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## Garden Club of Stuart Ways & Means Report

The Ways & Means Committee is looking forward to a successful year for the garden club.

We can all help by bringing in a plant to sell at the meeting. The most popular & best plants to sell are bromeliads, orchids, ferns, unusual or hard to find plants, new varieties or flowering plants. Established plants are best. These plants should be in a bag or container or jar so as not to get soil on the carpet or make a mess in any way. Please label your plant with the common name or the scientific name if you know it. Cuttings are great too.

A pretty vase or container, watering cans, small gardening tools or anything else you think a garden club member would love to have are acceptable items to sell. Gardening books and floral design materials are also some good sale items.

The Ways & Means table is staffed by the committee and 2 members of the circle assigned to the monthly meeting. The 2 circle members are needed to set up the items for sale, price the items, stay at the table during the meeting and program and help clean up.

Ways & Means will have the raffle tickets & boxes for the raffle that each circle is responsible for at their meeting and also the \$ 50 banks for change given by the Treasurer or Assistant Treasurer.

I am happy Helen Goller will be co-chair of the Ways & Means this season and we appreciate everyone's help in making this a fun & profitable venue for the Garden Club of Stuart.

Submitted by: Pat Dermody, chairman