

Flower Power Meeting Notes from April 15, 2022

Mural: Barclay Thomson, a senior at Floyd High School, will be our artist for the mural at 613 Main St. She has designed the mural to be a gradient from morning to night to show the beauty of Floyd at all times of the day. The mural will include native plants, Dogwood, bees, butterflies, etc. There is the possibility of using some tile pieces on the flower petals to be outward and 3-d. Please see page 2 for photos of the proposed mural design. After the mural is completed, Barclay will seal in the paint and tile. The team is currently working on getting a permit for the mural.

Grants: Kathleen is working on writing an LOI to send out to foundations requesting funds. She will continue researching new grants.

Town Planters: Barbara Pleasant is the new Town Planter Box Project Manager/Advisor. Barbara reports that at the last Partnership for Floyd (PPF) meeting, they voted to form a Flower Power Committee, enabling Floyd Flower Power to receive charitable donations through PPF. Volunteers will get together to replant the planters around the Town with colorful pansies. For the Welcome signs, any mulch put down typically washes away. The only sign that has the potential to have anything grow is the sign on Rt. 8 across from Harvest Moon, as it seems to have decent dirt. Jane will be coordinating small signs to go into the planters.

Wall Residences: Ian designed the area to be a meadow (somewhere between a garden and a wild meadow) surrounding a gazebo. The site will tip into three different colors: pink, yellow, and orange. Each different color form will be different heights to create layers. The yellows will be tall, with the oranges and pinks to be knee to waist high. There will be a Willow Oak and a few Red Buds as well.

Church of Christ: Trees and shrubs have been secured, and Ian will be picking them up. The perennials will take a little longer as nurseries are strapped with availability.

ACCE Program: Brittany will get Floyd Flower Power as an approved location. There will be a volunteer fair with all approved volunteer locations at the Floyd High School on April 21st from 9:30 am to 11 am. We are welcome to set up a booth to recruit volunteers.

Website: Citizens is sponsoring the website. Joy Gardner/Paul Harris has created a basic website to get Floyd Flower Power online at www.floydflowerpower.com. If anyone has suggestions for content can contact Joy. The email info@floydflowerpower.com will be created as the general contact for inquiries.

*Next Core Team Meeting Date on April 19th at 12 pm at the Hotel Floyd.



