

Morristown Gun Club

Meeting Minutes

September 12, 2016

The meeting was called to order with a quorum present. Minutes of the August meeting were approved as posted on the website. Treasurer's report was approved by motion and second.

Old business:

Roundup report: net income of \$1105.86 after sales tax payment. Food was a near sell out and could probably add a case of hamburgers for next year. There was adequate help and all seemed to go well. General feeling was that we should continue the event.

DNR Grant: Tom Kuball reported that there has been no inspection scheduled but we have received the check and were told that our report was the most complete that they had received. A big thank you to all the volunteers was expressed and that it was a very good project.

New business:

Facebook administration will be expanded to include the full board so they will be able to post notices. Motion was made by Travis McColley with a second from Bob LaCroix. Motion passed.

Larry Ahlman asked if all was going well with our operation and that there were no conflicts with other groups in the area. He also gave permission to cut the regrowth on trap 4 area.

Camp Omega will have a couple more events this fall and they have been approved as they all expand the sport of trap shooting.

Northfield will have 67 shooters in their fall league. It was noted that we should schedule an order of targets for late October so the supply is full for the spring league and there would be no conflict with the spring road conditions. Pat Kelm will call the supplier and get this in the works.

It was decided that our annual club picnic will be held in conjunction the John Metzke Memorial Shoot each year.

Discussion was held about coaching on the line as it can be distracting for other shooters.

A committee of Travis McColley and Scott Quiring was formed to get more people involved in league shooting. They will prepare proposals for review by the February 2017 meeting for implementation by March so they can be promoted to all the high schools, etc.

A slate of officers for 2017 was presented: President, Karl Schlichter; Vice-President, Joe Snapp; Secretary, Laura McColley; Treasurer, Pat Kelm; three year director terms, Tom Kuball and Bill Hutchinson. There were no other nominations from the floor and the slate of officers were elected by motion, second and approval by all in attendance.

Workers were scheduled until the next meeting:

Sept 18th: Karl S, Scott Q. and Jim M.

Sept 22nd: Bob L, Karl S. and Jim M.
Sept 25th: Paul S., Tom K. and Jim M.
Sept. 29th: Bob L. and Jim M.
Oct. 2nd: Karl S. and Travis M.
Oct 6th: Karl S., Don and Pat K
Oct 9th: Paul S. and Jim M.

Bob LaCroix gave a thank you from Camp Omega for allowing them to use the facilities for their fund raiser and for the donation of the clays for the event.

A question was presented as why we record the youth rounds. The explanation was that in the past we had raffled funds to help support the youth shooting and these funds were drawn to supplement the difference between the adult fees and the reduced youth rate. It was decided to continue to record these numbers for statistical information.

A couple of advertising ideas were presented for the coming year.

Bob LaCroix and Scott Quiring were the attendance winners.

Respectfully submitted:

Pat Kelm

Acting Secretary in absence of Laura McColley