Northern District Director Report from Victoria Norton

Greetings from your New Northern District Director. I am a member of Sedona Area Garden Club . last(5 years.) There, I am the Chair of our Scholarship Committee, and Wild Animal reports. I am always trying new garden techniques: Growing from seed, and my passion, Wicking Gardens. This technique is huge on saving water.

My focus in the coming 6 months will be to visit Cerbat and Alta Vista clubs. Also, with the other club presidents, we are working on a Northern district gathering for spring 0f 2026. More news on that when our location and times are secured.

Updates from our Northern District Clubs:

SEDONA: Continuing our planting and beautification work at Hope House, a refuge for homeless families; Starting a new Scholar student to work with the city of Sedona on their invasive plant list; improving grounds with plantings and watering at Sedona Ranger Station, and Enjoying more adventures during our summer months when we do not meet.

ALTA VISTA (Prescott) They just completed a hugely successful Garden Tour where they raised over \$14,000. For their club projects. They have fulfilled their beautification goals, read Their President's report, and enjoy a Monthly Gardeners day out, a Meet and Greet to stay connected, and pop up visits to their gardens in bloom.

CERBAT (Kingman) This Club will be having their main fundraiser on Oct . 18th, 2025, where myself and Peggy Ahola will be attending. The City of Kingman "s Park department is making a special wall to mount their Gold Star Memorial. This will take place on Memorial day of 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

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