

LANDINGS GARDEN CLUB NEWS

By Stephanie Corley

Have you ever wondered who were those ladies planting and watering the containers at our Clubhouses? They are volunteers from the Landings Garden Club called, the Urn Angels. Congratulations are in order for their Committee Chair, Pat Berry and all the Urn Angels as they received a 1st Place Award from the National Garden Club's and the Garden Club of Georgia under the Public Relations Category. These hard-working ladies, often carrying watering cans to containers not irrigated, keep our Clubhouses adorned with seasonal color for all to enjoy.

Additionally, this spring, the Landings Garden Club (LGC) received ten more 1st place awards from the GCG and five from the Deep South Region (DSR) for their island and community projects during 2020. Even during the pandemic, LGC member committees and volunteers stayed productive providing beautification, conservation and education to their community. The other projects receiving awards were;

- **Gourd Bird House Project** where members grew and fashioned gourds into birdhouses, received awards from both GCG and DSR;
- **Serenity Garden at the Anderson Cancer Center** planted and maintained by Club members, received awards from both GCG and DSR;
- **Library Garden & Containers** planted and maintained by the Club, received awards from both GCG and DSR and has been forwarded for award consideration at the National Garden Club;
- **Sparrow Field Pollinator Garden** received the Butterfly Award for our member volunteers who assist the Friends of Audubon, received awards from both GCG and DSR;
- **Horticulture Achievement** demonstrated through various Club events, garden tours, and meeting speakers, received awards from both GCG and DSR;
- **Arbor Day** was celebrated by Club members planting a Magnolia in the common area in the Moon River Landing community, received awards from both GCG and DSR;
- **Petal Pusher Newsletter** to members received 1st place from GCG and has been forwarded for consideration at the National Garden Club awards;
- **Holiday Gate Decorations** received 1st place from GCG;
- **The Landings Garden Club Website** was awarded 1st and State Overall Winner from GCG and their **Facebook Page** also received 1st Place and both have been sent for award consideration to the National Garden Club.

Many of the Club's on-going projects receive awards year after year, a true testament to the commitment of the Landings Garden Club leadership and members to our island and community. Congratulations to all!!

You can find out all about all the award-winning projects and membership by visiting TheLandingsGardenClub.com or check out their Facebook Page.