Minutes for Garden Club Meeting
May 10, 2011

Joyce Hellmann welcomed everyone to the 223rd meeting of the Sea Trail Garden Club.

Michelle Lupien introduced Brandi Page who is a neo-natal nurse manager with the New Hanover Women's and Children's Hospital. She spoke about the care of premature babies and how important our Sea Trail Grandma's knitted hats and gowns were to the babies and their families. There was an extensive display of the baby items.

Vice Presidents Message – Kaye Evans provided an inspirational message.

Secretary's Report – Pam Fisher read the minutes from the April meeting which were approved.

Treasurer's Report – Janine Coakley presented the treasurers report with a current balance of $6,012.

Committee Reports

- Membership -There were 49 present at the meeting including two new members and four guests
- Hospitality - Pam Kcvasnica reminded the members that doors open for Garden Club meetings at 9:15 with refreshments available at 9:45
- Out Reach - Katie Bodner thanked members for the donation of baby items for BFA and announced that next month we will be collecting food items for BFA. They are in particular need of tuna, cereal and peanut butter
- Landscaping - Joyce announced Paula Jones would be facilitating new pots of flowers around the pool

Old Business

- The Fashion show will be on Tuesday, September 13. Dorrie McGurn announced that Island Breeze, J. Huffman and Lori's Golf Shoppe would be providing outfits to model

New Business

- Jerri Esposito will be chairing the Charity Auction and she still needs a couple more volunteers to help run the auction
- Kaye Evans has put together a scholarship committee consisting of Peg Jones, Anne Marie Pickel and Chris Woods. The team has reviewed the 16 applications for our annual scholarships and have determine the three who will be reading their essays in July
- The program for June will be on Community in Schools presented by Terri Little
- Joyce announced that there will be a new process for signing up for events on-line including all aspects of the event (i.e. time, cost, RSVP)

Announcements
The Tidewater Camellia Garden Club is sponsoring a “Tour & Taste” in Carolina Shores on June 4th from 10-1.

The 223rd meeting of the Sea Trail Garden Club adjourned at 11:00.