

**Pickerel-Pearson Wolf River Riders**

**ATV Club**

**Regular Meeting Minutes**

**(unapproved)**

**August 20, 2011 9:00 A.M.**

**Hummer's Hide-a-Way**

The meeting was called to order by President Jack Andraschko at 9:00 AM.

Minutes of the club meeting July 16, 2011 were mailed. Motion made by Dan Wierschke to approve the minutes as mailed, seconded by Harlan Girtz. All in favor. Motion carried.

***Guest: A representative from Antigo Yamaha is bringing some new 2012 Side-by-side, two-ups, and other Yamaha, Polaris, and Cam-Am's for demo riding. \*\* SEE DETAILS AT THE END OF THIS NEWSLETTER.***

**Treasurer's report was given by Jan Fischer.**

As August 20, 2011, there was \$4216.10 in checking and \$4967.21 in savings. Income for the month was: clothing sales, \$172.00, Map Sales \$92.05 Membership \$80.00, Associate Membership \$200.00, advertizing for 2012 map \$400.00, donation for signage on Pickerel Lake Rd \$150.00 and interest .32. Disbursements for the month were: Clothing purchase \$120.00, website hosting \$39.95. A motion was made by Pat Girtz to accept the treasurer's report as read, Dan Wierschke seconded the motion. All in favor. Motion carried.

**Membership:**

3 Associate Club Memberships

14 Business Memberships

65 Family Memberships

25 Single Memberships

Renewal reminders were sent out to past members who had not yet joined the club. The response was not favorable. There was discussion on how to obtain more members, especially those in the area campgrounds.

New membership forms were made up, Sheila Yeager requested an electronic copy to attach to the website.

Our bylaws will be changed to state memberships received in September will apply to the following year. The membership report was approved as read by Dan Wierschke, and seconded by Glen Yeager. All in favor. Motion carried.

**Old Business:**

None

**Trail News:**

Newly opened Pickerel Lake Road ATV Route has not had any complaints, there was one isolated problem, which was handled.

The new maps went to print for next season.

Harlan brought up the mud hole by Torgersons, on Pickerel Lake Road is in need of fill. As of yet, this is not a funded trail. Jack Andraschko and Pat Girtz will check whose property we are using, as it was stated that Kopet's has been sold. We need to get permission from the new owner, then get the trail funded.

It was also noted that Forest Road is not listed as an ATV route. Pat will bring issue up at the town board meeting.

**New Business:**

Jan and Hummer were approached by a committee for Wayne Roesch from Mattoon, for a club donation to cover some of his medical expenses. Jack made the motion to donate \$50.00. After some discussion, Dan Wierschke made a motion not to donate. All were in favor. Individual members can still donate to the committee by contacting either Jan Fischer or Hummer.

Arlen Panko has announced that he is resigning his position as Membership Coordinator effective the last mailing of the 2011 season. Anyone interested in volunteering for this position is asked to contact Jack Andrashko.

A motion was made by Dan Wierschke to adjourn, seconded by Glen Yeager. All approved, motion carried. **\*\*September Club Activities: Antigo Yamaha to bring various ATV's for demo riding.**

In conjunction with Hummer's Customer Appreciation on Saturday, September 17; Antigo Yamaha is bringing out some of their 2012 ATV's for demo riding. They are also donating prizes to the club to raffle off the day of the event. The prizes are:

Skidoo Long Sleeved Jersey value: \$54.99

Polaris Long Sleeved Jersey value: \$59.99

Yamaha Zipped Hoodie value: \$59.00

Off Road Cyber Helmet value: \$89.99

Articles of the Wolf River Riders clothing line

One free family membership

Possibly some Hillshire Hams

Tickets will be \$1.00 or 6 for \$5.00

You can earn free tickets:

5 free tickets for renewing your membership for the 2012 season

7 free tickets for brand new membership for the 2012 season

2 free tickets for taking a demo ride

If you are taking a demo ride, Antigo Yamaha's insurance carrier requires you wear a helmet, goggles, long sleeved shirt, long pants, and shoes (no sandals) . No double riding unless the machine is designed for two or more riders.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting, all approved.