

President's Report 1981-1982
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 at Army Navy Country Club
Demonstration and Workshop by Mrs. Sogi, Saga School
- October** Exhibition at the Torpedo Factory Art Center, Alexandria, VA

Exhibition at the Bicentennial Center, Alexandria, VA
- November** General Workshop
- December** Christmas Greens Show at National Arboretum - arrangements & origami tree
- January** Luncheon at Columbia Country Club, Demonstration by Mary Sugiyama, Executive Director Sogetsu USA
- February** General Workshop
- March** Teachers Demonstration "Festival of Flowers & Related Arts" at Thomas Jefferson Center, Arlington, VA
- April** Spring Flower Show at the U. S. National Arboretum

General Workshop

Health Conference Doctors & Nurses Breakfast at Washington Hilton - 5 arrangements
- May** Army Cultural Center, Alexandria VA - 3 arrangements
- June** Luncheon

Groundbreaking Ceremony for Ellen Gordon Allen Memorial Garden, U. S. National Arboretum

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- September** Founder's Day Luncheon at Belle Haven Country Club
Demonstration by April Adams, Ohara School
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, VA
Workshop with Professor Kudo
- November** General Workshop - Demonstration by Mrs. Mary Reynolds (Ohara School) using baskets

Christmas Greens show at U.S. Botanic Gardens - arrangements
- December** Standing Rules accepted at Executive Board Meeting
- January** Luncheon - Talk on Japanese Baskets by Mrs. Sidoux Mitchell;
Ikebana by Kiyoko Uyeda, Ikenobo School and Carol Sontheimer, Ichiyo School

Check to the Friends of National Arboretum for \$19,000 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 - 6 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 at the U. S. National Arboretum
- May** International Day at Northern VA Community College - 3 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. Meyer, VA

Japan-America Society of Washington - 2 arrangements by members