

Michigan Sporting Clays Association

Meeting date: **Saturday, April 19, 2014** Started: **2:30 PM** Ended: **3:35 PM**

Location: Grand Blanc Huntsman's Club

Purpose/Notes: Regular scheduled meeting

Chaired by: Drew Lieske

Minutes rec. by: Drew Lieske

Attendance:

Present: Mark Birka, Jovan Blackwell, Dana Farrell, Kim Marie Jones, Raymond Jones, Drew Lieske, Dennis McKeough, Kirk Todd

Regrets:

Absent: Ray Fisher, Daniel Williams

Late:

Guests:

(none)

Meeting Documents:

- website report.pdf

Meeting Minutes:

1. Committee business

1.1. Review Agenda

Mark Birka

Status: Completed

1.2. Treasurer's Report

Kirk Todd

Minutes:

Dennis McKeough received electronic and print materials necessary to take over the treasurer's position per Kirk Todd's resignation to the position due to other commitments.

Status: Completed

1.3. Website Report

Drew Lieske

Status: Completed

2. OLD BUSINESS

2.1. Partnering with Other Associated Organizations

Jovan Blackwell

Minutes:

Jovan offered to promote the Michigan Sporting Clays Association at the May 31, 2014 Ruffed Grouse Society event at Island Lake Shooting Range. Drew noted that he would print NSCA complimentary limited memberships for use by individuals who would like to join the National Sporting Clays Association. Jovan and Mark both assumed roles of reaching out to other similar organizations for cross promotion.

Status: Completed

2.2. Quote - Safety Signs

Kim Marie Jones

Drew picked up the sign for Caledonia from Davison Banner & Sign. Kim offered to organize the ordering of any other signs for future new clubs.

Status: Completed

3. NEW BUSINESS

3.1. New Club - Bay County Conservation Club

Drew Lieske

Bay County Conservation Club has joined the Michigan Sporting Clays Association and would like to host an event in 2014. They requested names of potential target setters to help boost the attendance at the event. Drew emailed contact information for Ron Wilcutts and Vincent Lori. Drew to follow up on assisting Bay County in scheduling the event.

Status: Completed

3.2. Suggestions Guide for Improving Small Club Attendance

Mark Birka

Minutes:

Mark Birka noted that an informational mailing should be sent to all small clubs in regards to how to promote their NSCA events and improve attendance. The document will include details regarding incentives such as a cumulative draw pot, promotional ideas such as ads and/or flyers, and the importance of proper date and time selection. Mark also nominated himself to contact Mike McAlpine to discuss the potential of a target setting clinic in Michigan.

Status: Completed

3.3. 2014 Michigan State Shoot Status

Drew Lieske

Minutes:

The 2014 MI State Shoot is on par thus far. Drew noted that Michigan Shooting Centers will be promoting an incentive for early registration.

Status: Completed

3.4. 2014 All-State Team Trophies/Awards

Raymond Jones

Minutes:

Raymond Jones volunteered to order the 2014 NSCA MI All State team awards. The crystal curve awards will be purchased from Prized Possessions. The Great Lakes Championship traveling trophy is currently getting redone and updated.

Status: Completed

3.5. 2015 State Shoot and Great Lakes Shoot Bids

Mark Birka

Status: Deferred: 5/22/2014

4. MISC

4.1. Date Next Meeting

Mark Birka

Minutes:

The next meeting was scheduled for 8:00pm on Thursday May 22, 2014 via conference call.

Status: Completed

Recording Secretary:

Chairperson:

Date:
