Willow River Rod & Gun Club Membership Meeting Minutes

Thursday: _____9-12-2024_____

I.	Meeting called to order; Time:	_7:00pm	By:	_Larry	

II. Attendees: Board Members: _Larry, Jerry, Wayne, Heather, Ray, Greg_____

Absent Board Member(s): _____Joe_____

Guests: ______ Jen M. from H.S. Trap, Jim Munson______

III. Secretaries Report: Approved _____ Not Approved _____

IV. Treasurer's Report; Approved_X__ Not approved____

V. Committee Reports:

- a) Archery: Season completed went good. Prep for Winter Leagues has begun
- b) ARA (Am. Rim Fire Assoc.) Nothing
- c) Audit Committee: Dave H & Ron R have been contacted. Question about direction was made.
- d) Education: Hunters Ed will use the Club 9-14-24. Ranges will be closed from 9am-2pm
- e) Land Development: Current Grant has ended, Jerry to verify. Dan Cain is asking what else needs to be done. Larry talked to him
- f) Long Range Planning: New Pistol Range needs to be addressed, Shotgun pattern pad to be poured.
- g) Membership: 696 Orientations are going well minimum number left.
- h) Nominating Committee: Nothing
- i) Public Relations: Talked at length about Club Website, Club Facebook Page and other ways to promote the Club.
- j) Pistol/Small Bore Range: All's good. Have 9 target holders. Wayne to contact Jim about old target stands. Shed needs to be cleaned out.
- k) Rifle Range: Brass catchers are working well. A lot of steel casings. Need target holders
- Trap/High School Trap: Club league is finishing up. Family fun night went well. High School Trap League; 30 shooters went to State. 15 shooters went to Nationals. One J.V. shooter finished second at Nationals. H.S. trap used 41865 clays this year. A check was given to the club. An update on price of clays for next year is needed. H.S. trap league will begin March 2025. Grants will need to be reapplied for the beginning of April 2025 for any projects.
- VI. **Old Business**: Audit committee was addressed. Committees are still being discussed. Anyone that has an idea for a committee and would like to lead please contact the Board.
- VII. New Business: ---Communication thru Club Website, Club Calendar and Facebook are in constant discussion. Joe & Wayne will at events and other information to the Club Calendar and Website, Facebook admin is now Joe and Wayne. Heather M & Heather H will work together to help gather photos and information to support Facebook as well as the Club Website. All club members are encouraged to send photos of hunts, fish, accomplishments etc. for Facebook page. Wayne will contact League leaders to help supply information to Website and Facebook. Joe & Wayne will continue to update calendar with events and other information. ---Credit card payment methods are being explored. Implementation needs to be addressed. Internet service to the club is under review, options and cost need further research. Any club member that that is knowledgeable and can help

would be appreciated. ---Ray purchased 3D targets and inserts funds approved for reimbursement. Dan M. was reimbursed for spray. Motion was made for funds for Public Site in Days and approved. Those days will be Nov. 3rd, 10th and 17th, hours are from 9am to 3pm. Membership isn't needed for these days. ---Funds were approved for target backing materials and replacement fence boards.

VIII. Adjournment: Time____8:30pm_____