

Minutes
General Meeting
March 26, 2013

President Tom Brown called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m. Officers present were President Tom Brown, Vice-President Melanie White, Treasurer Susan Brown, and Secretary Wesley Morris. Members present as shown on sign in sheets.

Minutes – The meeting minutes for February were submitted for review. Jimmy Chitwood moved to approved the minutes and Josh House seconded the motion.

Treasurer's Report – Treasurer's report was read by all in attendance. Melanie White asked about the \$348.25 and if that was the inverter for the trap machine and not the upgrade on lights. Susan Brown will look into it. Motion was made to accept report by Wesley Morris, 2nd by Karen Chitwood.

Membership – The current club membership figure is **249**. Wes Morris asked if it was alright to order about 15 extra newsletters every two months in order to send them to new members right away when they join up new.

Sunshine Report – Nothing to report.

Publicity – Susan Brown talked about the upcoming Trout Pond on April 5-7th. Susan will be submitting articles to the local newspapers after the event. Wes Morris will put together some Friends of NRA Grant articles in the next month or so as the items come in.

Trap Report – Wayne White reported that trap is doing well and there are more youth coming in. Melanie and Wayne White reported they will be gone for vacation the last week of May and first week of June. Donny Pezer reported he can go down and run the trap while they are gone. Wayne asked if the club wanted to let all ladies shoot for free or just first time ladies. Wes Morris looked up the grant application and it stated it was first time ladies. The club decided to stick to the grant guidelines. Wayne reported that he would like to offer two rounds free to any current TSC member in the months of both May and June. That is four total rounds of trap free. Tom Brown asked about moving the light tower out of the sea train and store it next to the laser shot at his house until the time changes again.

Fireworks – Mike Donnelly has submitted us for the lottery and we will know by mid-April if we got a city location or not.

Junior Pheasant Hunt – Tom Brown reported that the ordering of the birds is approaching. Wayne White asked about the reduction of shooters and how that is going. Tom said they will be reduced.

Action Shooters – Wes Morris reported there were 27 shooters at the March match. The Friends of NRA Grant items are starting to arrive and the steel has been ordered. Wes will put in an order for the clay targets with Hanson Enterprises. He would like to run a tactical shotgun match as soon as the supplies arrive.

22 Action Shooters – Josh House reported a good match last week with 19 shooters and 3 new ladies. Josh reported a decline in junior shooters and he expects them to pick back up after school slows down. Friends of NRA Grant pistols and rifles are in along with a lot of the other items. If all of the items are in next month, the April match should be a ton of fun.

Youth Trap – One shooter showed up on Sunday. Jimmy Chitwood would like to change it from Sunday since it just doesn't seem to be drawing any shooters. Jimmy would like to change it to the second Monday of

the month. We will change it to the second Monday of the month starting in May. We will also see about increasing advertising.

Legislative – Nothing to report.

Correspondence – Nothing to report.

Game and Cover – Nothing to report.

Awards – Nothing to report.

Committee Reports – Nothing to report.

Old Business – Wes Morris asked about the donated generator for the Laser Shot and Melanie White reported it has been ordered and will be delivered at the Women in the Outdoors.

Wes Morris reported that the Laser Shot Archery upgrade funds were not used and that a check has been sent back to the FNRA and the report has been filed.

Wes Morris reported that the Pay Pal account has changed its name and Wes now has full access. He will start working on the credit card machine portion.

Eric Ross has set up the Sporting Clays shoot for Saturday May 4th. Wes Morris has set up a website with Pay Pal sign up and the firearms have been secured. Please remind everyone that the special raffle does not require people to be present to win and they can sell those tickets from the website. Joe Gregory wanted to know if the event was going to be a work party. Tom Brown said it would be.

New Business – Josh House asked where to put his sea train he was approved from Friends of NRA Grant funds. It was decided to put it in beside the existing rows of sea trains.

Wayne White reported that the high school has approached him about installing another trap field. Gary Morris can probably get the ROP to build the trap field if the club could provide the trap machine. Wes Morris reported that Friends of NRA Grant could easily provide the machine in a future grant if the high school can build the field and trap house. Tom Brown also stated the funds from the Sporting Clays shoot can also be used towards this new trap field.

Motion to adjourn by Karen Chitwood and seconded by Josh House. Meeting adjourned at 7:45 p.m.