

Minutes of the Southwest Louisiana Master Gardeners' Monthly Meeting Dec. 5, 2023



Master Gardener President Rob Piraro called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m. at the LSU Lake Charles AgCenter on Gulf Hwy. Keith Greenlee led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

Minutes

There were no minutes from the last minute due to secretary failure.

REPORTS

Treasurer's Report: Treasurer Thelma Cook reported that our ending balance is \$44,699.48. Janice Esthay moved and Betsy Doucet seconded approval of the treasurer's report. The report was approved.

OLD BUSINESS

There were no changes and nothing to report on 4-H, front gardens, schools, and rose garden.

Mark reported on getting soil for our spring sales.

New BUSINESS

Erwin McLendon thanked members for the get-well card that we sent to him.

Toys for Tots: It was decided that we collect money instead of toys to donate to the Toys for Tots Community Christmas. Betsy Doucet moved the club match the amount that was picked up from members and Mary McMahan seconded. The motion was approved.

Announcements: Janet Piraro announced the Southwest LA Daylily club will meet at the AgCenter on this coming Saturday and she invited any interested member to attend.

The meeting was adjourned early and Annette said grace for our Christmas Meal which was enjoyed by all.