

Slippery Rock Sportsmen's Club Minutes

Monthly Meeting: July 7, 2009

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by president Bill Walker with 18 members present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Treasurers Report:

Rich Kerr reported expenses, Income and current balance. A motion to accept the treasurer's report was made by Lois Ament. Second by John Rea. Motion approved by voice vote.

Committee Reports:

Road: No report.

Range: Lock boxes have been placed on the rifle and pistol ranges that contain wire and cutters for fixing the target holders. The combination to the boxes is the same as the gate combination.

Building: Materials for siding the building will be delivered on July 11th.

A push lawnmower has been donated.

Lake: The lake has been pumped down several feet and the overflow pipe has been cut off. More work to be done.

Archery: Range is OK. Weed trimming needs done.

Game Comm: Dave Walker reported on PGC news. New hunting license system is in use. Doe license applications can be mailed to ant county treasurer. WCO Clint Deniker received awards for pulling a man from a burning vehicle. 487 bobcats were taken in the 2008-09 season. Bald Eagles are nesting in 49 of the states 67 counties.

Hunter Safety: Class at Happy Hunters on July 9-10-11, Boyers July 24-25, Cranberry July 24-25. Bill Walker reported that a class cannot be held at our club because of lack of space and that there classes at Jennings and at Moraine Sportsmen.

SRU Hunting & Fishing Club: No report.

Old Business: Bill Walker and several other officers met with the agent from Outdoor Insurance. They decided to get a policy with better coverage that was first planned. This policy has coverage of one million dollars per incident and two million aggregate.

A new door for the front entrance will be \$109.00 at Lowes. Prices from other stores are in the same range. Shawn Ireland made a motion to buy the door. Second made by Dave Walker. Motion approved by voice vote.

The dusk to dawn light is not working. Lois Ament made a motion to fix it and leave in on all hours. Second by Fran Ament. Motion carried by voice vote.

New Business: A discussion about having a picnic came up. Shawn Ireland made a motion to have a picnic. Second by Harry McMurray. The picnic will be held on Sunday, Sept 13th, starting at 2:00 PM. Rain date will be Sept 20th.

The club will provide hot dogs, drinks, etc.

RSVP to Lois Ament, constancew@zoominternet.net. Those attending will be asked to bring a food dish.

Club member Carl Fowler has a video on groundhog hunting for sale.

There will be a classified section added to the club web page. Members that would like to advertise outdoor items for sale must present the advertisement at a regular club meeting before the item(s) will be listed. The item(s) will be listed for 30 days.

Discussion about what to do about the fish if the lake is drawn down took place. It was decided to table the issue until the water level actually gets to be a concern.

The club NRA dues are up for renewal. Five year membership is \$150.00.

It was decided to renew.

Bill Walker has notified the township, the State Police, and the fire company of the combination to the gate.

Dave Walker reminded members to lock the gate and scramble the combination.

Members discussed what to pay Dave Walker and Dale Moore for doing the mowing.

Each will receive \$100.00

John Rea made a motion to adjourn. Second by Lois Ament.

Meeting adjourned at 9:04 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim North, Secretary