Beauty Spot of the Month for October 2015 - Jennifer and Jason Harvey, 10104 Cornwall Road

Congratulations Jennifer and Jason Harvey of 10104 Cornwall—you are the winners of the September 2015 Beauty Spot of the Month!

We are at that time of year when the weather is changing and things are beginning to go dormant, so our gardens may not be looking their best. With this in mind, we were delighted to find the Harveys' yard looking so fresh and flowery.

A bed of hostas surrounds a large magnolia tree in the front yard. Shrubs in the beds along the house and driveway serve as the backdrop, and flowering plants add a burst of colorful interest. Along the front of the house are seven Otto Luyken laurel, and six boxwoods line the bed next to the driveway. At the corner where the two beds meet, a Yuletide Camellia is just beginning to bloom its red flowers with bright yellow centers.

The most eye-catching part of the design is the alternating purple and white flowering plants that add such impact to this yard: the purple ones are Angelonia and the white are Vinca.

Stop by and see this yard—it's a nice reminder that even at the end of the season, a well-thought-out and executed design can make a beautiful place any time of year.

Respectfully submitted, Jennifer Judelsohn Joyce Skoglund Country Hills Garden Club

P.S. Country Hills Garden Club is your neighborhood garden club. We meet the second Tuesday morning of each month. For our October 13 meeting, we will be touring the Dimple Meadow native garden at Wolf Trap and then having lunch at a restaurant in Vienna. Our November 10 meeting will be held in a member's home, and we have a guest speaker coming to talk with us about plants that have fall and winter interest in the garden. New members are welcome; we hope you will join us!

For more information on these programs and the club, please contact our Club President, Joyce Skoglund, at 703-591-4017 or jeskoglund@verizon.net.