

**AFGC BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING – 10:30am at VALLEY GARDEN CENTER,
1809 N 15th AVE., Phoenix, Arizona**

**NORTHERN DISTRICT REPORT for OCTOBER 25th BOARD MEETING prepared by
Harriet Jack NORTHERN DISTRICT DIRECTOR, SEDONA AREA GC**

On October 12th, 2023, a Zoom Planning Meeting was held at the home of Jan Wells currently President of the Sedona Area Garden Club. In attendance were Joan Olsen, President of CERBAT GARDEN CLUB, Kingman, Arizona; Robin Borok, President of ALTA VISTA GAEDEN CLUB, Prescott, Arizona and Harriet Jack, Northern District Director.

The purpose of this meeting was to brainstorm the planning of a Gathering for a joint meeting of all Northern District Garden Clubs in May to “Share Our Successes” from before the pandemic to the present day. Harriet had contacted the Phippen Art Museum to set the May date at their facility. The date of Thursday May 16th was set & a contract is being mailed to Harriet Jack to be signed. The cost of leasing the facility and use of audio equipment is to be shared equally among the three clubs.

Duties such as table decorations, centerpieces, food, and drink selections, etc. were divided up by volunteer clubs. Since we have not been together for 5 years since the “Gathering” in Sedona, it was decided that each club would introduce their members via a PowerPoint presentation that would be presented showing projects that had been successfully accomplished and ongoing in their respective communities.

Hopefully it will be a fun time of sharing with good food and learning from each other through sharing our successful projects and getting to know each other’s members more personally.

Respectfully Submitted,

Harriet Jack, NORTHERN DISTRICT DIRECTOR

cc. Judy Kennedy, AFGC PRESIDENT