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### **WCCA Meeting Minutes January 19, 2022**

Al Shook, President called the meeting to order at 7:30pm. The meeting was sponsored by Stone Bank at Stone Bank Sportsmen Club.  
The meeting was attended by 14 individuals, comprised of Club Delegates and Wisconsin Conservation Congress Delegates.

#### **SECRETARY'S REPORT**

Membership was asked if there were any corrections or additions to the December 15, 2021 General Meeting Minutes. Motion by Wincek, second by Daluga to accept the Minutes as published. Motion carried.

#### **TREASURER'S REPORT**

Report presented by Farchmin to Membership in attendance. A motion was made by Wincek, second by Frasier to accept the Treasurer's report, subject to audit. Motion carried.

#### **COMMUNICATIONS**

Shook contacted past Habitat raffle winners to see if they would like to buy Banquet/Raffle tickets for Feb. 4. No return calls.

#### **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

##### **DNR (weekly news update [dnr.wi.gov](http://dnr.wi.gov))**

Green Bay has very high hazardous ice conditions. Cutters still going through and until locks are shut down there will continue to be ship traffic. This causes mile wide open water. Check before going on these icy waters as well as all icy waterways.

DNR Wardens will not be attending any fishing clinics per orders from Secretary Cole as per Gov. Evers.

##### **Kids Fishing Clinic**

Wincek reporting for Ron Gray. Possibly 3 locations coming up. February 12 Greenfield Park sponsored by Great Lakes Sports Fishermen, one at Kosciuszko Park in Milwaukee and unknown 3<sup>rd</sup> location.

April 24 DBCL, Monches Fish & Game Club and Great Lakes Sportsmen's Fishing Club are sponsoring a Clinic at DBCL. More information at the February meeting.

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## **Conservation Congress**

Diedrich – Spring Hearing WILL NOT be in person this year. Citizen Resolutions will be submitted on line. Diedrich is on an Ad Hoc Committee to educate citizens on how to write a resolution and there will be a cut off date to submit the resolutions. Election of Delegates will not happen during the Spring Hearings, but at a later date this year. Diedrich also on that Ad Hoc Committee to write up an application and having a cut off date for submission and voting. Probably May-June.

Wincek – Ran through the dates for upcoming CDAC meetings.

1-27-22 & 2-24-22 Zoom training meetings. Will also be recorded.

3-11-22 Deer Metric Studies will be on line for you to review.

3-21 thru 3-31, 2022 CDAC meeting for Waukesha County. Not yet scheduled.

4-1-22 County recommendations will be on line.

4-9 thru 4-15, 2022 Public feedback on recommendations, on line.

4-15 thru 5-5, 2022 Waukesha County CDAC Final recommendations meeting. Not yet scheduled.

5-9-22 Final recommendations will be on line.

Waukesha County CDAC will keep everyone up to date on scheduling changes.

NRB will be meeting on 1-25-22 on Wolf Management. Should be on line.

Hintz – Attended Migratory meeting. GPS is on 10 Trumpeter Swans in Wisconsin.

US Fish & Wildlife and WI DNR flying over conducting human counting survey and GPS monitoring survey. Can be followed on line.

Migratory Committee wanted DNR to set dates for duck season, but they claim too busy right now.

Studies on East Coast about drop in mallards. Taking DNA samples to compare North American vs. European Mallards.

Even though Wardens are told not to show up at some functions, some still do.

Question concerning if there was a Senate vote on SB611 & AB 670. None of the WCC delegates have heard anything yet.

## **Scholarship**

UW Stevens Point notified of the 2 students selected. Checks to be sent by Farchmin this week.

## **Wisconsin Wildlife Federation**

Ruth Ann who was secretary for WWF is now working with the Outdoor & Heritage Education Committee. Just a reminder you can reserve the 4 Wildlife trailers by going on line. Notification will be sent to you.

Great Lakes Commercial Fishing wants DNR to allow them to increase by 200% for harvest of white fish due to demand.

DNR does not want to raise it. Wincek learned that a survey was done of the restaurants in the area and no one has the white fish on their menus.

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## **2022 Banquet**

Meeting held before tonight's General Meeting. Still need Wingspan raffle prizes. There are 13 Silent Auction Items this year. Possibly 10 bird hunts this Fall at Wern Valley. So far 70 dinner tickets sold, 74 Early Bird raffles sold and only 27 pistol pre-raffles sold. Cutoff is January 29<sup>th</sup>, so get your dinner tickets in. Men is Fish and a Chicken Pasta dish. Hope to have set up on Thursday around 3-330pm. Should know in a week and Diedrich will send out a notice to all.

If members have sponsored raffle items, please let Jane Schmittinger know so she can add them to the Banquet program.

## **OLD BUSINESS**

Pier at Okauchee rebuilt. When installed does not meet with asphalt. Danger now of someone cutting themselves on the metal edging.

Dave Schmitt has not gotten hold of Brad Wareing. Unknown at this time if he is still a member. If not, a 3-year Director will need to be voted in at the next meeting.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

**None**

**Meetings** – As always, please consider having your Club host a meeting. Each Club needs to take a slot. Please look at the schedule of meeting dates and sign up. If you do not have a clubhouse available, efforts will be made to find a venue.

**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](http://www.waukeshacountyconservationalliance.com).

**DUES – Dues are due!** The form is available on the website (<http://www.waukeshacountyconservationalliance.com/1979/custom/62337>) Print and mail in with \$25 for a business and/or Club.

## **MEMBER MATTERS:**

None

## **GOOD/WELFARE:**

Ron Gray had some eye surgeries and can't drive at night just yet. He plans to be at the banquet.

## **NEXT MEETING:**

February 16, 2022 sponsored by WHO Club at Wales/Genesee Lions Club.

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## **ADJOURNMENT**

Motion to adjourn by Wincek and second by Daluga. Motion carried.

Adjourned at 8:13pm.

**Respectfully submitted,  
MarySusan Diedrich, Secretary**

## **MEETING SCHEDULE:**

February 16, 2022	WHO Club at Wales/Genesee Lions Club, S42W31400 Hwy. 83, Genesee Depot
March 16, 2022	Monches at TBD
April 20, 2022	WCCA at Wales/Genesee Lions Club, S42W31400 Hwy. 83, Genesee Depot
May 18, 2022	Milwaukee Casting Club at Milwaukee Casting Club, 18200 W. Cleveland, N Berlin
June 15, 2022	Great Lakes Sport Fisherman at Milwaukee Casting Club.
July 20, 2022	
August 17, 2022	
September 21, 2022	
October 19, 2022	Daniel Boone Conservation League at DBCL, 4649 Highway 167, Hubertus
November 9, 2022	
December 21, 2022	

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