

Landscape and Garden Agenda  
First Vice President and Landscape & Garden Co-Chairs Meeting  
September 26, 2012

Carolyn Hollenbeck :BFS First Vice President  
Val Libby: Landscape and Garden Co-Chair  
Isabel Mancinelli: Landscape and Garden Co-Chair (Absent)

**Budget discussion** figures and projection numbers  
Gardener and Grounds job descriptions  
Budget work-up figures (2011 - 2012)

Lois' information on pesticide/herbicide usage at Garland farm  
Bittersweet spraying by Bill Guess is scheduled

**Discussion of previous Landscape and Garden comments/suggestions:**

- ..Equisetum (hand pulling, 1 roll of black plastic purchased for top edge)
- ..Allow roses to propagate along the hillside)
- ..Open area behind TG Verge-board fence to allow for easy access
- ..Tom asked to project materials cost for 2013
- ..Driveway and culvert work will progress as scheduled

Cistern sited by Ben Dean (Dennis Bracale)

Ajuga genevensis (last missing plants) for TG received and planted  
Kathy asked to evaluate garden liabilities needing replacement in 2013  
Carolyn removed the heather by the cistern, potted and will be wintered at her house

Photo OP scheduled this week by Lunaform for article on the business to appear in  
Garden Design magazine showcasing luna pieces within 1 hour radius of the business

**Holding Garden:** dividing Iris; removal of non historic plants continues; discussion of  
moving lavenders forward in 2013; discussion of dividing Narcissus and re-evaluating  
removal of excess bulbs from row 1; long term plans for the Holding Garden needed

**Tree work** (removal of large spruce by the green house and limbing up around the Elm)  
estimate is \$1,350; on hold until spring pending winter damage expenses and the  
budget.

**Belvedere Grant application** sent (Betsy Hewlitt, Scott Koniecko, Margot Wooley,  
Carolyn Hollenbeck)