

## September 12, 2022 Monthly Meeting Minutes Hope Rod & Gun Club

The 683rd meeting of the Hope Rod and Gun Club monthly meeting was called to order at 7:04 pm by President Mann.

**Secretary's Report:** President Mann asked for a motion to accept the August 2022 minutes as posted on the Hope Rod and Gun Club Website. A motion was made and seconded, to accept and approve the August 2022 minutes. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

**Treasurers Report:** Treasurer George presented the August 2022 Income and Expense Report. A motion was made and seconded, to accept and approve the August 2022 Income and Expense Report as presented. The motion passed unanimously by voice vote.

**Membership Report:** President Mann read the names of the new members. A motion was made and seconded, to accept and approve the new members. The Motion passed unanimously by voice vote. President Mann welcomed the new members to the Hope Rod & Gun Club and briefly reviewed some of the club's safety rules. Dues are paid Jan 1 each year. Gate combination was shared as well as the rule that the gate must remain open while someone is using facilities. A tour for new members was offered at the end of the meeting.

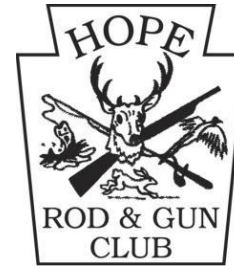
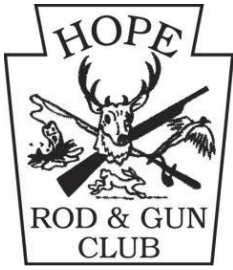
We have only four regular memberships available.

### **Fishing / Hunting Report:**

Russ gave the fishing / hunting report. Call 608-244-3474 for up-to-date fishing information.

### **Building / Grounds:**

- Tom Downs is still working on fixing outside lights.
- Tom Downs will obtain building permit for extending the roof over the sidewalk on the rifle range building.



### **Old Business:**

- Purchase handicap porta potty next spring.
- Changed front gate combination on September 1<sup>st</sup>.
- Several members have completed RSO training.
- The six-week wobble / doubles league has three weeks left. We have a good turn out of this league.
- Discussed have the public deer gun sight in on Saturday and Sunday, the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> and the 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> from 9am – 3pm.

### **New business:**

- Installed cameras around the club and shooting ranges. Charles asked about access to membership and if we are in compliance with State and Federal laws. The Executive Board will follow-up with compliance and will meet to discuss several violations identified.

### **Club Annual Picnic**

- Fewer people attended this year. Bingo was a hit again, shot the 75 bird trap event and the food was good as always.

### **Calendar Updates**

- Sunday, October 2, 2022 - Trap #1 and Trap #2 will be closed to all members for a private black powder skeet shooting event from 8 am-3 pm.
- Saturday, December 3, 2022 - Club house reserved for a private party from 10am – 4pm.
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If you are interested in booking a private event, email the club at [hoperodandgunclub@gmail.com](mailto:hoperodandgunclub@gmail.com)

**50/50 Raffle:** New member won the 50/50 raffle.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made and seconded. Motion passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 7:30.

Respectfully submitted by President Mann.