



June Bloomin' News

How did it get to be mid-June already!

Well June has certainly been a busy month – starting with our June meeting at Chorale's home – beautiful surroundings, interesting presentation from Kerry Dolan of Placerville Flowers about the issues surrounding commercially grown roses and their involvement in the "California Rose program", ending with excellent food from Fresh Mex...it doesn't get much better than that. Big thanks to Ginger DeGregory for the donation of the beautiful Patriot Raffle Basket – and congrats to Tami Lee for winning same. Thanks to Mary for handling the Raffle as well as all that participated in the Raffle – it was very successful, our donation reserve increase by \$130.

2 days later we had a great crowd at the Community Center for the Wagon Train Days – selling Floats and Flags. Denise Simonson, assisted by Mary Bourn, led the charge on selling the Floats which was a great way to draw people into the booth to buy our Flags and Dog biscuits. It was a great festival for all and a good fundraiser for us – we made \$148 on the Floats and \$200 on the Flags and Dog biscuits, thanks to the donation of biscuits by Pat Schoggins and to Mary for the soda and ice cream for the floats!!

The month continued with the Rotary Rummage Sale – a great success thanks to Carol's hard work and organization. Thanks to the many people that donated and a special thanks to all of you that showed up to set-up, work the sale or the dreaded tear-down – Tami Lee, Lea Snowden, Janel Edmiston, Jan Slominski, Mary Bourn, Valerie and Steve Laam, Sue and Gary Granno, Jane Hamilton, Cathy Staller, Debbie Crumpley, Pat and Bob Schoggins, Jean Jay, Anne Mintmier, Leslie Sinclair, Sandra Morgan, Kay Campbell and our husbands, Denis and Bob! (My apologies if I missed anyone) The day was hot, the work was hard but because of your help everything worked smoothly, we closed the day out at \$712!!

After all the activity in June we have a break in our Fundraising for a couple of months – our next major event will be the Christmas Bazaar.

Our July meeting is coming up fast – you should have all received the email about the event and the lunch reservations – the flyer is also attached to this email but the key info is:

- Date: July 3rd, 2019
- Time: 10:30 – 11:00 Socializing, meeting begins at 11:00
- Location: Marleen Whelden’s home – see roster, Pollock Pines
- Marleen will provide a tour of her beautiful gardens and answer questions after the meeting – don’t want to miss this one
- ***Please bring a chair***
- Lunch is a buffet catered by Allison Owens (a recent new member to the club) – the fee is **\$15/person and all reservations must be received by June 30th**. Make the checks out to “Dogwood Garden Club” and send to **me** at PO Box 1990, Pollock Pines.

We have a good line up of meeting set up for the balance of the year - Norma Ray will be at the July meeting with a surprise announcement about our August – be sure you don’t miss it. The rest of the year plays out as follows:

- September – presentation by Wildlife Animal Rescue
- October – Apple Bistro with a presentation by a local artist
- November – Pot Luck at the Pollock Pines Community Church
- December – our Christmas party at the Cameron Park Golf Course

Looking forward to seeing everyone at our July meeting –

Barbara