Planters Bunch Minutes – April 1, 2023

The meeting was called to order by President Tim Goggans at 11:10. There were approximately 30 members in attendance. Bob Matthews started the meeting with an opening prayer and asked for special prayers for the families of Bernard Hunter and Charlie Risso. Tim led members in the Pledge of Allegiance. New members were welcomed.

<u>Raffle</u> – Winners for this month's raffle were Clarence and Lori. Prizes were awarded. Speaker – No speaker this month.

Special Event - Members filled Easter eggs for the Easter Egg Hunt on April 8th.

Minutes of the Meeting – Minutes for February (sent to members early) were approved.

<u>Treasurer Report</u> – Amber discussed the Treasurers Report including income from the Pancake Breakfast, Spaghetti Dinner, and the Shrimp Boil. The Treasurer's report was approved.

Committee Reports

<u>Yard of the Month</u> – This committee is on hold. We need to find a new chairperson.

<u>Planting Committee</u> – Clarence reported that dollar weed has become an issue in our Community Garden.

<u>Shrimp Boil</u> (Lighthouse Charity) – Amber reported that we raised \$3200 for this charity and Tim reported that we received a thank you and award for our contribution.

<u>Game Night</u> – Valerie reported that attendees on the game night on March 18th had a great time and kids attended the event. Valerie encouraged more members to attend.

<u>Fishing Tournament</u> – Bob reported on today's event. Winners included Dan with a 17" catfish (first place), Lawrence with a 15" sheep head (second place), and Mark and Clarence (a close tie for third place).

<u>Calendar Review</u> – Tim reviewed upcoming 2023 calendar events including:

- Easter Egg Hunt April 8, 9:30 am, (Amy Larner)
- Planters Bunch Poker Run and Raffle May 6, 10 am-3 pm (Tim)
- Sea Isle Beach Cleanup Day -May 13, 9 am (Tim)
- Next Meeting June 3

Old Business

<u>PB Projects</u> – Members were encouraged to identify projects for 2023.

<u>Adopt-A-Cop</u> – Members were reminded that the contact (last month's speaker) is Marcy Hanson. She can be reached at 409-771-2401.

<u>CERT Training</u> – Tim informed members that CERT Training by Galveston County will be held in April. Google Galveston County CERT for more information.

New Business

<u>SIPOA Report</u> – Bob reminded members the annual meeting will be held in May and that everyone is welcome to attend monthly meetings which are held the second Saturday each month.

Planters Bunch Secretary – Mary Ruthe told members that she will be moving and made a motion that Brenda Kyle assume Secretary position for the remainder of 2023. The motion was approved.

Closing

- Valerie has thanked as the Lunch Host for today's meeting.
- Bob led members in a closing prayer.
- The next meeting will be Saturday, June 3rd.
- A motion was made to adjourn the meeting. Motion carried.