

West Bend Kettle Trail Blazers

September 9, 2020

Newburg Sportsman's Club

President-Pat Groth

Meeting called to order at 6:53 p.m.

- Secretary Report was passed by Craig Davidson and John Falk.

 - **The Treasurers Report-**
 - The current balance of the bank account is \$12,588.25.
 - Treasurer's Report was accepted by Tiffany Falk and Adam Ramel.
 - Turn in your dues of \$35 to Clint or Tiff by the next meeting to receive your AWSC Cards.

 - **Old Business-**
 - **Signs-**
 - Thank you to Pat, Alan, Mike, and Kris for stripping and sorting through all the trail signs at the Buettner's. A reminder that this space is used for free, so if we can try and keep it neat and organized, he would greatly appreciate it. This year everything must be kept tidier so the space is not lost.
 - Trail Heads, please let us know what signs are needed for your section of trail. We are for sure getting stop signs and arrows made.

 - **Landowners Dinner-** There was no dinner due to Covid. Kris Groth sent out 60 gift cards to all of our landowners with a letter explaining our reasons for not having the dinner. We received a handful of positive responses. Thank you to Kris for all her hard work and dedication to the club.
- MAKE SURE ALL HOURS ARE CALCULATED AND RECORDED ON THE CLUB MAINTENANCE LOGS. THESE HOURS CAN THEN BE BILLED TO THE STATE. IF YOU NEED A LOG PLEASE CONTACT TIFFANY FALK at (262) 305-3470.**
- **New Business-**
 - **Sandy Knoll-** The Sandy Knoll Park now put in a dog park. Pat called and left a few messages with the county regarding our path through the park. Nothing is set up yet, but hopefully we will hear word by the next meeting.

 - **Christmas Parade-** As of September 1st, the parade is still on. The theme is A Fairy Tale Christmas. Please bring some float ideas to the next meeting.

- **Club Trip-**
 - **Mercer-** The Great Northern was contacted and we reserved rooms for February 18-21. If interested call the Great Northern in Mercer to reserve your rooms. If any rooms are not taken within 90 days of the reservation the rooms will be given up.
 - **Carter-** Bill made reservations for the Carter Casino for the third weekend in January.
 - **Possible Locations-** Richards in Dunbar has 15 rooms and has a bar and restaurant. This could be a possibility for 2022.

- **Dual Sports-**The race is going on, but we have been asked to not provide the food due to the Coronavirus. Unfortunately, this is one of our best fundraisers for the year, but hopefully we can resume in 2022.

- **Safety Class-** The snowmobile safety classes have not yet been planned. We need to receive guidelines from the state.

- **County Report-** Not much is going on right now. Hopefully next month we will receive our check. Talk to your landowners and make sure they are all good for this season.

- **Fundraiser-** Mike will be getting the raffle license in case we would like to do a fundraiser. We are thinking of possibly doing a cash raffle or guns.

- **50/50-** The 50/50 was won by Pat Groth and was \$47.

- **The next meeting will be at Newburg Sportsman's Club on October 7th at 6:45. We are looking for anyone willing to help with bartending. Let us know if you would be interested!!**