



May, 2008 Newsletter

Last month's lecture at the library drew about 75 people to learn more about the bark beetles. Les Kock had plenty of good information along with hand-outs.

At our regular meeting we spent most of our time assembling journals. Thanks to all who helped. Roberta and her committee did a fantastic job compiling and formatting the information.

This month is we have Dr. Dan Young who is a Certified Traditional Naturopath whose office is The Country Doctor at 1801 Logan Avenue. He will be talking on the importance, uses and benefits of herbs. He will speak first as we have a fairly long list of items to discuss. We'll get reports on the plant sale (Thanks to everyone for all their hard work.), journal sales, and hoop house workshop as well as touch base with the Garden Walk folks. We'll pass around a sign-up sheet to see who is interested and available to help answer the phone in Catherine's office as well as to make house calls. We'll also want to hear a little about the conference in Cody.

Again I've attached you'll find a copy of the **Minutes** from the last meeting. Please be prepared to vote to correct or accept them. If you know a member who does not have email, please share your newsletter with them and encourage them to bring a self addressed, stamped envelop to the next meeting.

The **hypertouffa workshop** will have to be delayed. Since the pots have to cure for six weeks before they can be used, we won't be able to use them as raffle planters for the Garden Walk. I apologize for the delay, but hopefully I can get this set up no later than mid-June.

I'd like to get together an informal group of members who are interested in brainstorming some outreach projects for us. Keep in mind the education component of our bylaws. Let me know if you are interested.

See you Wednesday at 6:30 at the Fire Station on Bent and 19th. We'll talk about some options for a bigger room, too.

