## Process for Prospective New Members to the Lincoln Garden Club

The Lincoln Garden Club (LGC) encourages everyone interested in joining to learn about the Club and its goals. We suggest you attend at least one LGC meeting to become acquainted with the activities and members of the club. Please contact Membership either through our website, <a href="www.lincolngardenclub.org">www.lincolngardenclub.org</a>, or email, <a href="membership@lincolngardenclub.org">membership@lincolngardenclub.org</a>, or phone 781-259-0841 for information regarding the date and location of the next meeting. When you arrive, be sure to introduce yourself at the membership desk.

If you decide to join, you will need to fill out an application form which can be completed online at the Lincoln Garden Club website or obtained at a meeting.

Once we receive your application, we will mail a welcome letter and an invoice for the yearly dues which is \$40 for an individual. You will also be assigned a mentor -either someone you know or someone suggested by the Membership Committee.

You contribute to the Club's vitality by becoming an active participant. This is also the best way to get to know other members, learn more about gardening and generally enjoy the benefits of membership. LGC members are expected to:

- 1. Share in hostessing at a regular meeting at least once every two years.
- 2. Participate in at least one of the Club activities listed in the Handbook Calendar; e.g., Mission for Cheer, Station Park, Library flowers, workshops in Horticulture and Design, Ways and Means endeavors, Conservation and Environment, Communications.

The Lincoln Garden Club offers beginners and experts the opportunity to increase and/or share their knowledge of horticulture and design and to participate in community service. We hope you will join us.