

General Membership Meeting for October 2013

The meeting started at 7:01 p.m.

Communications are available at the front table from the Wisconsin Wetlands, the Wisconsin Wildlife Federation, and Pheasants' Forever.

The secretary's report was read and accepted as such.

The treasurer's report for the month of August was given and accepted as such. Money was paid out for the bridge and carp barrier work, for insurance for the club, and guns from the banquet. It was approved as read.

The floor was open for elections and closed with no nominations. Jim, Don, and Randy are up for re-election. We need more ideas to help get new people on the board or at least interested and also helping the club to grow.

Old business started with no progress being made on getting the gun raffles to area bars; it was tabled.

Suggestions for more money flow included corporate membership, endowments, or have a shelter to be able to rent out. We also need to reach out to the schools and universities more.

The new website is up and it was suggested to make the font bigger otherwise it looks good.

The club needs a ranger to help assist with property maintenance. We have two quotes and more are being sought. The board is to make a list of things it needs to do to make sure we have the right tool for the job.

New business started with ideas Kelly had. She is looking into grants to pay for internships for 1 or 2 people to help manage the property for this coming summer. Pete noted more gravel is needed at the property. A few places were suggested for quotes and those will be arranged. Pete noted the club should try to get workers through the work release program from the Oshkosh County Jail.

A motion was made for adjournment first by Pat and second by Ken at 8:05 p.m.