



MSU COMMUNITY CLUB NEWS

FEBRUARY 2021

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

- **Friday, February 19, 1 to 3 pm. Annual Meeting. "Save Native Plants and Animals by Planting a Home-Grown National Park."** Dr. Elizabeth Seagull, Professor Emeritus, MSU School of Human Medicine, Department of Pediatrics and Human Development. Join in via a Zoom meeting.
 - **Friday, March 19, 1 to 3 pm.** Details to be announced. Join in via a Zoom meeting.
 - **Thursday, April 15, 11:30 to 2 pm.** Meeting details to be announced.
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A MESSAGE FROM THE CO-PRESIDENTS



Happy New Year! We hope you all had a very enjoyable holiday season.

We want to thank everyone who made the Holiday Meeting a success. We are very grateful for the festive entertainment provided by the Edgewood TrebleMakers, Edgewood Ensembells, and harpist, Ellen Grafius.

Please remember to mark your calendar and attend the MSUCC Annual General Meeting, which will be held via Zoom on February 19th, at 1:00 p.m., prior to the February program meeting. During the meeting, we will elect our 2021-2022 officers. See below for the slate of nominees. Nominations may also be made from the floor during the meeting. Because this meeting will be held via Zoom, we will be taking a voice vote for the slate of nominees. Immediately following the vote, we will begin the program, "Save Native Plants and Animals by Planting a Home-Grown National Park," presented by Elizabeth Seagull, Ph.D., Professor Emerita, MSU School of Human

We hope to see you at the February 19th meeting! Please stay safe and be well!

Your Co-Presidents,

Joanne & Amanda

**SAVE NATIVE PLANTS AND ANIMALS
BY PLANTING A HOMEGROWN NATIONAL PARK**

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 19
1 to 3 pm
ON ZOOM**

**Elizabeth Seagull, Ph. D.
Professor Emerita
MSU School of Human Medicine
Department of Pediatrics and Human Development**

Elizabeth (Betty) Seagull is a life-long gardener and nature enthusiast. She was a professor at MSU for 30 years, and after retiring had a small private practice of psychotherapy for 14 years. Now fully retired, her passion is to save the world by planting native plants. She was President of her local Wild Ones Red Cedar Chapter for 6 years and has served on the Executive Board of the Wildflower Association of Michigan since 2016. Currently she edits the quarterly newsletters of both groups.



Betty is a true amateur home gardener. None of her degrees are related to the topic of today's talk. A love of nature, enthusiasm, energy, eagerness to learn, and experience with successes and failures in home gardening with native plants are her most relevant credentials. If she can do it, so can you.

Here is the Zoom link for this program.

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85029333666?pwd=ZVhpZnRFM0NZRDNLOG1tTENRZ29Odz09>

2021 - 2022 SLATE OF MSUCC OFFICERS

We will elect the 2021 - 22 officers at the Annual Meeting on February 19.

Co-Presidents: Sylvia Janis & Camilla Davis

Co-First Vice Presidents: Joy Jacobs & Kathy Jacobs

Co-Second Vice Presidents: Jan Quiring & Nominee from the floor

Recording Secretary: Dawn Pysarchik

Corresponding Secretary: Sandy Gebber

Treasurer: Gretchen Forsyth

Assistant Treasurer: Kathy Lovell

Nominations may be made from the floor.

Nominating Committee
Sylvia Janis, Camilla Davis,
Molly Green Haywood, Martha Schwab

CARE AND CONCERN

Condolences to the family of Paula Batch
Condolences to Annette Whims on the death of her husband

Corresponding Secretary
Sandy Gebber

