Turf and Tundra ATV Club Meeting June 16, 2017 @ The Cabaret

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The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m.

Secretary's Report

Ron Gray opened the meeting, reminding all in attendance that the Secretary's Report (meeting minutes) will no longer be read at the meetings. The Meeting Minutes will be sent via email to all Club Members with a valid email address. If you have an email address and ARE NOT receiving the minutes, please email the Club Secretary at TandTATVClub@gmail.com.

Financial Report

Cheryl Gray provided an overview of the financial report which follows:

Opening Balance \$ 17,835.14

Income \$ 1,000.00

Expenses \$ 2,082.97

Ending Balance \$ 16,752.17

Copies of detailed financial reports available upon request.

Trails & Equipment

Ron reported that with the recent rains, the trails are in good shape. There were several trees down over by Hap's, a big tree was down that was reported by Forestry. Those have been cleared.

The Baraboo mechanic was out again and fixed the loader bucket and hydraulics.

Swiss Town Board was approached about opening up County Roads 'F' from Brothel Road to Hwy 77 and 'H' up to Hwy 35.

Ron attended the Blaine town meeting - they are opening up all roads within the township to ATVs. Effective date is TBD.

The grant for the bridges on Trail 45 from Brothel Road to River Road was not enough. We are \$3,000 short – the plan is to ask the snowmobile club to split the cost of repairs and we will apply for another grant at a later date.

New Business

Approximately 20 people participated in the Free-Wheeling Weekend. Lunch was provided by the Lumberjack – Food choice was spaghetti or Cheeseburger plus a beverage – it was good.

As shared last month, Board members are up for Election in August 2017. Nominations were accepted at the meeting. Nominees include: Tom Ross, Harvey Thompson, John Kielkucke, Danny Coyle and Bill Roettger. There are 3 positions available - election/voting will take place in August.

Membership renewals were due JUNE 1st. Dues remain at \$25.00. If you have not already done so, please send in your membership dues to Cheryl Gray, Treasurer, at 30127 Oriole Drive, Webb Lake, WI 54830.

The Club is changing things up regarding membership cards. Membership cards that were provided in the past will be changing to a STICKER/DECAL that can be displayed on your machine(s). Membership decals were ordered and once received, will be distributed to the paid 2017-2018 members of the Club.

Reminder - DeAnna Thompson has volunteered to be the Club's new 'Sunshine Lady'. She will be sending out cards to those that are sick within the Club – if you hear of someone being ill, please let DeAnna know at 715-866-4849 or send an email to TandTATVClub@gmail.com, and she will get a card out to them.

Shirts and hats are still available. The Club is adding more items for sale with the Turf and Tundra Logo. They will be for sale at future meetings.

Next ATV Club meeting will be at Amelia's Café on Mainstreet in Danbury on July 21 at 6:00 p.m.

There were 37 individuals that signed the sign-in sheet at the meeting.

Public Comment:

A question was raised regarding current membership. Membership is sitting at about 275.

A question was raised about opening our trails earlier next year. Ron will be looking into this at the County. We will pursue an amendment to the ordinance, stating 'weather permitting', trails will open on xx-xx-xxxx, hopefully prior to the Friday of Memorial weekend.

Upcoming events:

There aren't any 'events' scheduled. We may try to have a summer picnic and ride in late August/early September – more info to come on that.

The next Turf and Tundra ATV Club Meeting – *Friday, July 21, at 6:00 p.m. at Amelia's Café* on Main Street in Danbury. NOTE THE NEW MEETING TIME – 6:00 p.m.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:17 p.m.