## Hosta Auction - July 27, 2008 Meeting Minutes

Jeff Hall called the meeting to order at 1:05. Dave Poos gave the treasurer's report, giving our investments and our cash on hand. We seem to have sufficient funds, so that it was mentioned that we might be looking for worthy projects.

We have received a Thank You card for our job on the National Convention from Tom Micheletti, the national president.

Reminder that our September meeting will be at Mo-Bot and the October meeting at Creve Coeur. Mike Miller will speak at the October gathering.

There was some discussion about having our Christmas party at a restaurant instead of in a home. This seemed to be a favorable idea, and we will investigate it further.

Arlie Tempel will have a garden walk at his home on August 9, at 6:00 in the evening.

Jean Hudson mentioned using the above mentioned funds for a horticultural scholarship. Pat Payton suggested that we look into some kind of bus trip for the club members.

The article about Arlie and Nancy Tempel's garden, which appears in the latest Hosta Journal, was brought to the attention of the membership, so that no one missed it.

Pat Payton reminded everyone about two of the best websites: hostalibrary.org and stlouishosta.org.

The auction was started at 1:25 pm and ended at approximately 4:15 pm.

Submitted by Joan Hummel.