

MGC Club News Kent Garden Club continued:

Kent Garden Club members have been busy putting their project gardens to bed for the season. This included gardens at the Grand Rapids Museum, Children's Advocacy Center (CAC) Healing Gardens, H.O.P.E. Gardens and Our Hope Association (OHA). Along with general garden clean-up, additional perennials and bulbs were planted at Cascades' Virgil Nishimura Westdale Memorial Garden, as well as more Daffodil bulbs at Wilcox Park. The Veteran's Home Garden has been enjoying the cooler temperatures and its hydrangeas and grasses are thriving. And our new Hyser Rivers Museum Pollinator Garden project finally was laid out with dirt, cardboard and woodchips to decompose and await spring planting. Thank you to all the garden teams who have diligently kept all these gardens growing this season.

Fall Fundraisers are in full swing. Our Fall Fashion Show featuring clothes from J.Jill along with a member catered box luncheon was a huge success. Wreath and Amaryllis sales are in progress. Design classes and preparations for our July Standard Flower Show are also in progress.

During our November meeting, we decorated holiday mugs for an Assisted Living facility in Lowell. To finish out the year, we look forward to our traditional Holiday Luncheon.

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