

## **BLAZING BEES MEETING DATES AND AGENDA 2010-2011**

### **Meetings on Sundays from 2-3:30 pm**

**Sept. 19, 2010: Meet at the picnic shelter at Anne Heinig Park. Make bird feeders from orange halves and pine cones. Discuss the care and feeding of our fine feathered friends. Review agenda for the year. Mrs. Mayhew will provide all the materials.**

**Oct. 17, 2010: Meet at the picnic shelter at the Anne Heinig Park unless Mrs. Mayhew feels it is too chilly. In that case we will meet at her home. Each member will paint their own pumpkin to take home. We will discuss the horticulture of pumpkins and some fun facts like how you can roast and eat pumpkin seeds! Mrs. Mayhew will provide all the materials including the pumpkins.**

**Nov. 14, 2010: Meet at Mrs. Mayhew's home. Do indoor gardening with creative containers. Each member will be asked to bring a container to decorate and plant. Possible items are old bird cages, old pots, boots, small basket, small toy wagons etc. Mrs. Mayhew will provide the plant materials, soil, paints etc. Members can decorate the container in Thanksgiving or Christmas theme. Mrs. Mayhew will also provide both holiday themes decorating materials.**

**No December meeting.**

**Jan. 23, 2011: Meet at Mrs. Mayhew's home. Composting by making an indoor worm box. Members will need to bring a gallon zip lock bag containing chopped up veggie scraps, banana peels and eggshells. Mrs. Mayhew will provide the boxes, soil, gravel, newspaper and most importantly the red wigglers!!**

**Feb. 20, 2011: Meet at Mrs. Mayhew's home. Making favors for the NC state convention for our federated garden clubs. Members will be taking home one of the items they make. Our magnets were a big hit last year.**

**Mar. 20, 2011: Meet at Mrs. Mayhew's home. Members will build terrariums from soda bottles. Mrs. Mayhew will be asking members earlier in the year to save large soda bottles for her. Mrs. Mayhew will be providing all the materials i.e. plants, soil, decorating paints and items.**

**April 17, 2011: Meet at the Anne Heinig Park. Members will plant bulbs in a decorated pot or will have Hyacinth bulbs to force growth and bloom in decorated container. Member will decorate their pots/containers. Mrs. Mayhew will provide all the materials. We will discuss the horticulture of bulbs.**

**May 15, 2011: Meet at the Anne Heinig Park. Our annual picnic sponsored by Mrs. Mayhew. It will be KFC chicken. Member will be planting herbs in small pots to take home. We will discuss the horticulture of these herbs. Mrs. Mayhew will provide all the materials.**