Luncheon this year. I will miss getting together with the students and their families. We will just have to look forward to meeting them as returning students at next year's luncheon.

In this new and uncertain time one of the things we know we can still do is GARDEN! I know we have all been removed from some of our routines, but the gardening routines that spring offers are there waiting for us. Clean up your gardens, fertilize your bulbs, plant gladiolas, lilies and dahlias... Hummingbirds arrive around April 10<sup>th</sup> so hang up your feeders to welcome them back.

If you have any questions concerns or suggestions please don't hesitate to reach out to me. I can be reached by email at <a href="mailto:kathy.spancake@gmail.com">kathy.spancake@gmail.com</a> or by phone at (931) 202-2980.

Stay safe and well. Kathy

### IN SUMMARY:

- NO APRIL MEETING
- NO MAY MEETING AT THIS TIME
- NO SCHOLARSHIP LUNCHEON IN JUNE/POSSIBLE MEETING
- NO FERN & GERANIUM SALE committee is working to determine if plants can be sold in some way

#### PLEASE PAY YOUR 2020 DUES

\$15 cash or check made out to FG Garden Club. Pay at any of the general meetings or mail to: Sue Niebuhr, 233 Forest Hill Dr., 38558

## UPCOMING UT DISCOVERY GARDENS

AT THIS TIME WE WILL NOT LIST UPCOMING CLASSES UNTIL THE RECOMMENDATION FOR SOCIAL DISTANCING IS LIFTED. PLEASE CONTACT THE UT GARDENS WEBSITE FOR ADDITIONAL DETAILS.

Over 40 classes are typically scheduled at the UT Gardens/Crossville at the Plateau Discovery Gardens on a wide variety of horticultural, nature, landscaping, and gardening topics. Reservations required.

Cumberland Master Gardeners' Website: <a href="https://www.ccmga.org">www.ccmga.org</a>



3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of each month FG Community Church, 521 Snead Drive, Fairfield Glade Coffee & Socializing 9am — Meeting starts at 9:30am

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