

Meeting called to order at 9am by President Chuck.

Secretary's Report - Meeting minutes were read by secretary Jenn P. Minutes accepted on a Betti/Loren Motion.

Treasurer's Report – Report read by Leah. Report was accepted on a Bill W/Loren motion. A special thank you was expressed for the Chipmunks donation of pull tab funds.

Bills & Correspondence – Bills had previously been presented to Leah by Betti for countertops and other purchases which were paid.

Michele Johnson from the Chipmunk was very thankful and appreciative for the recognition as a sponsor.

Mary Hughes expressed a big thank you to the club for the Pioneer Members appreciation.

Doris has submitted an article to the AWSC magazine regarding our Food and Fun event and the appreciation event we had for our Pioneer Members. Look for this in the next issue.

New Members - Betti presented 5 new members. Welcome to John and Lisa Gruber, Brad Schafer, Jamie Beg, Todd and Stephanie Malpass and David and Tammy Johnson.

We have definitely qualified for the increase your membership contest. Let's keep growing our great membership!

Old Business

Trail Report – Gary C gave a report on the status of the trails 41 and 3. Overall the trails look good. There was discussion on one area of concern where trail is beginning to wash away. Al S will bring up this concern at the next NW Trails meeting. Bill G had a question on billing for clarification. Gary C asked about brush trimming.

NW Trails Report - No one was able to make it to the last meeting so there was not a report.

Meat Raffles – October 3rd and the 17th. There was a call out for volunteers. No one volunteered at the meeting. We will post on face book. If you are able to volunteer your time, please let Doris know.

Nominations - for Vice President and for Secretary. Chuck called out three times for each nominations. There were no new nominations presented. Chuck stated that nominations are now closed for both positions of Vice President and for Secretary. Current nominations are Mike Pederson for Vice President and Jenn Pritchard for Secretary. Vote will be held at the next month's meeting.

Fall ATV Ride - is today at 10am. Bettis, Gary and Rhonda have some fun events planned for participants. A 50/50 raffle will occur at our destination. Drifter's Trail will be holding a chili feed for all of us.

Food and Fun – Doris gave the group an update on how Food and Fun went. Doris said things went great, smoothly. There were 39 raffle boards a vast majority of what was collected for the boards was profit. We went through 5 rolls of 50/50 and the clothing sales went well. Attendance was estimated at 600 – 700 people.

Doris was approached regarding the left over wipes and hand sanitizer. It was suggested to donate it to the local schools. We will keep half of the sanitizer for use at the clubhouse and upcoming needs. A motion was made by Leah/Jenn to donate the wipes and ½ of sanitizer to area schools. Motion passed.

New Business

Al asked if we could transfer some of the existing funds into the mower fund. Club voted on a Loren/Leah motion to donate \$1,500 to the mower fund. Motion passed.

Colleen stated that her expenses for the cake supplies, baking and decorating is her donation to the club. Thank you Colleen!

Winter Raffle – Board had previously agreed via email to have tickets printed for the Winter Raffle / ATV so that the tickets were ready for today's Fall Colors ATV Ride. We had an official vote to hold the winter raffle. Jenn/Doris motion. Motion passed. Doris has spoken to Duluth lawn and Sport about obtaining an ATV. They are on board as last year. The drawing will be March 27th, 2021 at Business Appreciation event. Tickets are \$20 each and we will only be selling 500 tickets. Please contact Doris or a board member to get your tickets!

Volunteer appreciation and club clean up on October 10th, 2020. The volunteer appreciation will be held at the club after the trail clean up. We will serve hotdogs, organize a potluck and a bonfire (weather permitting). 10 am cleanup – meet at the clubhouse and then 1pm lunch at the clubhouse.

Other New Business – 3 people have come forward asking if they can be trained in on the groomer and offer their volunteer time. Discussion began and it was decided to train a few new groomers. Groomers will organize this.

Bridge discussion was revisited as well as current and future pressing expenditures for prioritizing with limited funds coming in.

No other new business.

Meeting was adjourned at 9:40am on a Bill W/ Betti motion.

Meeting minutes respectfully submitted 10/02/2020

Jenn Pritchard Secretary for the 4 Seasons Rec Club.