# UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-EXTENSION Waupaca County June 2020 Master Gardener Volunteers' Newsletter

# **Master Gardener Meetings are held** the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the Month.

In the event that a meeting or event is canceled due to weather, please listen to WJMQ 92.3 and WDUX 92.7 for cancellation information. We will also attempt to notify members via email.

#### **Next Meeting June 11th:**

Membership meeting is cancelled.

#### 2020 Executive Board Members:

President: Debbie Krogwold Vice-President: Carrie Esch Secretary: Nancy Sonnenberg

Treasurer: Rebecca Weber-Schmoll Member at Large: Deana Hirte Member at Large: Jane Wilson

Past President: Patty Tomczak-Virnig

State Board Rep: Pat Ritchie UWEX Advisor: Greg Blonde

Due to the COVID-19 virus outbreak & guidelines from Wisconsin Department of Health Services, UW-Madison, and federal agencies, all upcoming meetings are cancel until the outbreak is under control and restrictions have been lifted.

Please continue to stay home, be safe, and enjoy your gardens.

### Thursday, June 11<sup>th</sup>

Executive Meeting is cancelled.

# Thursday, July 9th

Membership Meeting is TBD.

#### **WCMGV Projects**

All volunteer activities outside of the home are prohibited through May (and to anticipate longer). Until directed otherwise, all of our outside support services/activities continue to be suspended.

https://wimastergardener.org/2020/03/2 0/halt-to-master-gardener-programvolunteer-activities-2/

#### Fall Plant Sale, September 19th

Cancelled

## **Scholarship Recipient**

Jacob Scheller was recognized as our WCMGV scholarship winner at a virtual awards ceremony this past week at Manawa High School. Thank you Ila for leading the Scholarship Committee!

# Manawa student receives scholarship

ers Organization awarded their 2020 scholarship in the amount of \$500 to Jacob The amount of \$500 to Jacob Additionally, the organi-Scheller, a recent graduate zation brings public awarefrom Manawa High School. ness for the the need to

COUNTY - The Waupa- tion seeks to help further ca County Master Garden- the education of a student

Each year the organiza- protect and care for the en-

vironment through a variety of programs throughout Waupaca County.

Jacob plans to further his education at Fox Valley Technical College. He is the son of Bruce and Jennifer

#### **Continue Learning**

UW-Extension horticulture resource site

https://hort.extension.wisc.edu/

#### **WCMGV Member Moments**

My son, Ryan, and a group of his classmates, were working on a project for their Senior Seminar Citizen Science Class at UWSP. The project was about the million orchid project in Miami, FL. I thought the master gardeners might find it interesting. See the link below for the power point presentation.

#### Carrie

https://docs.google.com/presentation/d/ 1xzba8OmsCDoURteKGWdWS5PzGicsOS pvSKxiTYPKCJE/edit#slide=id.g7e9e5c42 ec 1 150

#### **Ryan Esch**

University of Wisconsin - Stevens Point Biology, Wildlife Ecology and Management, and Spanish Major

Poppies are so fragile, but I caught this before an early June rain. Ila



The orange color really 'pops' in my front yard iris bed. This is a nice year for irises! I also attached a picture of my gold iris I received years ago from Alice Brown. Such a beauty!

Debbie





## **Happy Birthday**

# June Birthdays:

6/17 Sue Morack 6/22 Pat Ritchie



You have a birthday, but it's not listed??? Please let us know if we've missed yours.