

Planters Bunch Minutes – August 7, 2021

The meeting was called to order at 11:08 a.m. by President Tim Goggans. There were approximately **60** members and guests in attendance. Bob started the meeting with an opening prayer and Tim lead members in the Pledge of Allegiance. New members and guests were welcomed.

Planters Bunch Scholarship – Esther McKenna and Chuck Jones (son of Charley and Marsha Jones) presented Rachel Widder and Emma Sybesma with this year's Planters Bunch Scholarship. The scholarship was given in honor of Charley Jones.

Minutes of the Meeting – Minutes for June 2021 (previously sent to members) were approved.

Treasurer Report – Amber covered financials for June and July. The financials were accepted and approved.

Committee Reports

Welcoming Committee – Julie reported that we are up to date with delivery of welcome packets for new residents.

Yard of the Month – Diana reported that Yard of the Month winners for August were Patrick Bigelow on Hardin for the Dry Lot and Ernest and Sharon Beltz on Guadalupe for the Canal Lot.

Beach Clean-up – Mike reported that a beach clean-up was complete on June 12th. The next clean-up will be led by Esther McKenna and will occur in September.

Patriotic Parade – Penny and Suzette organized this event. Penny reported that there was a large turnout, many volunteers, and fun for all.

Fishing Tournament – Bob reported that the August tournament was a success. Clarence Peltier won 1st place, Mark Monahan won 2nd place, and Michael Lamka won 3rd place. Winners were congratulated and prizes were awarded. The next tournament will be on Saturday, September 4th.

Fall Community Game Night – Members were reminded that Diana Lami is chairing a Fall Game Night and that it is scheduled for September 11th from 7-9.

BBQ Cook-off – Members were reminded that Tim Goggans is chairing this year's Cook-off which is scheduled for October 1st and 2nd.

Old Business

Sea Isle Flags – A motion was made and approved to purchase a new flag for \$29.95 to review new graphics and then order 50 flags for a total of \$843.50.

Event Chairs – Members were reminded that we need event chairs for the Thanksgiving Feast and the Christmas Party. Mary Ruthe volunteered organize the Thanksgiving Feast and Julie and Penny agreed to co-chair the Christmas party.

New Business

Poker Run – Suzy Parmley updated the members regarding details of this 6th annual Poker Run which is scheduled for Saturday, September 4th. Tickets for the 50/50 raffle are on sale and sponsors are still needed.

Lunch Hosts - Lunch was provided by Planters Bunch and coordinated by board members with help from Diana Goggans and others.

Monthly Speaker

This month's speaker was Marie Robb, our Galveston City Council representative. Marie discussed changes to golf cart requirements, golf cart registration, and golf cart licensing. Marie also discussed the definition of a "Master Planned Community" as it comes into play as part of the new requirements. Members were encouraged to make their voices heard at the upcoming City Council meeting.

Closing

- Bob led members in a closing prayer.
- Members were reminded of the next meeting on Saturday, September 4th.
- A motion was made to adjourn the meeting.