

MEETING AGENDA - Michigan Sporting Clays Association

Meeting

Meeting Date Monday, March 11, 2024

Start Time 6:00 PM
End Time 8:00 PM
Location ZOOM meeting

Purpose Regular scheduled meeting

RSVP

No response: Mary Jo Birka, Jim Kralik, Matt Little, Greg Roxbury, Charles Schneider, Steve Trudeau

Agenda

1. Committee business

1.1. President's Report, Review/Approve Meeting Minutes

/ 20 min.

*Like Agenda, assumed approval unless edits noted by Directors prior to the scheduled meeting. This is to allow more time each meeting for open items and discussion.

*Motion to approve the past meeting minutes as written:

Second:

President's Corner

1.1.1. Subcommittee Reports

/ 60 min.

1.1.1.1. Liaison to Member Clubs

Mary Jo Birka / 10 min.

*Any news from Bay County, Hillsdale, Huron Pointe, Detroit, or Multi-Lakes shoots?

*Bay County had a couple of shooters (registered on I-clays for whatever reason). Dan had them hooked up on Scorechaser, but they went rogue, HA! Weather was brutal. Somehow all of that was my fault...I apologized and moved on.

*Hillsdale had 26 shooters. Huron Pointe had 46 shooters. Detroit had 71 shooters. Multi-Lakes had 76 shooters. Mark Bushart was HOA with an 89, beat Fred Kaschak by 1. Her bested a lot of really solid shooters. Congrats to Mike.

*Anything else? Jim do you want to talk about MEEMO Farms?

1.1.1.2. Fundraising

Mary Jo Birka / 20 min.

*Sponsorship Update:

*I sent all sponsor letters out on February 27. Letters went out to all of our member clubs, all three of last year's Platinum sponsors, plus Carleton Sportsmens Club, AJ's Supplies (Roger Brenner's ammo), and Schanz's Shooting Supply. Did I miss anyone?

*So far we have our 3 Platinum sponsors, Promatic, Pacific, and Clay Target Vision. Matt, any others so far?

*Pacific's check is in. Greg has eyeglass case and certificate for CTV? Matt, have you seen the Promatic check yet?



*Vector files are in for the Platinum plaques, thanks to Greg. Glen from Laser Creations is working on the plaques. They will be 8X10 simulated cherry with a gold outline and gold-filled letters. They will be really nice. They will have a row of 4 gold clay targets along the bottom. One for each year. 2024 will be on the first clay, and Glen will send the other inserts along for 25-27. Should be about \$55-60 each or about \$15 per year. The proof for those should be ready early next week.

*Elizabeth Moses sent me the info for the feather flags. They will be \$190 each, double sided, 13 ft tall with stakes, poles and bags. They are coming from Hi-Tex Flags. They will be on order end of this week. Platinum sponsors (3) and (2) Spartan Series flags.

*Since Pacific has already promised us a gun, and John is doing something for the State shoot with Scottie, should we forego the shoot sleeves for this year? Scottie has already done his advertising for the shoot anyway, and that should have been mentioned (first 200 shooters etc).

*Since we are offering Clay Target Vision a Platinum membership for merchandise, should that be an option for everyone?

1.1.1.3. Liaison to SCTP

Mary Jo Birka / 5 min.

*Nothing new from SCTP?

1.1.1.4. Treasurer's Report

Matt Little / 10 min.

*Checking account balance: \$

*Matt and I have ATM Mastercard's for purchases. It's easier for us to keep MSCA charges out of our personal finances.

1.2. Secretary's Report/NSCA News

/ 5 min.

- The NSCA decided at the winter meeting to hold off changing the sub-gauge classes until 1/25. The new rule will move sub gauge classes on all shooters to within one level of their 12- gauge classification. The new 12-gauge reclassification system was not well received by the shooters. So, no more changes for now.
- I would like to propose changing the Great Lakes MSCA financial support from the current \$1800 to \$3000. \$1800 does not even pay for the trophies. Discuss.

1.2.1. Member Outreach - Facebook

Jim Kralik / 10 min.

No report needed at this time. Any comments from Jim?

1.2.2. Member Outreach - Miclays.com

/ 5 min.

*Dan got our new website up and running right after our last meeting. IT LOOKS GREAT! He will continue piecing it together. The most important issue was getting the new calendar up on-line. He also e-blasted it out to our shooters.

*Send pictures and items of interest directly to him.

2. OLD BUSINESS

2.1. Spartan Series Update

Matt Little / 10 min.

*Spartan flags will be ordered this week. They will be on display for the first time at Island Lake. I will store them with our other banners.



*The Spartan committee decided to purchase a trophy for the Champion and Runner up only. They want it to be a pass around trophy where the name gets engraved and then handed off to the next winner. We need to start looking for a trophy. Lots of options on-line.

3. NEW BUSINESS

3.1. Hall of Fame Matt Little

*I think the MSCA board should nominate John Herkowitz from Pacific to the Hall of Fame. Jimmy Moses and Scottie and Debbie Behnke were inducted in 2017. What do you think? We need to confirm that he has been sponsoring in Michigan for a minimum of 10 years.

4. Next Meeting Date

4.1. Date Next Meeting

/ 5 min.

4.2. Adjournment

Resolution #: Motion to Adjourn

Moved: seconded: