Shippensburg Fish and Game Association General Membership Meeting November 12, 2024

Meting called to order by President Bill Clough with pledge of Allegiance and roll call officers. Minutes from the October 8th meetings were read and approved.

Officer/Committee reports Treasurers report-General Fund \$25,362.63 Fundraisers Fund \$103,485.72 The CD at Members 1st Credit Union current balance --\$155,285.17 M-S-P to approve treasurers report

Archery-Bill will be talking to the group about the winter league. Black Powder and Groundhog committees no report. Trap had their last practice last Monday (Nov.4th) and will begin practice January 6, 2025. Central Penn Winter League Saturday shoots will be January 25th, February 22nd and March 22, 2025

Will return to the board if either of these dates are added. March 29, 2025 if needed because of a weather cancellation April 5, 2025 if they win the league again.

Nora Ross Clinic dates- May 30 and May 31, 2025. These dates will be taken to the BOD

Membership Secretary-about half of the paying members have not yet paid their 2025 dues.

NRA-The Women's Safety Seminar was held on November 5th. 39 had signed up and 17 attended. Lethal and Non-Lethal options were discussed.

The seminar on the Aftermath of a self Defense Incident scheduled for November 13th has been postponed to December 4, 2024.

The US Volunteer Reserve Corps was deployed to NC to assist in clean up from the hurricane Helene. Thanksgiving week they will be making and serving Thanksgiving dinner for displaced families. They are not allowed to to take clothing to Helene victims.

November 15th there will be four 15 minute presentations on Child Firearm Safety to parents at the Nancy Grayson School.

We received a thank you letter from Tom Wright for the club donation to the Soldiers Military Cross for Fallen Heroes. The dedication for the new Soldiers Cross was held November 9th.

Nomination of officers for 2025 are the same as they were on October. President-Bill Clough, Vice President-Andy Williams, Treasurer-Lori McClure, Secretary-Dottie Kurtz, Membership Secretary-Bob McClure, Board of Directors -Jerrid Lozenski, Ben Brenize, Mike Hollenbaugh, Harold Kurtz, Jesse Lichenberger, Norm Myers, Brian Polk, Howard Polk, Brian Shimkanon, Jerry Stouffer, Bernie Wentz, George Croutz, Denise Clough. Shane Hershey is added to the list for Board of Directors.

We received fliers for the 88th Trappers Association Rendezvous on June 12th to 14th to be held at the Shippensburg Fair grounds.

The PA Trappers Association Dist.8 will be holding 10th Annual Spring Sportsman Show pm April 5th at the Blain Picnic Grounds.

Brian and Bill met again with the Erie Insurance Co. for a risk assessment for the buildings. The numbers need to be placed on the buildings.

There were 3 shooters here on November 2nd. The gate was open. They did not identify themselves. If you are asked to identify yourself you must identify yourself.

Do we need a sign at the gate at the gate saying "Do not enter if not a member" even if the gate is open.

Andy is willing to run a Range Safety Officers if there is interest. He suggested that they get hat to identify them as Range Safety Officers. M-S-P to adjourn