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WCCA Meeting Minutes January 16, 2019

President Al Shook called the meeting to order at 7:31 pm at Schultz Resort Rod & Gun Club. The meeting was sponsored by Schultz, who provided the refreshments. The meeting was attended by 23 individuals, comprised of club delegates and the Wisconsin Conservation Congress.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

The minutes of the December meeting were accepted with the following corrections:

- Preston Cole (new WI DNR Secretary) had his name misspelled.
- Nestor Falls was the Ontario fly-in destination.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

A motion was made to accept the report subject to audit. The motion was passed.

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. There are hundreds of opportunity for volunteering with the DNR, e.g., with bear dens (cub cuddling). Free fishing is also this weekend (see Ben's note from December) and note that it came via a resolution.
- Youth Conservation Delegate Al Shook received an update from Rosa Koehnlein's father (we provided a grant towards Rosa attending the Kroka Expeditions educational adventure). She had raised 3/4 of the cost to attend and graduated early for this opportunity.
- Monches Fish & Game Club A thank you was received from the Alliance's donation towards invasive species removal.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- Kids Fishing Clinic
 - Ron Gray The next meeting will be in January and will consist of the handouts and the start of the spring clinic planning.
- Conservation Congress
 - Tom Daluga The district will meet on 3/5 in Sturtevant. The next CDAC meeting for Waukesha County is Tuesday, March 12, at 7 PM at the Sherman/Dreyfus building. The Spring Hearings will be 4/8, at Waukesha West. The deer season for Waukesha County will be from mid-September to January 31, 2020.
 - Tom Daluga/MarySusan Diedrich Meeting on 2/16 in Green Bay to find out what to do regarding the CDAC.
 - Bob Wincek The WIASB is holding a convention for teachers, 1/23-24, in downtown Milwaukee.
 There will be a trailer there exhibiting wildlife and donated taxidermy. It's called Touch of the Wild Trailer. If you are interested in helping out, please contact Bob at Bob@glsfclub.com.

Banquet

- Went through donor list
- o Guns available across 5 boards, 1 silent auction, 1 ticket raffle, 1 walk-around
- A Stihl chainsaw will also be a walk-around
- Silent auction has minimums

OLD BUSINESS:

- Miscellaneous We need ALL club e-mail addresses!
- Meetings As always, please consider having your club host a meeting. Each club needs to take a slot, please look at the schedule of meetings and sign up.
- **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! Please go to the website to help increase the search engine ranking: www.waukeshacountyconservationalliance.com.

NEW BUSINESS:

- North Lake Contact from Wisconsin Wildlife Federation, requesting the Alliance write a letter to the new DNR Secretary to reactivate the original plans and get moving on a North Lake boat launch on Reddelien Rd. Per Don Camplin, the Fish Committee (WWF) expected to see the launch done by 2020, on the east side). Motion was made/passed.
- Meeting Locations If you do not have a club house and were having your meetings at Wern Valley, any
 future meeting should be moved to the Wales/Genesee Lions Club instead, due to conflicts in evening activities
 at Wern Valley.

MEMBER MATTERS:

Don Camplin, longtime member of the Alliance has informed us he is retiring – from everything, but would still like to see the bylaws addressed (after banquet). Thank you Don, for your involvement over the years.

Ken Barbian, longtime member of the Alliance, passed away and his funeral service is 1/17. A card from the Alliance will be sent to his son.

GOOD/WELFARE:

Best wishes to both Syd Hermann's wife and Pat Hess' wife towards recovery.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 8:22.

NEXT MEETING:

February 20 - Monches at Wales Genesee Lions Club

MEETING SCHEDULE:

March 20 – Ojibwa
April 17 – WHO Club at Wales Genesee Lions Club
May 15 – Milwaukee Casting Club
June 19 – Menomonee Falls Rod and Gun Club
July 17
August 21
September 18
October 16
November 13
December 18

The following clubs do not have slot set in 2019: Mapleton, WHSA, Dousman Gun Club, WCCA, Conservation Congress, Daniel Boone, Carter/Badger 10

Riehle's Tree Farm, Inc.

John Riehle 262-965-2748

W377 S5944 Hwy CI, Dousman, WI 53118

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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

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