

## Minutes – Officers & Trustee MCSA Meeting 12/16/24

### PRESENT

#### Officers

Scott McClure, President  
Vice President Dan Adams  
Michelle Weber Treasurer  
Sandy Smart, Secretary

#### Trustees

~~Ben Brown~~, Aaron Bruns, ~~Mike Caudill~~, Mike Lehman, Mark Linn, Annette McClure,  
Bob Meihls, ~~Matt Walker~~, Chris Weaver, Nathan Wenning

**Members Present** – Kevin Weber, Gene Smart, Joe Backs, Dave Freeman, Cindy Freeman

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President Scott McClure called the meeting to order.

#### Minutes Report

Minutes from the Nov. 18, 2024 meeting were approved by acclimation.

#### Financials Report

Report on financials were sent to trustees earlier via email.

Nov. income was	\$ 15,637.09
Nov. expenses were	\$ 5,654.93
Nov. net income was	<b>\$ 9,982.16</b>
Balance in checkbook is	\$ 30,304.30 as of Dec. 15, 2024

Michelle Weber reminded members that \$10,000 from Youthfest is still in the general fund. She is waiting for decision on who to set up as account signers before she moves it back to Youthfest fund.

Michelle also said that the funds for the \$1,750.00 check for Shelby Fish farms have been returned to the memorial fund.

Michelle now has checkbook for the Jr Rifle Club. Andrea had been paying bills of about \$500.00 with her own money. Michelle wrote her a check for that money.

Michelle needs to know who to designate as signers for that account also.

For Jr Rifle there is still \$280.00 cash in the safe at the gun club. Denny said he needs at least \$150.00 in cash to make change for when the parents need change.

After discussion it was determined signers for Jr Rifle and Youthfest bank accounts will be Chris, Scott, Dan and Michelle

Financials were accepted by acclimation.

## **Membership Report**

Annette McClure reported that we have 475 active paid members, 20 Life memberships, 33 worker memberships, and 9 Honorary memberships, which totals 537 members actively supporting our club. Included in active paid membership are 23 Spousal memberships.

### **NEW APPLICATIONS:**

**Anthony Lee Benanzer** ~ 5477 Karafit Rd Lot 7 Celina, OH 45822

**Ref:** Billy Mott & Ron Rutschilling

**Employment:** Cotterman Roofing

### **NEW SPOUSAL APPLICATION:**

None

Annette McClure made motion to accept membership report

Bob Meihls seconded the motion.

Motion passed.

## **Presidents report**

Scott said that the guys to repair the building logs will be here Wednesday at 9:00 am to give us an estimate.

Bob and Nathan will meet him

It is two companies that do the work.

He talked to the guys that do the staining. To do the wash, prep and staining and chinking estimate was \$28,500.00. They do not do repair work.

When he talked to guys that do actual repair, they don't do the staining. They said we could do it ourselves. The estimate from 1<sup>st</sup> company included color and name of Sherwin Williams paint they use so we know what we would need to use.

Scott then asked if we decided who was going to take care of aerators from Shelby Fish Farms since Jason left club. He will talk to Ben about handling it.

He said we are signed up with Friends of NRA. We are getting Kimber pistol. If anyone wants to go to NRA Banquet to represent the club let Scott know. Its Jan 27 from 6 - 8 at Romers in St Henry.

## **Bob Meihls**

Bob started by confirming the new rental rates start January 1st. Anyone who has already signed up to rent will be grandfathered in with the old rate.

Next he discussed snow removal. Bob said he talked to Celina Moving and Storage. They will be plowing the drive and parking lot. Because it is gravel it will take 45 -60 min and they also said we should put down salt each time. The cost will be \$210.00 plus tax each time they remove snow. They determine when the snow is removed. Bob recommended we sign the contract with them.

Chris Weaver said he uses them every year, has never had any problem with them.

Bob Meihls made motion to sign contract for snow removal with Celina Moving and Storage.  
Chris Weaver seconded the motion.  
Motion passed.

Bob then said Nathan will work with him to make sure the snow blower is ready.

He also asked if anyone knows where the ice melt is. Chris said it used to be in a big blue dog food container. Bob will look for it.

Bob said there is a small tree that is down over by the path around east end of channel that should be removed. Mark Linn said he would take care of it.

Lastly Bob said someone left deer carcass parts in the trash dumpster. They were able to identify the license of person who did it. They called game warden who will contact the person.

### **Nathan Wenning**

Nathan said we now have a large amount of fire wood available since Byrd Tree Service took down the trees. He highly recommends their service.

He also said there was a range incident while they were cutting trees. A report has been filed. There were two other range violations this month. The people were not following range rules.

### **Annette McClure**

Annette talked about how it was going with Dan taking dues on line and selling raffle tickets on line. She has a few questions, but thinks it is going well.

Michelle Weber and Bob Meihls agreed that it is going well.

### **Mark Linn**

Mark said he and Tom have the door between the rooms repaired. Total cost is around \$400.00

He started cutting trees in CRP ground in anticipation of spraying in the spring.

Mark said he installed plastic bins for push pins at the range, and has started removing staples from the rubber backstops. He noticed some of the backstops need replaced.

Nathan said they did the 7 yd, 10 yd and 25 yd already. They will probably do the 50 and 100 yd ranges in the spring.

Mark put new battery and antifreeze in dumptruck. Probably needs points and condenser. He will put it in our building and do the repairs when he can.

Mark then said the John Deere tractor is on its last leg. He went to Lefeld's in Coldwater. To get it overhauled it will cost \$6,000. The tractor isn't worth it, even if it does get overhauled..

He looked on internet, to get a little bigger tractor, used, he thinks it would cost \$6,000.00 - \$12,000.00

Tom Cole suggested we get a tractor with a bucket. Then we could do our own snow removal as needed. Tom said there used to be government auctions for the stuff they are selling.

Chris said the site is govdeals.com

Scott said he talked to the bank and they said we can get a loan for equipment.

Mark will start looking for a used tractor.

He then said as far as the building, he doesn't know why we can't do repairs ourselves.

Bob Meihls agreed, and said if the building repair guy thinks we can fix cracks with regular caulking, we can do all of it.

### **Chris Weaver**

Chris said we have one raffle prize not picked up. He will try to contact winner one more time via letter that he has until end of January to pick it up. If he doesn't pick it up, Chris will give the prize back to the club.

### **Aaron Bruns**

Aaron gave final report on Bulls Eye Shooting. He said we made after expenses \$60.00.

There was no other business

Mike Lehman made motion to adjourn

Nathan Wenning seconded the motion.

Motion passed.

Next regular meeting to be held on Monday, Jan.20, 2025.

7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

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