

Bartram Garden Club Scrapbook  
Section 26

Linda Martin Creates Floral Design for  
One Book One Community  
May 2023

“Come by and view the beautiful One Book One Community themed floral arrangement on display at the Fernandina Beach Library that was created by Bartram Garden Club member Linda Martin. We are so grateful to the Bartram Garden Club for their arrangements that grace our foyer in our Fernandina Beach Library!”



# BOCC Recognizes The Bartram Club

by [The Yulee News June 15, 2023](#) in [Nassau County](#)



The Board of County Commissioners recently recognized the Bartram Garden Club by adopting Resolution No. 2023-115 proclaiming the week of June 4 – June 10, 2023 as National Garden Week in Nassau County, Florida.

Created in 2016, the Bartram Garden Club is a non-profit organization that works to further the education of its members and the public in the fields of horticulture and landscape design, as well as supporting of sustainable conservation practices. To further their mission of promoting gardening, floral design and civic and environmental responsibility in our community, the Club focuses on community service projects, disaster relief efforts and skill-building activities in eco-scaping and community beautification.

Gardening enables members of Garden Clubs across the nation to make a difference in the communities where they reside and work. The Bartram Garden Club's efforts in Nassau County include landscaping for Habitat for Humanity homes/projects; landscaping improvements at Ft. Clinch State Park; and grounds maintenance at the Women's Club, just to name a few!

Are you someone who loves gardening and wants to make a difference in the community? Learn more about the Bartram Gardening Club by visiting their website at [bartramgardenclub.org](http://bartramgardenclub.org). Here you can find information on Club membership and current projects, as well as a gallery featuring photos from previous projects/activities.

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WHEREAS, Gardeners seek to add beauty, splendor, fragrance and nutrition to our lives through the growing of herbs, vegetables, foliage and flowers; and

WHEREAS, Gardeners work to preserve our country's traditional spirit of independence and initiative through innovation and hard work; and

WHEREAS, Gardeners advocate the importance of all creatures, large and small, that share our world and their roles in a balanced and productive ecology; and

WHEREAS, Gardening furnishes a challenging and productive activity for our citizens, including those just learning as well as those with years of experience; and

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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
NASSAU COUNTY, FLORIDA

*[Signature]*  
KLYNT A. FARMER  
Its Chairman

Attest as to Chairman's signature:

*[Signature]*  
JOHN A. CRAWFORD  
Its Ex-Officio Clerk

Approved as to form by the  
Nassau County Attorney:

*[Signature]*  
DENISE C. MAY



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Its: Chairman

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JOHN A. CRAWFORD  
Its: Ex-Officio Clerk

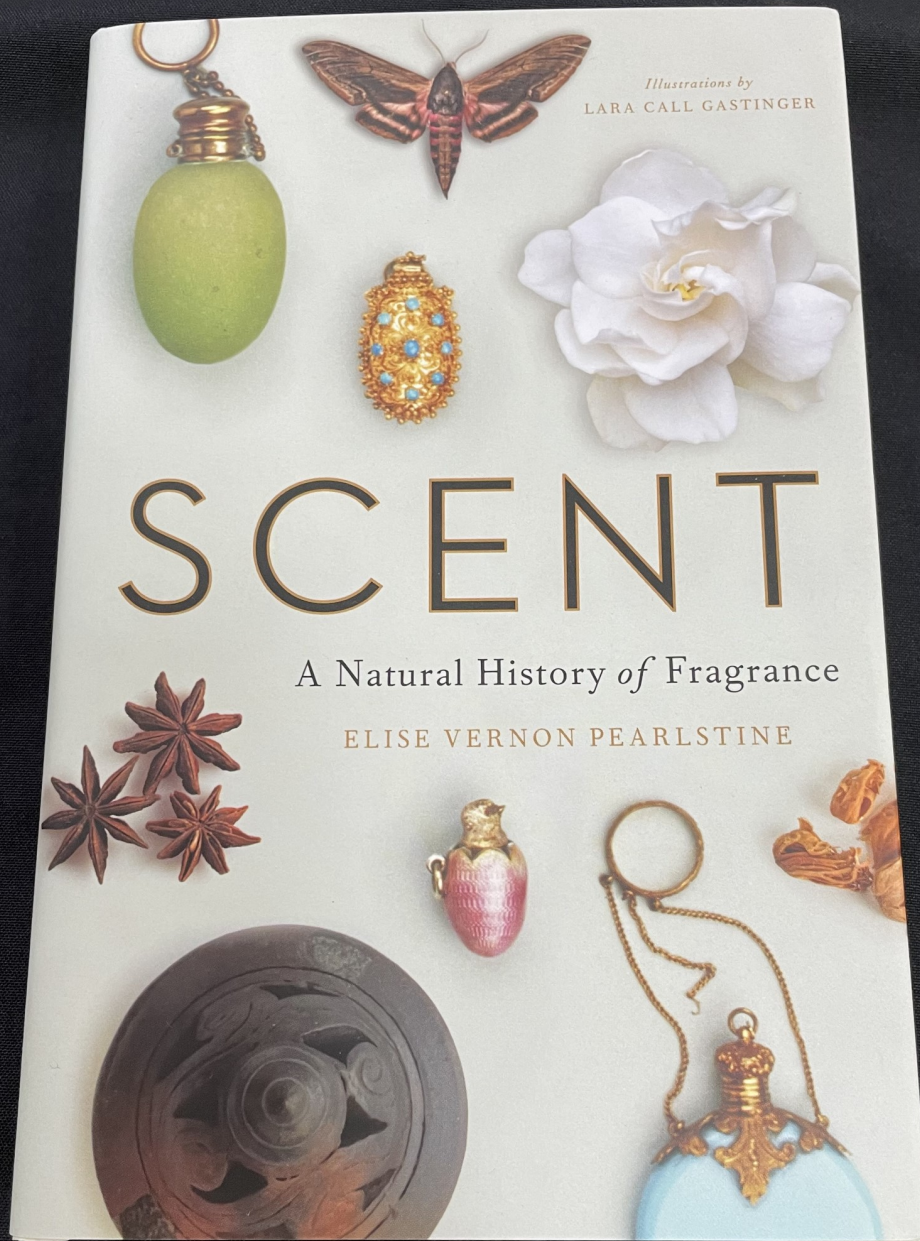
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DENISE C. MAY

Images from the October 2023 Club Meeting  
Guest Speaker, Author Elise Pearlstine  
Scent: A Natural History of Fragrance





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LARA CALL GASTINGER

# SCENT

A Natural History of Fragrance

ELISE VERNON PEARLSTINE

