



January 2024

BHGC NEWS

Beverley Hills Garden Club

Upcoming Dates to Remember:

January 18, 2024. BHGC Monthly Meeting at Westminster.

March 8, 2024. District II Meeting. River Farm. 9:30—12:00.

March 26, 2024. NCAGC Spring Meeting. National Arboretum. 9:30 –12:00.

BHGC Holiday Party

Thanks again to Mary Doyle, our hostess, and the Hospitality Committee for their organization of the BHGC holiday party. It was so good to see so many of you in attendance. It was a grand evening.

BHGC Note Cards

BHGC's new one of a kind, beautiful botanical notecards, featuring the artwork of our own Robin Benson, are still available. Each package contains 8 notecards (2 of each design) and sells for \$15.00 plus tax (\$15.90.) The Fundraising team will have notecards available at the January meeting, or contact Maddy Mitchell to place orders.

District II Newsletter

The District II newsletter has been published. Because of the size of the file, the District has had difficulty forwarding the newsletter to club members. With the help of our Technology and Publications Committee (Robin), we believe we can now forward it to you by email. Look for it in a separate email.

Winter Dreaming of Summer Blooms

The seed catalogs are rolling in and I am busy daydreaming about a cutting garden that exists only in my dreams. If only I had more sunlight...

I'd love to know some of your favorite seed sources and what plants you are successfully growing from seed and when you start them. A recent email I received from Kitchen Garden Seeds recommends direct sowing poppy seeds now. Anybody have any luck with this?

I'll include a little time of the agenda at our winter meetings for exchange of information. Hope to hear from some of you.

NGC Certified Pollinator Garden

Please take a look at the thoughtful information Libby Good has pulled together and forwarded to you by separate email regarding the Certified Pollinator Garden program. I hope many of you will take the time to submit an application.