



August 17, 2017
Newsletter

Dear Friends and Gardeners,

I saved the preparation of the newsletter until today as we were due to have rain which generally keeps me out of the garden. But the rainy day is here and so onward and upward. Last Sunday morning I went to the waterfall park to snap a couple of pictures and who did I see but Sharron Hemme watering the beds. She says that she prefers to do it by hand and hose. No wonder our beds look so great with the effort we all display. In case you are wondering, I was coming down the stairway so above her when I took the shot.





Terry Virta

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held at the Petoskey City Hall, 101 Lake Street at Noon, on Wednesday August 23, 2017. Following our business meeting we will undertake a wine tour and tasting at Petoskey Farms Vineyard & Winery located at 3720 Atkins Road. The repair work on Atkins Road was virtually complete the past Monday so it should be in good shape for our tour.

Emmet/Charlevoix County Fair

Don't forget our upcoming Fair the week of August 20 through the 27. That's next week. Members are urged to exhibit your flowers, vegetables, plants, quilts, knitting, art work, etc. Entries go into the Comm. Building on Sunday, August 20 by 6:00 pm. Pick up your items Sunday week, August 27, 2017 by Noon. We also have a club display of teapots and flower arrangements. Come and visit the Fair and have a good time. See ya there!

Shirley Burns

Fairy Gardens Program

Our own Karen McClatchy is giving a program to the Northern Michigan Master Gardeners on Monday, September 11 at 6:00 pm in the Community Building on the Fairgrounds. Everyone is invited to attend this program so please attend. Certainly you be informed and Karen would enjoy the support.

Terry Virta

From the President:

What a great year for our flowers – all of our beds are looking great! I hope to see a lot of you at the District 5 Meeting on September 12th in Traverse City. It isn't too late to send your \$39 to PAGC, PO Box 746, Petoskey, MI 49770. Please let me know if you are going to the Grand Garden Show on Mackinac Island August 28 and 29. Some of us could carpool to Mackinaw City. See you next Wednesday at our meeting at City Hall and then the wine tour at the Petoskey Vineyard & Winery on Adkins Road.

Sharon Schappacher