

FCRSPA March Luncheon  
March 13,2024  
Frederick Elks Lodge 684

- President Kenny Garvey gave greetings with thanks to the Elks Lodge.
- Elks Lodge Leading Knight, Greg Clover, described programs the Elks Lodge supports.
- CTC student Joe Spilis was the photographer for the luncheon.
- Members were also reminded of volunteer opportunities as listed on the web site.
- Recognition to support staff members.
- Membership shows that FCRSPA is growing. FCRSPA has 9 new members (thanks to Debbie and Marsha) and are 3<sup>rd</sup> in state for % growth but 1<sup>st</sup> for organization of our size.
- Members should be aware that names of upcoming retirees will not be public, so should ask friends and let FCRSPA know.
- Poster advertising FCRSPA will be posted in schools.
- Speakers for the luncheon included Master Gardeners Amy Rembold and Kathy Ferguson. Both gave tips on how to have sustainable gardens that also support for a cleaner Chesapeake Bay.
- Kenny reviewed dates of upcoming events.