

**Minutes**  
**General Meeting**  
**July 23, 2013**

President Tom Brown called the meeting to order at 6:33 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 June were submitted for review. Jimmy Chitwood moved to approve the minutes and Karen Chitwood seconded the motion.

**Treasurer's Report** – Treasurer's report was read by all in attendance. Motion was made to accept report by Karen Chitwood, seconded by Wayne White.

**Membership** – The current club membership figure is **261**.

**Sunshine Report** – Susan sent a card to John Morris as he recovers from some illness.

**Publicity** – Nothing to report.

**Trap Report** – Melanie White reported that they did a free night for members and still brought in about \$600 for the month. The machine was down, but Wayne White and Bill Blythe have fixed it. They will be placing a new order for birds shortly. Tom Brown reported he is working with a man out of Oregon to come down and mine the lead out of the trap field. The man reclaims the lead and then gives the Club a discount on 25 lbs of shot.

**Fireworks** – The fireworks both grossed over about \$19,000 and was quite a success.

**Junior Pheasant Hunt** – The birds have been ordered and the hunt location has been secured.

**Action Shooters** – There were about 15 shooters at the July Classifier. Wes Morris is going to be ordering some t-shirts to sell as a fund raiser.

**.22 Action Shooters** – There was no scheduled match since the last meeting. Wes Morris reported he would like to run another Taft Shooter's Challenge Geocaching Event on Saturday November 30<sup>th</sup> and has started the process.

**Youth Trap** – Jimmy Chitwood reported he had to work late, but John Miller was there and did not report anyone showed up. Tom Brown is setting up a youth shoot for the 4H participants on Saturday August 10<sup>th</sup>.

**Legislative** – Nothing to report.

**Correspondence** – Wes Morris sent in the non-profit paperwork for the Chevron matching program. We are waiting for the results.

**Game and Cover** – Nothing to report.

**Awards** – Wes Morris will put the awards report in the next newsletter and once again in the January newsletter.

**Committee Reports** – Nothing to report.

**Old Business** – Nothing to report.

**New Business** – Tom Brown reported that the Central Valley Show for the Trout Pond will be February 28, March 1 & 2 in 2014.

Melanie White and Wes Morris reported that there are some members wondering about the extent of the Youth and Women's Trap Program because they haven't noticed much going on with women's programs. Wes explained that the grant was written to provide for first time ladies to shoot for free and that is all it was. If any members would like to set up more ladies programs and events there are Friends of NRA grant monies available and we will support any new programs to the best of our ability.

Motion to adjourn by Jimmy Chitwood and seconded by Karen Chitwood. Meeting adjourned at 7:10 p.m.