

Prickly Pear Sportsmen's Association
Association Meeting Minutes
East Helena VFW 7:00PM
May 8, 2018

Board Members:

Chairman of the Board: Jason Swant	Director: George Schiller
Association President: Neil Horne (E)	Director: Larry Cole
Association Treasurer: Annette Rinehart	Director: Scott Swingly
Association Secretary: Lindsey Fryer	Director: Kerry Bartlett (E)
Director: Keaton Santos	Director: Rick Yearry (A)
Range Maintenance Officer: Jordan Alexander (A)	Director: Cory Olson (E)
Website Manager: Vacant	

Meeting Start: 7:00PM

Meeting End: 7:50PM

Agenda Item	Leader	Notes	To-Do's
Reading of Minutes	Lindsey	Read the April's's Association Meeting Minutes. George Schiller 1 st Keaton Santos 2 nd All were in favor and motion was passed.	
Treasure Report	Annette	Beginning Balance: \$18,051.60 Collected: \$9,303.00 Expenses: \$2,625.77 Ending Balance: \$24,728.83 Bills: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 250 more keys for \$500 • Porta Potty bill for \$62 George Schiller 1st Scott Swingly 2 nd All were in favor and motion was passed.	

<p>Officer/Director Reports:</p>	<p>Jason Swant</p>	<p>Projects</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Painting new gate • Berms for pistol range (3 small) will be laid down this Thursday 05/10. • Rim fire reactive targets should be up and ready to go by Saturday 05/12. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Lollipops ○ Hanging targets <p>Work party was planned for 06/08 from 8AM-12PM</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Picking up larger rocks on berms • Signage around perimeter. • Outhouse restoration/clean-up. • Install FS Permit sign. 	
	<p>Larry Cole</p>	<p>Forest Service Communication Committee</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Asked for examples for Forest Service Safety Plans from Mandy. • Additional paperwork requested of Jason and Neil. 	
	<p>Annette Rinehart</p>	<p>Scholarships:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Annette called Deb Thompson to verify that the applications have been shared with the schools. She said they had been sent to the principles but she would resend to ensure they were received. 	
	<p>Jason Swant</p>	<p>Events:</p> <p>Capitol Sports 05/12 Rim Fire and 300 Yard</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • They will be using 4 spots at the Rim Fire, 100 yard, and 400 yard ranges. • Savage Arms, CZ USA Reps to be there. • Leopold & Stevens, CDS Optics, Range Finders & Spotting Scopes • Elite Iron 5% off suppressors • Remington and Ruger fire arms, Capitol Sports would have staff there to help demo. <p>**There was issue with ricochet through the chained off gate ally way and a bullet going through bench on the pistol range.</p>	

	<p>Jason Swant</p> <p>Open Floor Conversations:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PPSA will address those safety issues and asks that members and those hosting the events make sure we are promoting safe use of fire arms. <p>PPSA open house 08/26/2018</p> <p>Membership Checks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Still going well, keeping up our presence is helping accountability. <p>MISC:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • George Schiller brought up that there have been complaints that river guides are not respecting resident fishermen. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Complaints to outfitters guide association if people witness this behavior on our rivers. • Annette spoke to a Raffle for a local baby with developmental disease. Fundraiser being held at the glass slipper, she was selling raffle tickets. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Motion was made by Larry Cole to donate membership for gift basket, George Schiller 2nd, all were in favor and motion passed. • Larry mentioned again that the rubber back boards are being replaced with beaver board as they wear out. • Larry brought up garbage being in shed and asked Jason about dump access or how often we were taking trash into town. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Board member has to be in possession of the dump card in order to take trash in. ○ Would be discussed next Board Meeting to ensure it's being taken care of. • 25/50 yard targets are pretty worn and need to be replaced. • Question about how much it costs for a .5 FTE. (\$12,000/year) 	
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