



**Waukesha County
Conservation Alliance
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Dedicated to Succeeding Generations

A banquet meeting will be held at 6:30 PM prior to ALL upcoming meetings, through January.

WCCA Meeting Minutes October 18, 2017

President Ron Gray called the meeting to order at 7:33 pm at the Wales/Genesee Lions Club.

A moment of silence was taken for the passing of Lillian McNulty.

The meeting was sponsored by the Alliance, who provided the refreshments. The meeting was attended by 19 individuals, comprised of club delegates, the Wisconsin Conservation Congress and the DNR.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

In the minutes of the 9/20 meeting, it was stated Tom Daluga was selling Wisconsin Wildlife Federation calendars. He is selling Wisconsin Waterfowl Association calendars.

The minutes of the September meeting were accepted as amended.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

The sales are moving for the December raffle. Please make sure you hand in your proceeds and stubs. If you cannot sell your tickets, please bring them to the November meeting so that others may attempt to sell them.

The Treasurer's report was accepted as reported, subject to audit.

COMMUNICATIONS:

- **DNR Weekly News Update** – A reminder that you can subscribe to this information via this link: https://service.govdelivery.com/service/multi_subscribe.html?code=WIDNR. As a note, the DNR is pulling support for the Pocket Ranger mobile app. Please remove it from your phone if installed.
- **Lillian McNulty** – Lillian McNulty, well known to many Alliance members, passed away on Friday, October 13, 2017. A memorial service will be held on October 19 at the Evert-Luko Funeral Home. Per her obituary, in lieu of flowers, a memorial to the Oconomowoc American Legion Band, of which she was a member, would be appreciated. Al Shook is taking a card and donation to the service.
- **Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation** – Tom Bodin is selling raffle calendars for the RMEF, at \$60 a calendar. Tom can be reached at tebodin@hirep.net or at 262-349-3560.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- **Kids Fishing Clinic** –
 - Ron Gray – Fox Brook will be available for the spring clinic.
- **DNR** –
 - Ben Heussner –
 - Ben mentored his niece for a hunt and she shot a 7 pointer
 - Dredging and deepening pond at Paradise Springs

- Fisheree closure at Little Muskego, looking for better communication with WCC
 - Stakeholder engagement team – 22 comments re:fisheree closure,
 - Little Muskego was drawn down 74” below operation dam level, hoping to freeze out starry stone wart and help in the elimination of Eurasian milfoil.
 - Still evaluating Big Muskego drawdown
 - Ten technician positions were filled statewide! Great news!
- **Wisconsin Wildlife Federation –**
 - Don Camplin –
 - Any questions on the bills will be in the newsletter
 - They had a good speaker regarding bobcat trapping
 - Calendars are still available for purchase, and may be purchased on their website.
- **Wisconsin Conservation Congress –**
 - Al Shook –
 - Pretty quite. Al has testified on numerous assembly bills, such as AB490 (vets over 70 price break), AB491 (license buying logistics/costs) and AB528 (carcass tags/group bagging with youth hunt accidentally went through and needs legislation to correct), at the Capitol.
 - Working on new guidance document which will allow an alternate to vote.
 - Questions on AB411 – it appears no work is being done on it.
 - It appears there is an unfortunate disconnect with some legislators regarding the Congress’ role as to whether they can, and should, lobby the legislators when it is in the best interest of the citizens of the state.
- **Waukesha County CDAC –**
 - Tom Daluga/Al Shook –
 - The Waukesha County CDAC has voted to maintain the herd. It passed. There will also be a holiday hunt (which accounts for 10% of the kill). Last spring, a biologist has determined the herd is being held within 2% of its optimal number. Al has recommended that Tom become the chair for the Waukesha County CDAC.
- **Banquet –**
 - Ken Zettelmeier –
 - Had a meeting, posters are coming. Start selling tickets.

OLD BUSINESS:

- **Alliance Clothing** – Al Shook brought the logo to EmbroidMe (www.embroidme-waukesha.com), had it setup, and a couple shirts embroidered with the logo. It’s available if you want it, you can buy an item of clothing from them or bring your own. The embroidery is \$8.
- **Fundraisers** – Rich Hawthorne contacted Wern Valley about a sporting event. Please get input from your clubs and respond at the November meeting as to the number of people interested in attending.
- **ADA Blind** – Ken Zettelmeier has contacted Dwayne Grimm, but has not received any information in return.
- **Business Memberships** – A business membership is \$25 and an advertisement will be placed in the meeting minutes. All business memberships need to be confirmed.
- **Website** – Send your club information to Al Shook to be placed on the WCCA website. Even if you don’t have a website, your information: meeting date/time and club location, can be visible through the WCCA’s website. A club or business of the month will be on display. Get your information to Al. Send in game pictures!

NEW BUSINESS:

No new business at this time.

MEMBER MATTERS:

We were glad to hear Ken Z.'s wife is doing better.

GOOD/WELFARE:

The meeting adjourned at 8:35.

NEXT MEETING:

November 8 – Menomonee Falls Rod & Gun Club

MEETING SCHEDULE:

December 20 – Wern Valley

Riehle's Tree Farm, Inc.

John Riehle
262-965-2748
W377 S5944 Hwy C1, Dousman, WI
53118
Trees for Transplanting
Shaking, Bailing, Wreaths, Garland,
Boughs, Tree Stands, Crafts

Jim's Sports Heaven

Jim & Emily Appenzeller
262-567-6013
131 N. Main Street
Oconomowoc, WI 53066

Wern Valley

262-968-2400
S36W29657 Wern Way
Waukesha, WI
Upland Hunting, Sporting Clays & 5
Stand, Rifle and Pistol Range

Challenger Battery

262-547-3854
406 W. Sunset Dr.
Waukesha, WI 53189

Wales/Genesee Lions Club

262-968-4140
W31400 Hwy 83 P.O. Box 201
Genesee Depot, WI 53127
Hall Available. Call for more info.

Brookfield Wedding Cakes

262-781-2253
14440 Lisbon Road
Brookfield, WI 53005

Hunter's Nest

422-1760
S80W14401 Schultz Lane
Muskego, WI
Sam & Loreen Klauser
Picnic Grounds, Trap, Archery,
Horse Shoes,
Fishing & Hunting, Boat Launching,
Rifle Range

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American Legion Post 449

262-781-0488
3245 North 124th St
Brookfield, WI 53005
Monday Dinner Cook-in Thursday
Friday Night Fish Fry
Saturday Nite Bands - Hall
Available. Call for more Info.

McMiller Sports Center

262-594-5900
S103 W38754 Hwy NN
Eagle, WI 53119
Public Shooting Range
rifle - pistol - clays

O'Sullivan's

Public House
262-784-1656
12525 West North Ave.
Brookfield, WI
Lunch & Dinner
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