



Monthly Membership Meeting

July 16, 2026

<<Clarion Eagles>>

Call to Order: 7:01 PM

Attendance: 33

1. Officer Reports

a. President

- i. We have an update on the one eye's valley project. I spoke to Ron yesterday. We have been waiting on the permit from DEP, Ron said the deadline they set was July 23, 2026. That was the date they set to make corrections and then a final decision on. Ron has not heard from them, he is optimistic that is good news. He said in the past he had one other project end the same way and it is an assumption that if nothing needs attention then the permit is approved. From there he will finish developing the bidding package, and we will submit it to DCNR for approval. Once they give us the green light, we can advertise the project for bids. The tentative timeline for this would be around October – November.
- ii. We further discussed whether to submit bids yet this year or wait. There are two ways to look at it, we may want to do it this fall so we are on the contractor's schedule for the spring. Or wait until spring to get bids. We can do a couple of rounds of bidding too, so both could happen. Any updates we have we will pass on to everyone.

b. Vice President

- i. Bridge 3 meeting we are going to place railroad ties on both sides of the grating. We measured the spaces on each side of the grated pieces. We also measured the stockpile of ties before bridge 2. They will fit in the space and there are enough of them to do the whole bridge with a few possible left over. A railing was also discussed for after the decking is finished.
- ii. Attendees: Cinnamon, Jerrod, Kenny, Bernie, John, Greg Brocious, Steve Filipowski, Todd and Kim Frye, Dee Bostard, Mark Doyle, Chad Anderson, Kat Martinenelli.
- iii. Bridge 4 has enough grating left at bridge 1 to do bridge 4. We would have to cut the grating down to size. Bridge 4 is around 200 feet long. The pieces are 32 feet long and 85 inches wide. The space between the kickers is around 92 inches. So the gap is much smaller. We would not need anything put in there. Once a plan is in place we will let everyone know when that area of trail is closed for the decking.

c. Treasurer

- i. Bank balance ending in June
- ii. Northwest savings: \$27, 401.41
- iii. Northwest Grant: \$134,141.19

- iv. Membership: \$1,300.00
- v. Renewal Membership: \$500.00
- vi. Day Passes: \$330.00
- vii. Merchandise: \$283.00
- viii. Donations: \$500.00
- ix. Stickers: \$135.00
- x. Square Fees: \$101.48
- xi. Northwest Savings
- xii. Checks cleared: \$9,474.19
- xiii. Total Income: \$3,111.25
- xiv. Current Balance
- xv. Northwest Savings: \$27,585.77
- xvi. Northwest Grant: \$134,141.19
- xvii. Top Tier Account: \$23,997.07
- d. Committee
 - i. Maintenance / Equipment
 - 1. June 27th , 29th , 30th Volunteers 16 – 54 hours
 - 2. July Volunteers 3 – 9 hours
 - ii. Signs
 - 1. Have started at Piney and got the first 8 miles done. Replacing bad signs along the way.
 - 2. Will need to get additional signs to finish the trail.
 - iii. Riding
 - 1. N/A
 - iv. Newsletter
 - 1. N/A
 - v. Special Events
 - 1. Friends and Family will be at Memorial Hill on 8/8/26 starting at 11. Food at noon until it runs out. Burgers, Hot dogs, Pulled Pork, Pasta salad, Cowboy baked Beans, Potato Salade, Chips and cookies are on the menu. This is a bring your own drink, we will have bottled water though.
 - 2. Everyone that attends and signs in will get a ticket for a drawing. Every new member will be in a drawing. From there we will have 50/50 tickets and will continue to draw winners until all the prizes are gone. Drawings will start at 3 PM.
 - 3. We are looking for canopies, tables and chairs if anyone would have any for us to use. We also need a few volunteers to help our committee heads with their jobs. We have merchandise, membership, raffles and food.
 - vi. Fundraising / Parades
 - 1. East Brady parade July 24th 6:30 PM start time.
 - vii. Sponsorship
 - 1. We are continuing to gather donations from our sponsors for the Friends and Family Day. This past Saturday we picked up a gas can, cooler, hats and shirts from East American Motorsports.
 - viii. Membership
 - 1. Current numbers 637 memberships, 24 Lifetime, 1,358 total members, 92 extra stickers and 6 extra lifetime stickers.
 - 2. As a comparison, at the May meeting we reported that we had 572 Memberships and 1,228 total members. 65 new memberships in 2 months.

ix. Social Media

1. We created an event on the Tide the Pine page for the F&F Day. We will post in that event to keep everyone up to date on everything there.

x. Merchandise

1. We have the 2026 shirts available here tonight. We will have leftover shirts from 2025 and new 2026 merch at the Friends and Family Day on August 8th.

xi. Penn DOT Committee

1. N/A

2. Old Business

- a. Tractor – We would like to give a giant thanks to Andy Griebel for taking the tractor over to his garage in East Reidsburg and going over everything. We purchased 2 new back tires for it. The age of the tractor limited the available options, but Andy and Chris's tire did find more heavy-duty tires to put on. He also fixed the wiring problem and changed all the fluids.

3. New Business

- a. We have officer elections next month. Open positions are President, Treasurer and secretary. No nominations at tonight's meeting.
- b. Voting is in person only.
- c. New officers will take their positions in January of 2027.
- d. 50/50 \$17.00 Brian Snyder.

4. Motion to Adjourn 7:40 PM