

To: JMG Committee

From: Arlene Boyer

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Re: Information and Donations to JMG at Frost – Spring 2021

JMG at Frost Elementary, Georgetown ISD - Spring 2021

MGs: Arlene Boyer, Barbara Ragaglia, Patsy Bredahl

JMG @ Frost = Plan – Prep – Deliver (No volunteers allowed in school.)

Y After School Program – 27 students – 2 Staff

JMG lessons on plant parts and plant needs; take home plants.

Positive responses from students, parents & staff. Staff appreciated JMG lessons' scripts of information.

3 Kindergarten Classes – 46 students - 3 Staff

JMG lessons and real plants and produce to support GISD Kinder plant unit curriculum. JMG supplemented, enhanced, and provided for 3 classrooms during the 3-week unit. Well received by students, teachers, and parents. Emails, texts, and phone calls were key in working with teachers.

Highlights: take home succulents for Mother's Day, each student grew radishes & beans in pots, hands on exploration of flowering plants, used fresh produce to learn plant parts we eat, performed plant experiments; lots of pass around plant specimens and cuttings. Well received by students, teachers, and parents.

Donations:

Georgetown Garden Club - \$ 25.00

Other Donations - \$ 157.00 total

Break-down: Plants & Produce - \$ 60.00; Potting Mix & Pots - \$ 52.00

Supplies, bags, cards, stickers, decorations, misc. materials - \$ 45.00

Master Gardeners:

From JMG Budget - \$ 213.21 – Plants & Seeds