

Membership Meeting Minutes Sonderson Community Hall October 8, 2017 8:00 P.M.

Minutes submitted By Secretary- Dawn M Jacobson

Before the membership meeting everyone enjoyed slides and presentation by Larry Wilson of past North Fork history and people.

Meeting was called to order by Larry Wilson. Roll call was taken of board members. Larry Wilson, Rachel Perua, Lynn Ogle, Randy Kenyon, Dawn Jacobson, Bill Walker, Chris Heitz, Irv Heitz. Absent: Kevin Ulrichsen

Chris Heitz gave the Treasure's Report showing that assets of \$24, 208.42.

Committee reports:

Audit Committee – Chairwoman Bonnie Ogle reported that all accounts were in good standing.

Sunshine Committee- Bonnie reported that nine get well cards and one birthday was sent out. She also stated that Chris Heitz, Herself and Becky Braunig donated cards to the sunshine committee.

Fall Newsletter Committee -Chris Heitz reported that 515 newsletters will be sent out to NFLA membership and NF Patrol signup. The cost of newsletter is same as last year.

Welcome Committee- Rachel Peura reported that the Committee has organized 5 separate neighborhoods focused on promoting issues of health and safety, and welcoming new comers.

North Fork Patrol -Mark Heaphy spoke about the different hunting seasons and the need for land owner permission for hunters. He also suggested to not be confronting anyone, but to take a picture or write down the license and turn it in to the patrol. If anyone is hunting on your property to make sure and give them written permission for this year or the year they are hunting. There was lots of discussion on different scenarios of hunting and retrieving. But all came down to having permission from land owners.

Larry requested a Chairman for hall supplies, and appointed Randy Kenyon.

History Report -Lois Walker reported that she and Loura Brooks have been working on history with various present and past North Forkers.

Larry brought up about the membership standing up for issues it believes in. There was a lot of discussion about being careful about upsetting membership so it was suggested that we inform the membership of different issues so they have the right to make their feelings known. It was agreed on that a group can get something done better than one person.

The Winter Interlocal is next February. Larry wants anyone with questions to contact him or Bill Walker.

It has been decided the pre meeting talks will be continued.

New Business:

There is still money for property owners in the fire wise. Call Bill Swope for info.

Different members came to Larry asking what happened to the Trail Creek Irregulars. He stated they got old the youngest member is 75, so they need some younger members to help with fire protection etc. The ones left maybe old but still can train. He concluded by asking for replacement volunteers and they will set up some training.

Larry reported that we have had some minor thefts in the hall.

Membership donated can goods to the Stand Down for Veterans.

There will be a signup sheet available for sign up for host for each membership next year.

Larry adjourned the meeting.