

BADS

Bay Area Daylily Society

February 21, 2009

10:15 a.m.

First Baptist Church of St. Petersburg

1900 Gandy Boulevard

Program:

Bernie Moro of Our Vital Earth continued our theme of natural solutions for garden problems by adding microbials and nutrients to the garden via vermin-culture. Bernie demonstrated how to use Can-O-Worms to breed worms which eat organic waste and create an organic fertilizer for indoor and outdoor plants. The byproduct of the worms is worm castings and worm tea. Bernie's web site details the way worms can be used to combat scale, mites, aphids, fungus, mealy bugs, black spot on roses, Chilean Thrip. Several members of the club have reported amazing results after using worm tea on their plants. To learn more, go to www.ourvitalizearth.com.

Meeting began at 11:50

Minutes for January 17, 2009 – Change requested: plant markers will be .50 ea. to people buying and at the Greenfest show and sale. Approved.

21 people attended

President Dennis Hoffman was out of town. Vice President Dwain Miller ran the meeting.

Members brought a variety of snack foods

1. Spring Flower Show Chairperson Kay Smith was happy to report that members have volunteered for jobs/shifts on May 2nd, the day of our Spring Flower Show. Plant cleaning is the Thursday before, April 30th, at Mark and Dwain's house. Cari and Jay Jarmen will get show supplies out of the storage unit. The plants will be purchased from Dan Hansen. Award Chairperson Elaine Alito will order a custom made tray imprinted with a daylily photo.
2. [Will Elaine also be ordering the rosettes, AHS Entry tags, and will you be creating a show schedule. Will you be reserving Antonio's on Ulmerton for the judges luncheon? Will the church provide coffee? Will breakfast be provided? Will someone be going to Subway for lunch sandwiches? Will the church be available for set up the night before? Who is doing this?] Maybe it is too soon to

ask these questions. I see they were in the minutes from last year, so I thought I'd ask.

3. Linda Sample and Gayle Nipper are organizing our club tent for GreenFest Saturday, March 28 — 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Sunday, March 29 — 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Rain or Shine. Plants will be purchased from Dan Hansen's Bargain Basement.. Where will the plants be cleaned, bagged and tagged -- at Mark and Dwain's in Plant.? Kay collected dues from anyone who has not yet paid the \$5.00 fee.

New Business:

Meeting adjourned at 12:45p.m.

Submitted by Kyle Pierson