The meeting minutes of the Beautification Committee on January 30th 2023

Meeting opened at 5:02pm

In Attendance: Shirley Graf, Amy L. Troup, and Jeremy Gillespie

Motion to approve the agenda.

Jeremy motion, Shirley Graf 2<sup>nd</sup>

All in favor

See handout 1/30 2023

Notes are on the handout to guide us through what we discussed

Motion to adjourn by Jeremy at 5:52pm

2<sup>nd</sup> Shirley

All in favor

Shrayther

## 1/30/23 HBC MEETING

Spring Fest for April 22, 2023

WHAT TIME DO WE WANT TO HOLD THE EVENT? IS THE TOWN HALL AVAILABLE IN CASE OF RAIN? RAIN DATE????

1- 4th 5th and 6th Grade essay winners speak on plastic pollution litter and give out \$50 prize and a nice reusable water bottle. Shirley Graf will contact principal 1/30 SG HAS WRITTEN LETTER FOR HBC TO REVIEW. KARYN TOWNSEND MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN GOING TO THE SCHOOL TO DO A PRESENTATION PRIOR TO EARTH DAY. KARYN WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION.

2-Conservation Board Table with environmental issues

3-Girl Scout Table - possibly ask them to provide crafts for attendees with recycled items like plastic bottles, toilet paper rolls etc OR run games 1/30 SG CALLED HES- HES WILL CONTACT GIRL SCOUT LEADER WITH MY PHONE NUMBER

4-Boy Scout Bottle Drive

5-Popcorn Machine

6-Pony Rides- 1/27/22 SG CONTACTED TERRI CARMEN - SHE WILL OFFER PONY RIDES.

7-Corn Hole

8-Bake Sale

9-Green Hanson Table - SG HAS E-MAILED GREEN HANSON . THEY MAY BE INTERESTED IF THEY DO NOT HOLD A FAIR THEMSELVES. SG SUGGESTED THEY DO SOMETHING ON COMPOSTING/

10-Historical Society- RE Burrage History

11-Nessarella Table- selling fresh produce

12-Display and info with Cigarette Butts - Shirley Graf

13-Display and info with Plastic Water Bottles Shirley Graf

14-Display and info with Nips Shirley Graf

15 Display on plastic straws Shirley Graf SUGGESTION TO DO DEMONSTRATION OF 365 STRAWS LINED UP TO SHOW WHAT A DAILY HABIT OF TAKE OUT LOOKS LIKE COMPARED WITH THE LENGTH OF A FOOTBALL FIELD

16- 4H rabbits, dog training 1/25/23 SG CALLED REGIONAL #. HALIFAX DOES NOT HAVE ANY GROUPS. THE PERSON I TALKED WITH SAID THEY WOULD REACH OUT TO OTHER TOWN 4-H LEADERS AND ASK THEM TO CALL ME

17- Phil Clemons- info on local walking trails 1/25/23 PHIL IS TOO BUSY

18-Ask someone to come from Burrage to give out information about Burrage 1/25/23 SG CALLED WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT AND ASKED THAT LAND STEWART CALL ME BACK

21- Bocce

22-Silver Lake Recycling Club 1/25/23 SG CALLED HS AND LEFT MESSAGE FOR SOMEONE TO CALL ME BACK

23 Plymouth Beekeepers Display- Colby Silva 1/25/23 SG CALLED MARTIN TOUHEY. HE MIGHT BE INTERESTED BUT COULD NOT COMMIT TO ANYTHING RIGHT NOW. MIGHT BE BETTER TO HAVE SOMEONE ELSE

- 23 Marc Valentine Flag Display
- 24 Invasive Species Table Jeremy Gillespie

25 Music 1/25 AND 1/30 SG SPOKE WITH ALLAN PALMER AND DENNIS CARMAN. THEY ARE DEFINITELY INTERESTED IN COMING TO SING AND PLAY GUITAR.

- 26 Massage Table
- 27 Water Fountain Table -Colby Silva
- 28 Cub Scouts
- 29 Adopt a Planter
- 30 PETTING ZOO- 1/25/23 TERRI CARMAN WILL WORK ON TRYING TO GET OTHER ANIMALS TO THE TOWN GREEN FOR THE EVENT

31 TRACTOR SUPPLY- TERRI CARMAN SUGGESTED I CALL TRACTOR SUPPLY TO ASK IF THEY COULD COME WITH INFORMATION AND DISPLAY FOR BABY CHICKENS. SG CALLED AND LEFT MESSAGE. SG GOT MESSAGE BACK THAT THEY WERE DEFINITELY INTERESTED AND TO E-MAIL THEM MORE SPECIFICS.

32 FISHING TABLE- JEREMY - DO YOU HAVE ANY BUDDIES THAT MIGHT WANT TO DEMONSTRATE FLY FISHING????

33 CRAFTS OR ARTWORK WITH RECYCLED ITEMS

DONATION BOXES

E-MAIL BLAST WITH INFORMATION

HOW ARE WE GOING TO ORGANIZE THE CLEAN UP WEEK?

HALIFAX MAP- CESAR CALOURO CAN MAKE US A FRESH COPY

DOES HBC WANT ME TO GET A NEW MAP AND TO POST ON FACEBOOK TO ASK PEOPLE TO COMMIT TO CLEANING UP A STREET?