

Evergreen P.A.C. ATV Club Meeting - March 5, 2020 @ Doc's in Sturgeon Lake

In attendance: Roger and Yvonne Bernhardt, Gale and Jeff Bradford, Diana and Scott Brecht, Stephen Diehl, Jim and Maureen Gassert, Greg Jones, Jerry Juutilainen and Barbara Perron, Al and Carmen Rinta, Darlene and Franklin Turnock, Kevin Turnock, Debbie and Roger Yotter

Kevin Turnock called the meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

Roger Yotter moved to accept the February 8, 2020 minutes as read. Stephen Diehl seconded the motion and it carried.

Stephen Diehl moved to accept the treasurers report with a balance of \$31,401.44 in the checking account. Roger Yotter seconded the motion and it carried.

Franklin Turnock reported on the Aitkin County Alliance Meeting on February 27th. Aitkin County is having Tidholm Productions print 7,000 ATV maps. They have matched the 10% state grant (county share \$150,000.00) to go forward on the Mille Lacs East Connector from Malmo to Wealthwood. They are having the mile markers redone on the Soo Line. They now have 13 counters on Aitkin County Trails. The Emily to Blind Lake Trail will have six miles open by June 1st. They will be making inserts for the community paper promoting ATV clubs and riding.

The April 2nd meeting will be at Lazy Moose Grille in Moose Lake a new sponsor.

May 7th the meeting will be at Jackson's Hole in Lawler. The other dates are being confirmed as I type.

Franklin Turnock moved to have a raffle with \$500.00 as first prize, \$250.00 as second and \$100.00 as third. The cost of the tickets will be \$2.00 and the drawing on October 1st at Gampers in Moose Lake. The profit will go to ATV Youth Training. Darlene will get 2,000 tickets printed. Roger Yotter seconded the motion and it carried.

Jim Gassert reported we will need more Carlton/Pine maps shortly.

Jim Gassert noted we can pay for gas on trail blading by a member but cannot pay a wage without their liability insurance.

Evergreen P.A.C. ATV Club Meeting - March 5, 2020 - Page 2

Youth Training Classes will be April 25th at Moose Lake Depot, May 23rd at Tamarack Sno-Flyers Building, and June 6th at Long Lake Conservation Center. It was agreed each youth will get \$10.00 to help with license expense. We have pencils, pens, notebooks, koozies, and 1st aid kits to put in their packets. Up North gives certificates for helmets at the Palisade Training. We will give one each at Tamarack and Long Lake Conservation Center valued at \$75.00.

Jerry Juutilainen will talk to Greg Berneau, Carlton County Land Department about mile markers every two miles on the Soo Trail.

Maureen Gassert asked what banners we want on the ATV trailer. The trailer is in the snowbank but will need banners shortly.

Kangas Enterprises is discontinuing porta potties as of April 1st. Jim Gassert moved to hire Aardvark who is already a sponsor to pump the remaining two we have on the trails. Al Rinta seconded the motion and it carried.

Roger Yotter moved to adjourn the meeting. Debbie Yotter seconded the motion and it carried.

Darlene Turnock, Secretary/Treasurer

Per Phone: 4-15-2020 Co Presidents Kevin Turnock and Gary Allison approved Jim Gassert ordering 2,000 ATV maps of Carlton/Pine Counties.