

November Meeting Oahe ABATE Chapter
November 14, 2020 –Bill Poppenga's garage

The meeting was called to order with Roger Templeton leading the Pledge of Allegiance at 6:39pm with 16 members present.

Officer Reports:

Treasurer: Bill gave a rundown of all accounts for balances, debit and credits. David Mann motioned to accept the report, Chris Sieler seconded. Motion carried.

Secretary: Marcia asked if any changes were needed to October minutes. None brought forward. Motion by Jamie Werner. to accept minutes as written and seconded by Roman Lamie. Motion carried.

Membership Secretary: Jamie reported there are 73 members. Four renewed and two new members. Members who need to renew are Lonnie & Sarah Dozier, Kip & Tina Eickhoff, Lee Kleinschmidt, Lance Jibben, Bill Meagher, Myles Runyon, Monty Mikkelsen.

State Rep: The next ABATE of SD meeting will be held next Saturday, November 21. It is not known if it will be at the Moose Lodge or via Zoom.

Road Captain: Kip Eickhoff was absent so there was no report

Committees Reports:

Christmas Party/Toy Fundraiser: Roman reported the event will take place on December 11 at Eastside and will begin at 7pm. Raffle tickets are available. Price is 1 for \$5 or 5 for \$20. Prizes are 1st place \$250 Runnings Gift Card; 2nd place Tool kit valued at \$150; 3rd place \$100 in Beef Bucks certificates. The winner of the Soup cookoff will be awarded with a traveling trophy. There will be a silent auction. If you wish to donate please get the item AND the amount it is worth to Sarah Berger by 1PM on December 11. If you care to make a cash donation contact Roman.

Christmas Tree at the Capitol: Bonnie reported the decorating will take place at the Capitol on Saturday, November 21 at 1pm. If you can help contact Bonnie or Marcia ahead of time. Bonnie had samples of ornaments.

Old Business:

Memory Patches: Marcia reported they are ordered and should be available at the next meeting.

New Business:

Donations to PARS Meal boxes were discussed along with other worthy causes. Tabled until more information can be gathered.

Legislative Day supper. Roman and Brandon will proceed with plans for supper on Friday Night.

Last chance for Nominations of Officers:

No names were brought forward.

President

Brad Bruns

Joe Kelley moved that nominations cease, seconded by Jamie Werner. Carried.

Vice President

Brandon Butler

Chris Sieler moved that nominations cease, seconded by Rachel Bobby. Carried.

Secretary

Sarah Burger

David Mann moved that nominations cease, seconded by Roman Lamie. Carried.

Treasurer

Bill Poppenga

Sarah Burger: Requested to Withdraw

Rachel Bobby moved that nominations cease, seconded by David Mann. Carried.

Membership Secretary

Jamie Werner

Sarah Burger moved that nominations cease, seconded by David Mann. Carried.

Sergeant-at-Arms

Chris Seiler: Requested to Withdraw

Roman Lamie

Chris Sieler moved that nominations cease, seconded by Jamie Werner. Carried.

Road Captain

Chris Sieler

Roman LaMie: Requested to Withdraw

Dave Kleaveland

Sarah Burger moved that nominations cease, seconded by Roman Lamie. Carried.

Secret ballot voted Chris Sieler as Road Captain.

State Representative

Lori Butler

Chris Sieler moved that nominations cease, seconded by David Mann. Carried.

Brad thanked all who held the offices for their dedication. Brad also welcomed those who will be continuing with the offices and Sarah Burger who will be Secretary for the next two years and Chris Sieler who will be Road Captain for the next year beginning at the January 2021 meeting. Those going out of office were encouraged to get with the new officer for orientation for a smooth transition.

Announcements:

December 12 meet at Eastside to go to the Capitol for Pie Day with Santa. Ride your motorcycle if weather permits. The December meeting will be Saturday December 12, 2020 at 5:00 pm for meeting to be held and gift wrapping. Chapter will provide pizza.

With no further business to discuss a motion was made by Jamie Werner to adjourn. The motion was seconded by Marcia Kaup. Motion carried and the meeting adjourned at 7:35pm.

Chris Sieler won the 50/50 Drawing. David Mann was drawn for SOL and WAS in attendance so won the pot. The amount goes down to what was taken in for 50/50 tonight.

Marcia Kaup, OA ABATE Chapter Secretary