



## Seneca County Federation of Sportsmen's Clubs, Inc.

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### MEETING MINUTES

#### June 18, 2019: Member Appreciation Dinner – South Seneca Sportsmen's Club

##### Call to Order

Meeting called to order by President Dieter Kraemer at 6:45 P.M.

##### Pledge of Allegiance

##### Roll Call of Members

Verified quorum visually

Attendance: 17 members, representing 9 clubs; 4 guests [Brian, Toni, and Alexa Mayo; NRA Scott Buisch]

##### Minutes from May 23rd Meeting

Read by Secretary Folk

Motion made to accept: 1<sup>st</sup>: John A.; 2<sup>nd</sup>: Greg Wadhams . -- Motion carried.

##### Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Bill Ryan gave a detailed report on all accounts. All 16 clubs are now paid for 2019.

Motion made to accept. 1<sup>st</sup>: Barb W. 2<sup>nd</sup>: Tom .; Motion carried.

##### Correspondence/Communications

Barb: McDougall Sportsmen's club 18<sup>th</sup> annual celebration of national hunting and fishing day on 9/21 10AM – 4PM; want to introduce youth and adults to fishing, archery, hunting, and target sports.

Motion to support McDougall as same fashion as last year – motion carried.

Nate Kennedy sent update on 4-H shooting sports and Mo Tidball discussed.

Guests: Alexa Mayo (scholarship winner) and her parents were present. Alexa advised that she is going to school at Niagara County Community College; has decided to stay local in spite of being accepted to a number of other institutions. Bill Ryan advised that Alexa has been on high honor roll all 8 semesters at SSHS and was accepted into a number of other colleges and chose Environmental Sciences @ Niagara.

##### Committee Reports

Fred gave detailed report on the banquet and thanked everyone for their assistance. Fred gave a detailed breakdown of the net proceeds and the sources therein – indicated it was a resounding success and the silent auction was a nice addition. Fred also advised they are looking for suggestions on weapons for the raffle for next year. Barb inquired about using the full-color front page for the ad and everyone agreed they would do the same going forward.

Ed Mitchell asked that we all recognize the efforts that Fred undertook in support of the banquet – the members did so and formally thanked Fred for his significant efforts.

Tom advised that we still only have 6 logos in hand; still working on getting all of the logos rounded up

##### Old Business

Dieter advised the banquet was a huge success and the first time in quite a few years that an attendance record was set, due in no small part to the efforts of Scott Buisch and the guest speaker he was able to line-up. Scott extended thanks to being a guest at the dinner and for the recognition of everything the NRA-ILA has done for the Federation. Scott said that Chris Conte was very pleased to attend and would be more than willing to return for future events.

Mo advised Wounded Warriors is having a golf fundraiser in July.

##### New Business

- Dieter advised 7 dinners remaining for the evening, 4 uncooked, 3 cooked; the dinners were raffled off using the dinner tickets.

- Dieter discussed the NY State Cons. Council: Keith looking for federation to do some type of fundraiser for the Council. Dieter advised that NYCC is supported personally by Dieter and by the Federation as a whole; unfortunately, the council their BOD, Membership, and Officers are on average over 50 years of age and they have slipped a little with respect to what they provide to NYS sportsmen. Organization is now reactive rather than proactive.
- Dieter has applications for NYSRPA – dues are \$35/year club and
- Gary Brewer indicated Interlaken Sportsmen’s Club wants to bid on the member banquet. Consensus (led by Fred) was to have bids come in advance of the September meeting so they can be reviewed, and a venue selected. Dinner choices will be: prime rib, appetizers, veggie tray with dip, mixed vegetables with dressing on the side; and salad.
- Bill also brought up the June recognition dinner and the alternating between North and South end – this was merely a discussion item with no action taken.
- Next Meeting: September 17th sponsored by FLCC, at Waterloo American Legion
  - Dinner: 6:30PM; Meeting 7:00 PM

Motion to adjourn 1<sup>st</sup> Ed. M.; 2<sup>nd</sup> Barb Meeting adjourned at 7:57 P.M.