

**President's Report 1981 - 1983**  
**Margarite Jones, President**

The elected officers for 1981-1983:

First Vice President - April Adams  
Second Vice President - Ursal Coran

**1981-1982**

Dues were \$20.00. Operating budget \$23,200.00.

- September** Founder's Day Luncheon - Belle Haven Country Club.  
Mrs. Toki Miyakawa - Tea Ceremony with students
- October** Ninth North American Regional Conference, Denver, Colorado.  
  
Special Event - Demonstration by Professor Kasuhiko Kudo -  
Ohara School at Thomas Jefferson Center Auditorium, Arlington,  
Virginia.  
  
Workshop with Professor Kudo.
- November** General Workshop - Demonstration by Mrs. Mary Reynolds using  
baskets - Ohara School.  
  
Federation Christmas Greens Show at U.S. Botanic Gardens.  
Arrangements by members.
- December** Standing Rules accepted at Executive Board Meeting.
- January** Luncheon - Talk on Japanese Baskets by Mrs. Sidoux M. Mitchell -  
ikebana by Kiyoko Uyeda, Ikenobo School and Carol Sontheimer,  
Ichiyo School.  
  
Check to the Friends of National Arboretum for \$19,600 to  
construct Memorial Garden to Ellen Gordon Allen. Entertained by  
Dr. Cathey, Director of Arboretum, and Mr. March for lunch at the  
Arboretum.
- February** General Workshop - Kimono fashion show by Members.
- March** Florafest IV - U. S. Botanic Garden - Six arrangements by Members.

**April**

General Workshop - Demonstration by Supriya Dutt - Ohara School.

Spring Tour to Sotterly Plantation and St. Mary's City.

Spring Flower Festival - Living Arts of Japan at the U.S. National Arboretum.

**May**

International Day at Fairfax Community College - three members demonstrated.

**June**

Dedication of Ellen Gordon Allen Memorial Garden and Reception at the U.S. National Arboretum, Washington, D.C..

Luncheon and Installation of Officers at the Officer's Club at Ft. Myer, Virginia.

Japan-America Society of Washington - two flower arrangements by members.