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Meeting Minutes

November 28th, 2018 - Monthly Meeting

Called to order @ 7:00pm

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call: 25 club members were present

Sargent in Arms - Kenneth Hamilton called the meeting to order!

Minutes: Doug Flood requested a motion to accept the minutes of the last meeting which were sent to everyone on 11/20/18. A motion was made by Randy McNeal and Seconded by Alan Hall.

Treasurer Report: Treasurers report was read by Heather. There were no objections. A motion to accept was made by Randy McNeal and it was seconded by Steve Van Anthwarp.

Old Business:

50/50- Last month's winner was Michelle Flood winning \$28.00.

Sebastian Christmas Parade - The Christmas parade is on Saturday December 1st. We will need decorated boats to be pulled (NO SANTA). We will be meeting by the Crap Stop. Please join us if you can.

Candy to give out at Parade- Michelle Flood made a motion for \$100.00 to buy the candy; it was seconded by Randy McNeal. A show if hands were in favor, motion passed.

Holiday Luncheon- We will be having our annual Holiday luncheon on January 5th, 2019 @ Blue Cypress Lake @ 11:00. Lunch will be served 12-1pm the club will be providing the meat everyone please bring a side dish. We will be sending a signup sheet around at next month's meeting.

Boat Ramp/Parking for East Marsh- Eventually they are going to stop allowing people to park on the side of the road for the East Marsh. Doug said that we need to start being proactive and we need to talk to the City of Fellsmere and Susan Adams with the

county commissioners office or St John's about making this happen or we may not be able to

use the East Marsh anymore. Steve Hayes said that he will talk to the board of St. Johns and see if he can find anything out. He will let us know what he finds out.

Events attended since the last meeting

✚ No events were attended since the last meeting.

NEW BUSINESS

- **New Members-** John Heath. Welcome and thank you for your support.
- **Raffle Item-** We need a motion to purchase a new Shotgun to raffle at the frog leg festival. Eula Helpling made the motion to spend up to \$300.00. It was seconded by Randy McNeal. A show of hands were in favor, motion passed. Chris will price guns at warrior pawn and if anyone sees any on sale please let Doug or Chris know.
- **IRCAA Plaque-** FWC presented our club with a Club Volunteer of the year again for the 3rd Year in a row. Also Club Member Buckshot Morrison won volunteer of the year. Congratulations and GREAT job to all members who are involved with the youth hunting program.
- **Basket for R3-** We would like to donate a club basket for a fundraiser. A show of hands were in favor, Doug will get the basket together and take it to them. Doug also said that if anyone is interested in getting a team together to contact KRVSA via their facebook. The Shoot is on January 26th, 2019 in Polk County.
- **December's Meeting-** The next meeting will be the day after Christmas so we asked for a show of hands to move the meeting 1 week earlier to Wednesday December 19th, everyone agreed.
- **Officer & Board Nominations-** Nominations will be held @ next month's meeting and there will be several Board and Officer positions open so if you know of anyone interested in running please let us know.
- **Membership Dues-** Memberships are due next month. In order to vote your membership must be paid by the January Meeting.
- **Upcoming Events – We need volunteers so please help out**
 - ✚ Decoration Set-Up- We will have a work day Sunday Dec 9th to set up the Christmas decorations at the school house @ 5:00pm.
 - ✚ Santa Comes to Town- Thursday December 13, 2018 @ City Hall- Old School House in Fellsmere
 - ✚ Holiday Luncheon- January 5th, 2019. Lunch will be served @ 1:00pm. We hope to see everyone there, it's a great time.
 - ✚ Frog Leg Festival- January 17th- 20th, 2019.
- ❖ **Open Discussion**
- ❖ **Chris Worthen-** He requested that the youth hunting program purchase a 255 gal tote for people to take showers. It was agreed that one is needed however the problem is getting someone to be able to pull that much weight around. It will be discussed and figured out.
- ❖ **Doug/Tad-** wanted to let everyone know that long time Airboater Jim Martin was out riding all afternoon with Scott Sommer's and friends filming a video and when they got back to the

boat ramp that evening Jim suffered a massive heart attack and passed away at the ramp. They asked that everyone please keep his family in your prayers. Tad will get us the address to send a condolence if anyone is interested.

- ❖ **Robert Anderson-** He wanted to let everyone know that he has asked his Daughter Paige Anderson to help with the day to day operations of the youth hunt program because it's getting to be a lot for one person to handle.

- **Club Meeting Pot:**

Meeting pot is at \$224.00. The winner was Jim & Lori Johnson but because they were not at the past 2 meeting and put in their \$1.00 in it will roll over to 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 December 19th, 2018 from 7:00pm – 8:00pm at Marsh Landing. We hope to see everyone there!

Meeting Adjourned at 8:15pm