



Rhea County Master Gardener Association Newsletter

Greetings to All!

Our next Association meeting will be held on September 15, 2016 in our Master Gardner Building. It will be a planning meeting for upcoming events as follows:

Tomato Trial wrap up class to be held at Lowe's in the garden department on Saturday, September 19 from 9 to 12. Volunteers needed to assist Thomas with this class. Lowe's is very excited that we are holding this class at their store and look forward to future projects with us. They are wanting us to do the closing your garden for the winter class! We just need to give them a date and time.

Farm/City Day is on October 4th from 8 am to 2 pm. Bruce Pfeiffer is the lead on this and needs a few volunteers to help him as it is a long day. Thomas will be presenting sheep, and I will be there with my goats.

Wooden's Apple Orchard Tour will be held on Thursday, October 20, 2016. If you missed this tour last year, plan on attending this year! We will also be holding our Association meeting at the Apple Barn over dinner in their café. Time for the tour is 5pm sharp with the meeting to follow.

Pumpkinfest will be held the last Friday and Saturday of October. Paulette Bitner is heading this project and needs our help with set up and manning the booth. Paulette has some very fun ideas for our booth this year. It was a fun project last year and the hit of the festival!

Building and site work is an ongoing project. Please pay attention to emails on scheduled work days as help is always needed.

Looking forward to seeing you at the meeting on September 15, 2016 at 7pm.

Pennie Kendrick

President, Rhea County Master Gardener Association