NORTH SPORTSMAN'S CLUB MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES

_____3/11/2024_____

Pledge of Allegiance: Led by Walt Ellmaker

Meeting was called to Order: At __19:30__by John Hudson, President

NAME	PRESENT	ABSENT
John Hudson	Х	
Dave Shaffer	Х	
Walt Ellmaker	X	
Ken Humez	X	
Bob Emborski	X	
Joe Chovan	Х	
Mary Chovan	X	
Jaime Humez	X	
Jerry Bunting	X	
Gene Pierson	Х	
Jeff Yankee	Х	

Reports

A Quorum was present

President:

John Hudson reported we have funds to buy AED. Patty S. will be consulted. We might be able to get free CPR courses. We will look into that.

Vice President:

Dave arrived late after attending trap captain's meeting and reported the single adult trap league will be split into two leagues like in previous years: north/south which start April 9. Shoot off Aug 24 at Pathfinder.

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Treasurer's Report:

Jaime Humez gave financial data and discussed 31 day gun raffle, \$25 tickets. 100 tickets left to sell. \$5 from each ticket goes back to club.

Membership Report:

Bob Emborski reported 268 members renewed. 281 as of tonight.

Range Report:

Walt Ellmaker reported range is busy on and off, with 7 new members on Saturday orientation. Range is in good shape. Some netting replaced. Snow fence for target backing is working great.

Trap Report:

Jaime Humez reported Youth league info is now on Facebook page-Starts March 31, 10 AM every Sunday and runs until Mid June. Over 20 kids so far. Scholastic league also is starting and running concurrently. Registration deadline March 24. Raffles will be conducted to help defray league costs.

Trap houses may be opened every other Wednesday evenings. Check with Jaime after April. Email to be sent.

The 4H shooting program starts April 8 from 6-8 PM.

Archery:

Bill Fox reported targets being repaired. Bag covers to be purchased. 3 targets repaired from shed. Repair kits are working as desired. Bill offered to drive to pick up kits to save shipping cost. Motion made/passed to fund Bill's repair supplies. Bill is waiting for weather to brush hog. Defoliant to be applied for poison ivy.

Grounds Report:

Jerry Bunting reported mowers will be serviced soon. Locks put on gates.

Old Business:

none

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New Business:

Zack Humez presented youth PRS (precision rifle shooting). He would like to start in April and is asking for permission to shoot metal targets, place to store barricades and time slot to shoot. Will need to close trap and archery range when shooting in progress. Supervised use of metal targets will require a bylaws rules change. Zack researched and found minimum safe distances for metal target use: 10 yds for handgun and 100 for rifle (less than 3K fps). Targets can be any size. Bill Fox offered to donate targets for Zack's rifle program. Propose Tuesday 5-8 PM on 300 yd range. Motion made/passed to allow supervised shooting of metal targets and for Zack to proceed.

Communications:

Send email :

1) reminder to lock range gate and front gate if last to leave.

Good/Welfare:

None.

50/50:

Dave Martin won but donated back to club.

Adjournment:

M/S/C to adjourn at 20:26

Submitted by Joe Chovan, club secretary