

Thumbs Up Snowmobile Club Meeting Minutes

March 4, 2010

Call to Order By Galen Faith
Time: 7:00 PM

Exec. Board Members:	Present	Absent	Board Members:	Present	Absent
Galen Faith President	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Todd Klaus	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ed Gosdzinski Vice President	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Dale Klaus	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Donna Faith Treasurer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Dave Markey	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marlo Klaus Secretary	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Jeff Golombeski	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			John Bell	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Ed Thompson	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Minutes of last Meeting

Motion to accept as read. Motion By: Todd Klaus
Second By: John Bell

Treasurer's Report

Motion to accept as read. Motion By: Mark Buckbee
Second By: John Bell

Old Business

1. Delaware Twp. Hall they countered for \$45,000.00 on a 5 year land contract at 6% with Bi-Annual payments. Were asking \$54,900.00. Still need to get seating capacity, and parking information.

Motion was made to get more information and take it to the board for approval prior to bringing it to the general meeting.

Motion By: Galen Faith
Second By: Dale Klaus

2. Received a thank you from Duane Kursinsky for the donation to Diabetes Research Institute.
3. Race Committee Meeting – March 15th - Galen to contact members on availability.

Members of committee

- a. Thumbs Up Snowmobile Club : George Peters
- b. Marlette Chamber of Commerce :
- c. Marlette Golf Course :
- d. H&H Performance : Howard Haack and Lisa Haack
- e. DCDC : Mike Keinath

4. Sign for groomers, do we want to sell advertising on them?
 - a. Stolikers 2 colors 2 sides \$250.00 material only \$65.00
 - b. Thumb Printing 3 colors 2 sides \$182.00 material only \$55.00
 - c. Serious Graphics 3 colors 2 sides \$225.00

Motion was made to purchase from Thumb Printing (will have her do a mockup and bring to the meeting prior to printing)

Motion By: Marlo Klaus
Second By: Donna Faith

Motion was made to sell 4 spots at \$100.00 each.

Motion By: Marlo Klaus

Second By: David Markey

New Business

1. Next council meeting is April 14th at Fritz's, this is the annual meeting.
2. Fun Run – Numbers were down this year. Next year we need to put more details on the flyers.
3. A motion was made to do door prizes at the general meeting, to use up the leftover prizes from the fun run.

Motion By: David Markey

Second By: Jeff Golombeski

4. Trail reports we need to establish guide lines for the conditions on the trails ie.
 - a. Poor – 1” with bare spots
 - b. Fair - 2” - 3”
 - c. Good – 4”
 - d. Excellent – 6” minimum
5. Next event for the special events committee will be the Landowner Appreciation Day
6. DNR Grant update. \$12634.88 (for signing, brushing, tubes, pickets etc..)
7. Should we look into getting a scarifier for working the fields in the fall? 8ft \$2800.00
Motion was made to apply for a grant, determine cost after review.

Motion By: Dale Klaus

Second By: John Bell

8. Need to repair Disk this summer – David and Don Markey to look at the disk to see what needs to be replaced.
9. Trail head signs. DNR is having ones made for the trail grant sponsors but not sure what they are going to look like.

Motion was made to order trail head signs

Motion By: John Bell

Second By: Ed Thompson

10. Motion was made to add the trail map to the website
Motion By: Ed Thompson
Second By: David Markey

11. Galen to check on community service / work release for trail clearing/signing and sign removal for next year.

12. A motion was made to purchase the rescue sled with money made at the fun run, the money that was donated by the Saginaw club and if additional money is needed, this will be taken from the clubs funds.

Motion By: David Markey

Second By: Dale Klaus

12. Calendar Dates (tentative):

Snowmobile Safety Class – October 16th 2010
Landowner Appreciation – July 18th 2010
Deckerville Homecoming – August 6-8th 2010
Annual Meeting – October 9th 2010
Sandusky Lighted Parade – December 4th 2010
Fun Run – January 29th 2011

Club Committee Reports

Trails Committee

Need to have a wrap up – moved some trails to get around bad spots.

Trail Sign Removal - April 10th

Will need to attend the Kingston Township Meeting March 11th and the Koylton Township Meeting on March 9th

Map Committee

Still have money to collect

Sales were up a little

Special Events Committee

Thanks to everyone for all the help with the Fun Run!

Items to be added to the agenda for the next meeting

Motion to Adjourn 8:40pm: Todd Klaus

Second By: Dale Klaus