



Rhea County Master Gardener Association Newsletter

Congratulations Thomas and Ivy!

Greetings Master Gardeners:

Despite the weather, PumpkinFest was a success, and thank you to all that came out to lend a hand. We gave out all of our plant cups, many coloring books and of course candy!

Just a reminder that our monthly meeting will be held this Thursday, November 9, 2017 at 6:00 p.m. We will be decorating the tree for the annual Rhea Medical Center “Rhea-diant” Fundraiser. Karen Winters has donated the pre-lit tree and Diane Pfeiffer has a box of decorations. If you would like to bring something to go on the tree, the theme is “Holly Jolly Christmas”. Courtney Parks will be providing some light refreshments and we need to decide what we are going to do with our raised beds. The Fair Board is decorating for the holiday light show and they want to decorate our area. Last year the beds were empty, but this year we have things that will remain and just need a good pruning. The weather has not been very cooperative for us to cut back the gardens, and Thomas and I want to make sure we don’t damage anything that is a perennial.

Another reminder that we will not have a meeting in December and will have our first get together with the new Master Gardener Intern class in January.

May all of you have a wonderful Thanksgiving and as always not one of my turkeys will be harmed this holiday season! LOL

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