

October, 2008 Newsletter

Graduation is almost upon us! Let's go all out to welcome the 25 new graduates. Please wear your name tag to help put names with faces.

Good news about Beth Pratt. Her discharge from Craig Institute is scheduled for this month. She is still making improvements in her muscle control, but still has a way to go. Please continue to keep her in your thoughts and prayers.

As part of our annual meeting we'll be electing a vice president and treasurer. The nominating committee is hard at work. If you have ideas or suggestions, please contact Roberta Bolton, 286-0759, rbolton@millect.com, Wendy Douglas, 630-0924, WendyWy04@aol.com, or Margaret Rhead, 514-4021, marhead64@yahoo.com.

At this meeting we'll also be asking for your input on three possible projects for next year. We have opportunities at the Botanic Garden, with the City, and with the library. We'll give you more information at the meeting.

Mike Whitmore and I attended the state steering committee in Casper (as the snow started falling). To increase awareness of what the committee is doing and to encourage member participation you will be receiving periodic emails announcing what is happening in other areas. They'll be coming from Patsy Larson and will have MG in the subject line. Please take the time to read them. There may be things you'd like to attend.

Our directory will be available at the January meeting. If you have any corrections or changes, please contact Catherine no later than the first of January. We are working on next year's programs and want to list them with dates in the back of the directory.

Be thinking...The next State Master Gardener Conference will be in the spring of 2010. Are we up for hosting it?

See you on November 1!