

CWCSTA Monthly Meeting

March 10, 2025

Called to order at 7:00pm

Secretary's Report: Motion to accept by Rick, 2nd by Ryan , motion passed.

Treasurer's Report: see last page for details. Motion by Barb, 2nd by Dava, motion passed.

DNR report Dani

- No real update. 3rd and 4th benchmark have not been officially canceled as of this point.

Crow Wing County- Tom Strack

- 2nd benchmark was mistakenly marked 3rd.
- Discussion on gates. Tom encouraged clubs to make the decision to shut gates by safety and landowner considerations.
- Tom will be turning in 3rd benchmark, encourages clubs to get paperwork in order.
- **Trail Coordinators meeting will be moved from the usual April Meeting to May 12. Coordinators meeting will start at 6:30 with regular meeting at usual 7:00. Food will be served beginning at 6pm.**

MnUSA

- No report

Side discussion, Mark authored a letter reaching out to snowmobilers the importance of registrations and how it affects the operations of local clubs.

MnUSA Region 3

- Meeting coming up Wednesday night. Looking to name directors.

ACSA

- International snowmobile hall of fame nominations for inductees.

Raffle

- Vote on where dinner is to be held between Deerwood and Baxter. Motion by Rick, 2nd by Ryan to have raffle dinner on January 25th, Motion passed.

Results on vote was 6-5 to move to Brainerd.

Maps

- Mark ordered new forms for maps. Will be available shortly. May hand out at Snow/No Snow lunches. Cost will be the same.

Club Reports

- Bay Lake – Meeting on Saturday. Land owners dinner on April 12.
- Baxter- Purchased new groomer. Considering going to 1 meeting per month.
- Brainerd – Working on shutting gates down. Some minor trail work. Safety Training had 26 students.
- Deerwood – Meeting tomorrow night. Not much else going on.
- Emily – Gift cards sent out to landowners. Will be closing gates
- Fort Ripley – Winding down, closing gates
- Garrison – No report
- Gull Lake – Membership meeting this week. Some maintenance things being done.
- Ideal – De-staked lakes. Will be in St Patty's day parade.
- Merrifield – Quiet. Open house was held on February 23rd. good turnout.
- Pequot – Kids ride will most likely be canceled.
- Ponto – Nothing since last meeting.

Old Business

- Accountant, will be contacting after May (tax time)
- Snow/No Snow lunch schedule
- JJ's Birds Nest March 19
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 Cedar Chest March 26
 Commanders Bar May 12

New Business

- Larry Moses celebration of life at Merrifield clubhouse on April 12. 1-4pm. Discussion on naming a trail as Larry Moses memorial trail. Motion by Barb to make the Pine River Loop the Moe's Loop. Signage and posts to be paid for by CWCSTA. 2nd by Rick. Motion amended to have discussions with Merrifield club for details. Motion passed.
- Motion to sponsor a Vet Veterans Appreciation Ride for \$250 by Rick, 2nd by Ryan. Motion passed.

Motion to adjourn by Rick. Motion carried.

Adjourned at 8:00pm

CWCSTA Snowmobile Club
For period February 1, 2025 to February 28, 2025

Checking

Beginning Balance	\$ 34,319.55
Income	\$ 44,014.00
Expenses	\$ 40, 500.98
Ending Balance	<u>\$ 37,832.57</u>

Notations

Outstanding checks Totaling \$4701.73

#3061 \$1000.00

#3069 \$1000.00

#3074 \$2701.73

