

Shippensburg Fish and Game Association
General Membership Meeting
February 14, 2023

Meeting called to order by Interim President Jerry Crider with roll call of officers.

Harold Kurtz requested to be added to the Board of Directors. Added to the BOD.

Thanks to Randy Parson as president and to Brian Shimkanon as chairman of the BOD for their service.

50/50 monthly drawing at each monthly meeting to be restarted. Money from the 50/50 drawing will be used towards the purchasing of guns for the members special gun drawing Jan. 2024

Restart the special gun drawing-attend each monthly meeting to be entered for the special gun drawing to held at the member appreciation night January 2024.

Minutes of January 10, 2023 meeting read and M_S_P

Officer/Committee reports

Treasurers Report	General Fund	\$30,144.04
	Fundraiser Fund	\$193,836.27

All bills have been paid for the archery rebuild.

M-S-P

Archery- the league is going well with 17 teams.

Trap-practice is going well and is currently in second place behind Carlisle in the league.

The trap has been repaired. It cost \$20 for parts. Ammo is still in short supply.

Birds are needed, buy them now before the price is increased. Bob is to get prices.

Groundhog-no report.

Black Powder-will start work on the berms the beginning of March. Their first match is March 18th.

A copy of their bank statement is needed from them.

Membership-972 total, 140 life members, 3 on active duty with 829 paying members.

41 members have not paid their 2023 dues.

Three members have requested life memberships Nick Papadopoulos, Jerry Swanger and Gary Nenner. M-S-P to approve life memberships

100 New members will be taken. The application for membership will go live at 12:01 on March 1, 2023 on the club website. A copy of a PA State Police background check or a copy of their Right to Carry permit with the application. The first 100 applications received will be considered for membership.

We have 7 ID cards currently and 100 are on order. Bob has sent a request to have an additional 100 ID cards to be ordered.

Some lights in the parking lot need replaced. John Heckman will replace the lights with LED lights. Shane Hershey said the boxes on the poles will be fixed or replaced.

Buy Sale and Swap- there are currently 62 tables rented. Set up for the Buy sale and swap is scheduled on February 17th at 6pm.

Harold and Tom will man the doors the day of the sale. The kitchen is ready for the sale.

Do we keep the sign at the Little League field? M-S-P to keep the sign.

Darrell Van Scyoc spoke about the Hunt of a Lifetime held at Letterkenny. He is requesting a donation of \$1,000 to the Hunt of a Lifetime. In the past the club has fixed up a wagon as a shooting shed. Motion was made to up the donation to \$2,000. M_S-P to donate \$2,000.

The tickets for the March Drawing have all been given out. Some members are looking for tickets. If you have extra let Jerry know.

A TUT wrapping will be held on February 28th at 6pm.

Order a left handed Cricket gun to be used at Kids Night. Mike will check for prices.

Will there be a Hunter Safety course held this year? Will wait to hear from the PA Game Commission.

The club will need to order 22 shell for Kids Night 2024. We have 4 boxes of 500 now. Mike will check for prices.

Do we put monthly meeting minutes on the website? Make it a link that can be read.

We have had two calls about the office of club president. Brad Burkholder is willing to help out.

Work party- March 24th 2pm to set up tables for the March Gun Drawing.

M-S-P to adjourn.