

Location: Gillmore's Restaurant, Petersburg, Illinois

Present: Steve Whitehurst, Gary Sumpter, Dane Eggertsen, Eric Garfat, Jared Williams, and Sheryl Garfat.

President Dane Eggertsen called the monthly meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

Secretary's Report:

Sheryl Garfat presented the minutes from the June 06, 2007 meeting and the July 14, 2007 meeting. No corrections and or changes were made. Dane Eggertsen made a motion to approve the minutes as presented. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer Gary Sumpter presented the Treasurer's report. The report was approved as presented.

Field Captain's Report:

Range Captain Steve Whitehurst discussed the possibility of a "Long Shoot" and noted the course can be set up without any real difficulty.

New Business:

- President Eggertsen has approached the new Petersburg business (located at the Observer/ local print shop) regarding purchasing some new signs, decals, flag(s), etc. for the Menard Archers. The new signage will promote the 3-D Range. Smaller signs have been requested so that they can be erected with ease. An amount not to exceed \$150 was suggested for the purchase of such signage.
- Christopher Reed, a police officer from Lincoln, Illinois has recently contacted President Dane Eggertsen, asking for the Menard Archers support in hosting a benefit for Todd Blaum, a fellow police officer. Todd was killed in a vehicular accident last year. His friends and family have set up an educational fund for his son, Gage. President Eggertsen made a motion to host a benefit shoot in August (August 26) donating the proceeds (same fees as usual) to the fund. Donations would also be accepted. Eric Garfat seconded the motion. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Old Business:

- An article has been drafted for the newspapers regarding the Swap Meet.
- The New Salem State Park shelter (#1) by the Sangamon River has been reserved for the Wild Game Feed from 10 a.m. – 3 p.m. on Saturday, September 15, 2007.

Other Business:

- Jeff Jiannoni, Sheryl Garfat, and Carl Spath are scheduled to work the next shoot (September 16, 2007).
- Still need workers for the September 23rd shoot.
- Dane will draft a letter for the Executive Board to review prior to sending it out – regarding work requirements and club participation.
- Dane will also follow up with Jeff Jiannoni regarding the Swap Meet news release.
- Jared Williams suggested a 3-D pop-up shoot be included in the 2008 schedule. Jared has a contact from Iowa who presents such events. Discussion was held regarding the event.

Adjournment:

President Eggertsen made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:44 p.m.

Next meeting will be held on **Wednesday, September 5, 2007, at 7:00 p.m.** at Gillmore's Restaurant in Petersburg, Illinois.