



Monthly Membership Meeting

March 21, 2024

<<Clarion Eagles>>

Call to Order: 7:02 PM

Attendance: 51

1. Officer Reports

a. President

- i. Thank you for all coming tonight.
- ii. We had a break in at the storage unit. Our Chainsaw, Pole saw, Weed eater attachment, all our 2 cycle oil, 2 loping shears and some gloves were taken.
- iii. We have purchased 4 solar lights and 2 trail cameras that will be installed around the storage container.
- iv. We had a maintenance day Saturday Bob will give the details.
- v. Next Maintenance day March 30th.
- vi. We have new Grant information Kenny will discuss.
- vii. We are having a table set up at the Dubois Mall March 24th-30th. Looking for volunteers to man the table. Talk about the club, sell merchandise (Cash only) and direct them to our website for more information.

b. Vice President

- i. It has been brought to our attention private property close to the Knotty Pines was torn up by SxS's. The property is owned by an elderly couple in their 80's who can't fix their property and have to hire someone to repair it. There are signs that say Private Property. Please let everyone know don't access Private Property without having permission prior.
- ii. We will be turning our Grant information next week.
- iii. Thank you Pashek for helping to write and finalize the grant application.
- iv. We had 80 RR ties delivered by the container at Limestone trail head. We obtained the used ties for \$12 EA vs the cost of new ones \$90-\$100 EA.
- v. Bridge 1 steel decking is gathered. Terry Rapp to pick up and deliver the decking.
- vi. The total cost of the decking is coming in lower than expected. Not sure of final price yet ~\$16,500.00 - \$16,700.00 vs what we were expecting \$21,000.00.

c. Treasurer

- i. Melissa Kemmer-Daugherty resigned as Secretary. The club accepted Melissa's resignation.
- ii. Ginny Kodrich accepted the interim position. No opposition from anyone at the meeting.
- iii. Income: Sponsorship \$750.00, Membership dues \$2,115.00, 50/50 \$73.00, Clothing Apparel \$922.88 Total income \$3,880.88.

iv. Expenses: Facilities and Equipment \$175.92, Operations \$83.85, Raffle Tickets \$128.00 Total Expenses \$387.77.

v. Total Checking / Savings \$53,443.22.

d. Committee

i. Maintenance

1. Maintenance day last Saturday. We had 7 volunteers (trash cleanup, cleared trees) worked from Piney to Limestone 28.50 hours logged.
2. We had a soft turnout because there were 2 other events happening on the same day.
3. Next Maintenance day March 30th. We need to work from Limestone trail head to Brookeville. Meeting 9 AM at Limestone trail head.
4. Mike Knight has an acquaintance who has a large qty of rough-cut Hemlock 2 x 10's (various lengths) he is willing to donate them to the club. The rough-cut lumber is stored in a dry location.
5. We have been receiving complaints riders running stop signs at Kingsville. Not necessarily club members but we need to follow all signage while riding. Please pass along to nonmembers to be mindful of all signage.

ii. Newsletter

1. The newsletter is doing good no complaints. Good information being published.

iii. Special Events

1. N/A

iv. Fundraising

1. Tickets and \$ are starting to be returned for the gun raffle. Please help get your tickets sold and returned in plenty of time for next month's meeting where we will draw the winners.
2. Deb has tickets for sale tonight.

v. Sponsorship

1. A lot of sponsors are returning.
2. If you know of a potential sponsor who is interested please let us know and we will reach out to them.

vi. Membership

1. 450 Memberships
2. We have been receiving a lot of renewals.
3. New members from Millcreek Twp at the meeting tonight. They have permits available to purchase tonight. (Millcreek permits are also available on our website.)

vii. Social Media

1. Dixie is doing a great job posting on Facebook. Receiving a lot of feedback on the posts. Love seeing the interaction with all our members.

viii. Merchandise

1. Website is up and working again. You can go order merchandise from the website again.
2. Merchandise sales are doing good.
3. We will have a table set up at the Dubois Mall for cash sales only March 24th-30th.

2. Old Business

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3. New Business

- a. We have received ~ \$13-14,00. We are working on setting up a separate bank account just for the donations. We will be reporting the donations separately from the club accounts.
- b. 50/50 \$34.00 to the winner. John McCall is the winner. He donated the winnings back to the club.

4. Motion to Adjourn 7:50 PM