

HOUGHTON LAKE SPORTSMEN'S CLUB

MEMBERSHIP MEETING OF September 12, 2022

The meeting commenced at 7:02 PM

The Pledge of Allegiance and Conservation Pledge was recited.

Secretary Cindy Hawley took roll call.

Board Members present: President Don Collins, Building and Grounds Brad McLain, Treasurer Greg Walterhouse, Publicity Director Ed Bross, Membership Director John Delaney, and Secretary Cindy Hawley

Board Members Not Present: Vice President Dave DenBoer and Leagues Director Ken Kokowicz

REPORTS FROM THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

Secretary Cindy Hawley

• Cindy read a summary of the minutes from last month's Membership Meeting. She informed the members that the full minutes were posted on the bulletin board.

Treasurer Greg Walterhouse

• Greg read the Treasurer's report. He also let everyone know that the Treasurer's report was posted on the bulletin board.

Publicity Director Ed Bross

- Ed provided an update on advertising for the Gun Show scheduled for 10/01.
- Ed reminded the members that Trunk or Treat will be held on 10/22 starting at 4:00 PM.

Building & Grounds Brad McLain

- Brad thanked various members for their continued contributions to the club.
- He acknowledged members whose birthdays were coming up this month.

Membership Director John Delaney

- John reviewed the safety rules that were presented at the Membership in August. He also provided the dates for upcoming safety seminars.
- John presented 12 applicants for membership. Tom Gregory made a motion to accept the applicants, Doug Hall seconded the motion, and all present agreed. Welcome new members!
- John reminded the members that NRA membership is highly recommended.

President Don Collins

- Don reminded the members that we are still in need of a volunteer who can maintain the club's Facebook page.
- He informed the members that the improvements to the outdoor ranges have been completed.

- Don reminded the members that the gate needs to remain UNLOCKED when they are using the lower ranges. Always check all ranges for other members when leaving. DO NOT lock the gate if others are still using the ranges. This is a safety concern. Should there be an emergency we need responders to be able to access the lower range to assist the member.
- Don invited Mark Keyser, Gary VonSchmittou, and Fred Kleinert to present to the members.
- Don reminded the members that **Safety is #1!**

REPORTS FROM THE MEMBERS:

Mark Keyser presented information on the raffle prizes.

Gary VonSchmittou provided an update on the Hunter Safety class that the club is hosting on 9/17. He stated that he will be teaching a CPL class in December.

Fred Kleinert stated that all the instructors have been trained for the upcoming Archery class.

Gary VonSchmittou made a motion to adjourn, Char McLain seconded the motion, and all agreed. Meeting adjourned at 8:06 PM.

Meeting minutes were taken by Secretary Cindy Hawley on September 12, 2022