

Constitution of Upper Milford Field and Stream Association

As amended 09 July 2019

Article I

Name

The name of this organization shall be Upper Milford Field and Stream Association.

Article II

Object

The object of the Association shall be to promote the practice of field sports among its members, to protect the game and fish of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and to abide by all laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

To encourage the preservation and propagation of game and fish, and to do all things incidental thereto, or connected therewith, including the stocking and restocking of fields, woods, and streams with game and fish, the planting of forests and the ownership and maintenance of property and streams suitable for the preservation and propagation of same.

Article III

Officers

The officers of the Association shall consist of President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Financial Secretary, Treasurer, Head Trustee and trustees. The number of Trustees shall be determined by the Executive Board each year.

Article IV

Nominations and Elections of Officers

Section 1. All officers shall constitute the Executive Board.

Section 2. All officers referred to in Article III shall be nominated at the regular stated meetings in October, November and December of each year and elected at the regular meeting in December of that same year and assume their duties in January of the upcoming year. All officers shall serve for a period of one year (12months).

Section 3. Eligibility for office shall be limited to active members of the Association who are in good standing, for a period of 3 years on the night of the election.

3A. A member in good standing is any member attending a club meeting or event in the current year.

Section 4. Members must be an active member in good standing for one year in order to vote in the election of officers.

Section 5. Any officer of this Association who is absent for more than three consecutive meetings shall be required to justify his/her absence or submit his/her resignation. In these cases, the Executive Committee shall fill the vacated position within the provisions of Section 7 of Article IV.

Section 6. Resignation of any office shall be submitted in writing to the Executive Board.

Section 7. In any case that an officer's post becomes vacant the following goes into effect.

If the post is going to be vacant for less than 3 (three) months the Executive Board may appoint a member in good standing to fill that vacant post.

If the officer's post will be vacant for more than 3 (three) months the vacant post shall be nominated at the next regular meeting and voted in by members at that meeting. The person voted in will assume the post at that meeting.

Article V

Amendments

Amendments to the Constitution must be presented in writing at a regular stated meeting of the members of the Association. They shall be signed by at least three members in good standing. They shall be discussed at this first meeting and they shall be presented in their altered form (if any) for discussion at a second meeting. At the third meeting they shall be presented in their final form, at which time they shall be accepted or rejected by a two-thirds majority vote.