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Meeting Minutes

August 23rd, 2017- Monthly Meeting

Called to order @ 7:00pm

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: 33 club members were present

Minutes: Doug Flood requested a motion to accept the minutes of the last meeting which were sent to everyone on 09/25/2017. A motion was made by Chad Smalley and Seconded by Buck Morrison.

Treasurer Report: Heather Holbrook – There was NO treasury repost this month, Heather had a family emergency and could not make the meeting.

Old Business:

50/50- This month's winner was Robin Curry winning \$22.00. Robin donated her money back to the club. Thank You Robin!

Fellsmere Day- Debbie Parker and 2 others from the Fellsmere Beautification Committee will be coming to our next Board meeting to discuss our participation in this event. We will let you know the outcome at the next meeting.

Event /Shows- Everyone please keep their ears open for any events that we can look into taking the Raffle Boat to. We have not had it at many events and need to get it out there ASAP because June will be around the corner before we know it.

Road/Cleanup- Due to Hurricane Irma, we had to cancel our cleanup that was scheduled September 9th. We asked the club if they would be interested in doing one after work on Thursday October 12th. Everyone agreed that would be a good time!

➤ **Events attended since the last meeting**

- ✚ **Club Ride-** Doug said there was about 9-12 boats who attended. They rode from the Fellsmere grade to bull dozer camp and cooked. Everyone had a great time.

New Business

- **New Members-** No New Club Members this month.
- **Club Ride-** We will be having a club Ride NORTH on Saturday November 11th, meeting at the Fellsmere Grade again and riding as North as everyone wants to ride.
- **Vero Beach AirShow-** We know that the Vero Beach Airshow is not till April of next year but it is on a first come first serve basis so we would like a motion to pay for the vendor fee of \$350.00. Buck Morrison. A show of hands, were in favor motion passed.
- **Benefit for Club Member Jeff Wilson –** JP Wilson, son of Jeff Wilson is asking the club to help him and his family out with a Benefit to help pay for Jeff's quickly rising medical bills. Jeff was admitted to the Mayo Hospital in Jacksonville on Aug 14th. Since then he has had 4 open heart surgeries consisting of patching a hole in his heart, Double by-pass and having a Pace Maker put in. The benefit will be in February 2018 at the Moose Lodge so we are looking for donations of any kind for the Silent Auction, Door Prizes, Raffle's etc. Once we know the exact date I will let you know.
- **Upcoming Events**
 - ✚ **FAA Quarterly Meeting-** Saturday October 7th @ Camp Mack Resort from 10:00am-2:00pm. The address is 14900 Camp Mack Road Lake Wales, FL 33898 if anyone is interested in going.
 - ✚ **HuntMaster Training in Ocala-** October 6th & 7th. If you are signed up to become a Hunt Master make sure that you are there. Our club Hunt Masters will be cooking for this event so if you want to go help please get with Robert (772) 559-9208.
 - ✚ **Clean/Up & BBQ-** We will be doing our clean up that we had to reschedule because of hurricane Irma on Thursday Night (after work) October 12th @ Garcia's Boat Ramp. We need a lot of help to get this done before it gets dark so please get with me if you can help since we will not have another meeting before (772)-532-8425. We will be having hamburgers, hotdogs and chips.
 - ✚ **SRPM (Wrac) meeting –** Thursday October 19th 6:00-8:00pm @ SJWMD Office in Palm Bay @ Community College Parkway SE, Palm Bay, FL 32909
 - ❖ Land Management Update
 - ❖ Upper St Johns River Basin Project update
 - ❖ Recreational use evaluation (Airboat) update
 - ❖ Opportunity for public comments
- **Open Discussion**
 - **Bill Olexa-** Bill wanted to let everyone know that if anyone is interested in taking their Hunter Safety Course that there will be one Saturday October 7th at the Sebastian Gun Range. If you plan on attending please sign up on the FWC website to take the written part then call them (fwc) to register for the class.
 - **Robert Anderson-** Robert wanted to let everyone know that there in a HuntMaster Training that was rescheduled from this month to October 7th, 2017

in Ocala and that our club is cooking for it and if anyone is interested in helping cook to please call him (772)-559-9208.

- **Doug Flood-** Heather and Eric Holbrook wanted to let everyone know that Power Coating Concepts (Eric's work) powder coated Kernie & Dale Fullers Birdhouse for them from the club for the use of their property all the time for the parade float.

➤ **Club Meeting Pot:**

We started the pot with \$147.00 plus collected \$19.00 at the meeting so the total pot is \$166.00. The winner was Chad Smalley, he was here for 2 consecutive meetings but he unfortunately did not contribute his \$1.00 last month so he did not win. The pot will roll over till next month. Please remember every members name goes in the POT and you must have attended 2 consecutive meetings and paid your \$1.00 at each meeting in order to win.

➤ **Next club meeting:**

Next club meeting is on Wednesday October 25th, 2017 from 7:00pm – 8:00pm at Marsh Landing. We hope to see everyone there!

Meeting Adjourned at 9:00pm

*****We have several club members and club members families going through some hard times with illnesses so please keep them in your thoughts! *****

STAY STRONG "The heartiest plants survive because they weather the storms and never stop reaching for the light". Robert Clancy