

President's Report - 1987-1989

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The elected officers for 1987-1988:

First Vice President - Madge Overly

Second Vice President - Sheila Advani

1987-1988

Dues were \$48.00. Operating budget \$24,275.00.

September Founder's Day Luncheon, Columbia Country Club with Mrs. Atsuko Lefcourte of Florida demonstrating the Ikenobo School.

Special Event with Iemoto Akihiro Kasuya of the Ichiyo School at the Thomas Jefferson Center, Arlington, Virginia. Workshops by Iemoto Kasuya of the Ichiyo School.

October I.I. Fall Flower Show at the National Arboretum with 30 exhibitors.

November General Workshop at St. Luke's Methodist Church. Ann Schmeisser gave a Sogetsu demonstration..

December I.I. participated in Federation Christmas Greens Exhibition at the United States Botanic Garden.

January General workshop at St. Luke's Methodist Church. Demonstrators from three schools made arrangements using the same materials. Mitsuko Otani, Ikenobo; Virginia Berg, Chiko and Marquerite Jones, Sogetsu.

February I.I. Luncheon Lucille Shaw demonstrated the Ikenobo School and Ruth Yochelson, the Sogetsu School.

March I.I. tour to the Philadelphia Flower Show.

May Ikebana demonstrations were given by Sogetsu and Ikenobo teachers featuring arrangements in containers made by Glen Echo Potters.

General workshop at St. Luke's Methodist Church. Demonstration by Kiyoko Uyeda of the Ikenobo School.

- June** Luncheon "Ikebana with Iwata Glass" was demonstrated by Hisako Kanzaki, Sogetsu School, from New York, N.Y.
- 1988-1989:**
- Dues \$48.00. Operating budget \$26,100.00.
- September** Founder's Day Luncheon Mrs. Chieko Becker, Master in the Ichiyo School, from Takoma, Washington, was the demonstrator.
- October** The 11th North American Regional Conference in San Diego, CA. Ten of our members attended.
- November** General workshop at St. Luke's Methodist Church. Potters from Glen Echo presented the program.
- December** Federation Christmas Greens Show at the United States Botanic Garden in which our I. I. Chapter #1 participated.
- January** General Workshop at St. Luke's Methodist Church. Betty Taylor demonstrated Ohara School.
- February** Luncheon and demonstration, Pat Kettering from New York, N. Y. demonstrated Sogetsu School Ikebana.
- April** Special Event. Iemoto Mori, Headmaster of the Enshu School was the demonstrator at the Thomas Jefferson Center, Arlington, Virginia. Workshop by Iemoto Mori at St. Luke's Methodist Church
- May** General Workshop at St. Luke's Methodist Church. Cecil Uyehara demonstrated calligraphy and Allie Uyehara demonstrated the Sogetsu School of Ikebana.
- June** Luncheon and installation of officers for 1989-1990. Phyllis Weeks from Wilmington, DE presented an Ohara Spring demonstration.

During this time, we also disposed of most of our cubes and property that had been stored at the National Arboretum. Many of the good pieces were retained at the Arboretum for their and our future use.