

Education Committee Minutes for December 1, 2018 at Breakthrough FamilyPlex

Attending: Kimberly George, Gina Jamison, Lorraine Kells, Danielle Russell, Julie Samuels

Minutes for 10.16.2018 approved by motion: Gina; seconded by Danielle

Lorraine and Gina election of co-chairs, equal in all responsibilities for the term of one year

Gina reported on the 2019 conference as chair of the planning committee and gave an overview of the conference noting that there is a strong desire to have networking at the conference. A morning network at breakfast to start connections in an informal way was proposed with details tbd. We hope to identify garden stewards previous to the day of the conference and engage them in leading networking. We'd like them to wear a CCGA garden leader button and have a brief recognition moment (have them stand) for their work as stewards of our community gardens. We also propose to have an Education table with "take away" garden kits for youth as well as some activity sheets with an accompanying bowl of crayons for them to pick a few to occupy themselves during workshops if necessary. Activity sheets will be relevant to composting and other garden activities that may be tied to workshops as they are announced.

Request for Proposal language was vigorously discussed and changed, deadline for submission by consensus. Date to send and date to notify acceptance tbd at coordinating meeting 12/5.

Discussion and revision of proposed conference themes

Postponed discussion of possible workshops outside of conference in Jan or Feb until meeting Sunday 12/16 1 pm at 3415 W 13<sup>th</sup> Place.

- Fermentation with Jeanne Calabrese
- Stem Propagation with Nick Michaud

Reminder: Co-ordinating Meeting Wednesday, Dec. 5, 6:30 pm at CGT

Adjourn

Proposed themes as of 12.1.2018

In Our Gardens, with Our Hands: Adapting to a Changing Climate

In Our Gardens, with Our Hands: Creating Best Practices for a Changing Climate

In Our Gardens, with Our Hands: Responding to a Changing Climate

Responding to a Changing Climate in our Gardens

Stewarding Our Gardens Through a Changing Climate