

SEPTEMBER 2022 SUSQUEHANNOCK TRAIL CLUB MINUTES

The September 2022 meeting was held Saturday the 10th at Ilene Altenheim's house in Mina, PA. The following 26 members enjoyed a dish-to-pass picnic followed by a business meeting: Wanda Shirk, Lori Szymanik, Aniela Oliver, Chad Rugh, Tom & Jayne Fitzgerald, Bill Boyd, John Zimmer, Alice and Gary Buchanan, Curt & Penny Weinhold, Dave & Roxanne McMillan, Lois Morey, Helen Bernhardt, Wayne Baumann, Ed & Carol Szymanik, Jane & Doug Wetherbee & Oliver, Larry Holtzapple, Vincent J Rose, Ilene Altenheim (host), Joe Thompson. The picnic began at 12:00pm. The meeting was called to order at 1:00pm by club president, Wanda Shirk.

August 2022 meeting minutes by Roxanne McMillan were read by Lori Szymanik. The meeting minutes were approved. A motion was made by John Zimmer. Alice Buchanan seconded the motion.

TREASURER'S REPORT by Bill Boyd:

A treasurer's report was presented.

TRAILS REPORT by Bill Boyd:

- **1772** volunteer hours as of August 31 completed by 51 volunteers. 325 hours for August

NEW MEMBERS submitted by Lois Morey:

- No new members to report.

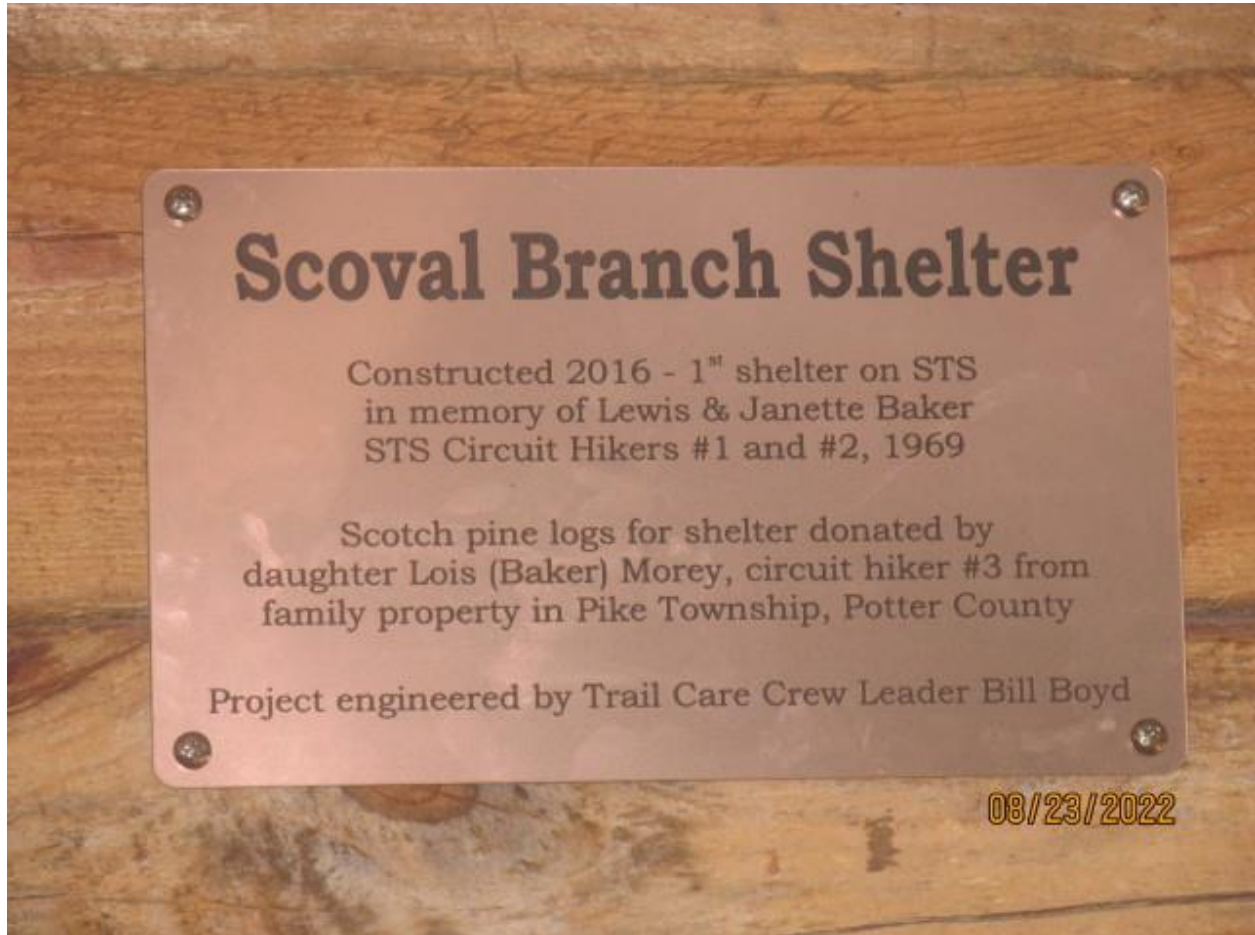
CIRCUIT HIKER REPORT by Lori Szymanik:

- **1274, Kathy Borrell, Cochran, PA**
- **1275, Ingrid Cantarella-Fox, Cochran, PA**
- **1276, Rick Beidman, Holliston, Massachusetts**

OLD BUSINESS:

- Valorie and Wanda put hooks up in shelters
- A sign post from Tom Fitzgerald will be installed. Jack Buckwalter has a camp nearby—he and friend will put in the post angled to the correct compass point.
- Bill Boyd made a new picnic table for Social Branch.

- The only solid log shelter on the STS is at Scoval Branch. Logs were donated by Lois Morey's family. Lois and her parents were the 1st ones to hike the entire STS. Logs were sawed with Ilene Altenheim's sawmill. Tim Morey engraved the sign.





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- ATV Update: Lori and Curt participated in KTA video about how ATV's affect the forest and forest users.
- ATV Update: Injunction Pennsylvania Environmental Defense Foundation, Petitioner:

PER CURIAM ORDER AND NOW, this 29th day of August 2022, Petitioner's Application to Amend Petition for Review by filing the Petition Addendum is hereby GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner's Application for Expedited Relief in the Form of a Stay is GRANTED, and the Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, and Cindy Adams Dunn, in her official capacity as Secretary, shall suspend the execution of a

grant agreement with the Central Mountain ATV Association Inc. for the construction project referred to as the "CMATVA Renovo Connector Trail" pending this Court's review in the above-captioned matter.





- ATV Update: John Zimmer brought up concerns about various ATV concerns.

NEW BUSINESS:

- We have made \$173 from STS map purchases in the Far Out app!!
- Jim Bowser died unexpectedly. Left \$10,000 to trail club. Law office will send money to Lois Morey's physical address and she will sign for it. The club will need to decide what to do with it. Suggestions included property for a clubhouse, investing in next generation, rewarding trail maintainers, trail adoption kit, put some of the money in the endowment fund, buy permanent rights of way for trail, put towards a summer celebration to replace the February Frolic, give trail tools to current maintainers.
- Suggestion to schedule hikes after club meetings.
- Bill's editorial should be placed in the Wellsboro newspaper and added to the web site.
- Suggestion that a bow saw should be placed in each shelter for firewood. Chad & Larry made a motion for a bow saw at each shelter. The motion was accepted.

NEXT MEETINGS:

Saturday, October 8, 12:00pm, Lyman Run State Park Pavilion

MEETING ADJOURNED at 2:30 pm

Meeting minutes taken by Lori Szymanik and Carol Szymanik