



Henderson County Master Gardeners Weekly News Article December 15, 2015

HCMGA Members Recognized by Lydia Holley

Judy Haldeman was recognized as Volunteer of the Year during the Henderson County Master Gardener Association's holiday party on Thursday, December 10. Ted Haldeman and Matt Lockaby were named Interns of the Year.

Master Gardeners earn service pins at their three, five and ten year certification anniversary. Cecilia Bowles received her 10 year service pin. Five year service pins were awarded to Jean Bruton, Dawnvolynn Callahan, Pedro Garza, Marie Hancock, Bill Hancock and Kathy Sylvester. Three year service pins were given to Elaine Dorsey, Judy Haldeman, Sunny Lasiter, June Howell, Nancy Martin, Patsy Miller, Nadira Muhammad, Helen Robertson, Cherie Tanneberger and Bill Walter.



Thanked for their service were outgoing officers Judy Haldeman, President; Sherry Bitz, Vice President Programs and Administration; Cherie Tanneberger, Vice President Member and Community Education; MaryLee Haldeman, Secretary; LaTrecia Jeffcott, Treasurer; and Bob Erickson, Historian.

Newly elected officers for 2016 were installed. They include Lydia Holley, President; Yvonne Sparks, Vice President Programs and Administration; Linda Schafer, Vice President Member and Community Education; Terri Bevans, Secretary; Susan Stokes, Treasurer; and Cherie Tanneberger, Historian.

Terri Bevans, Ted Haldeman, Matthew Lockaby, Jock Miller and Barbara Penner were awarded their Master Gardener certificates. Also recognized were 2016 interns Linda Belssner, Kathi Murphy-Boley, Jeanne Brown, Janelle Cole, Peter Cole, Sara Drummond, Virginia Escue, Don Kelley, Martha Rainwater, Charlie Rodrigues, David Seymour, and Paula Winter.

Over 6,000 hours were volunteered by Henderson County Master Gardeners during 2015. Volunteering over 500 hours each were Margaret Dansby, Judy Haldeman, Bill Hancock, Marie Hancock and Cherie Tanneberger.

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