

Nottingham Garden Club
Switlik Club House
January 21, 2026

The meeting of The Nottingham Garden Club was called to order at 6:00 pm by President Jay Derrico, who began the meeting with the flag salute and Theresa Turner read a quote.

Cathy Weber explained the service project and how we will be wrapping utensils tonight for TASK. (Almost 2000 sets of utensils were wrapped and delivered the following day.)

Jay pointed out that food and monetary donations were also collected to be given to TASK.

Patrish Shalestik reported that there are 29 members and 2 guests present tonight.

Treasurer, Elaine Garrison, announced that the current balance is \$6,627.

Trish Polunas is the award chairperson and has forms to fill out. The award deadline is February 15th. Will apply for the Crockett project and the Abbott House Herb Garden. Trish is also chairing Arbor Day this year.

Lynn Cheng-Varga is working on the Founders Day luncheon gift.

Jay announced there will be new committee signup sheets in March.

Executive Board will be voted on soon so send nominations.

Tickets will be \$15 for the Garden Tour. Will be available soon.

Plans are being made for a tour at the Holland Ridge Tulip Farm this Spring.

Patrish announced there are some free items at the front table.

Photos of the Morven decorations are now on the website.

Nick Truhan demonstrated how to put together a plant gift. Placing a few small plants in a basket with a bow.

Charlene Miller is selling raffle tickets and the Raffle was held.

Lydia Rogers explained how to germinate seeds in the winter using gallon size jugs.

February 1st is the Founders Day Luncheon. Celebrating 70 years! No meeting in February.

Our next meeting will be March 18th, 2026 at the Switlik Club House. Refreshment Committee for March to take home supplies and table cloths.

Respectfully Submitted,

Cathy Weber, Co-Secretary