

Turf and Tundra ATV Club Meeting May 17th, 2019, Crow Bar

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The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m.

Secretary's Report

Ron Gray opened the meeting, reminding all in attendance that the Secretary's Report (meeting minutes) are sent via email to members with valid email address and are also posted on the Turf and Tundra website. If you have an email address and ARE NOT receiving the minutes, please email the Club Secretary at TandTATVClub@gmail.com.

Financial Report

The financial report overview is as follows:

Opening Balance	\$29,265.40
Income	\$ 2,400.00
Expenses	\$ 1,221.81
Ending Balance	\$30,443.59

Copies of detailed financial reports available upon request.

Trails & Equipment

The County is currently behind on their gravel and bulldozer work and we are unsure when they will work on the trails.

The culvert will be put in by Trail 45 and Broeffle Road next week.

The bridge on Trail 45 has been re-graveled. The jump bridges on Trail 45 at Broeffle Road are going to be looked at on Monday by Hopkins to see how to fix the on and off ramps going on the bridge.

The trails are being groomed as we go. A special THANK YOU to both new and returning groomers!

Trail work is being done EVERY Tuesday. The numbers are going up! The first week we had six people show, the second week there were 9 people volunteering. THANK YOU to the volunteers!

The rails for the skid pads for the groomer are being worked on. THANK YOU to the volunteers for this as well!

There are several ways to get involved in the Club:

TRAIL MAINTENANCE:

We are trying something new this year regarding trail maintenance. We will be working on the trails **EVERY TUESDAY**, beginning May 7. The plan is to meet at the Turf & Tundra building at 9:00 a.m. and go from there. **WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO HELP!**

We are also designating the **3rd SATURDAY each month** for the weekends to participate. We will meet at the Turf & Tundra building on Namekagen (next to Rosenthal's) at 9:00 a.m. and go from there. **ANY TIME** you can give, would be appreciated!

GROOMERS:

The Club also needs members to volunteer to **GROOM** the trails. Training will be provided. If interested contact Ron Gray, President at 715-259-3405.

MECHANICS and WELDERS:

We need people to work on machinery. We lost one of our own last Fall and we have big shoes to fill. Bill did a fantastic job maintaining our equipment. If you have those gifts, please contact Ron Gray, at 715-259-3405.

New Business

Trail maps are being printed. We hope they will be done next week and then will be distributed to the businesses.

Darcy sent out membership renewal notices on May 15th, via 'snail mail'.

Nominations for board members will be conducted at the June meeting and the election will be at the August meeting.

Public comment/questions:

There was a motion to increase the donation for Recognition/Blessing Service to \$50.00. This was passed.

Upcoming events:

To date we only have two SCHEDULED events on the calendar –

Free-wheeling weekend **June 1st, 10:00 a.m.** Meet at the Turf and Tundra building for a guided tour, demos by Four Star Sports and NextGen, then lunch at the Cabaret to conclude the event.

Club picnic – Saturday, **August 24th 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.** at Gliders Bar & Grill, live music by Thousand Dollar Car

As the season progresses, we will be identifying some dates for club rides, etc.

Miscellaneous:

We continue to try to go 'paperless'. If you have an email address, please provide it if you haven't already done so.

57 people signed in for the May meeting.

Decals are still available - \$5.00 per sheet. You can take them to the Cabin Corner to have them put on a garment for a nominal fee.

The next Turf and Tundra ATV Club Meeting will be on **June 21st at 6:00 p.m.** at the Log Cabin Store in Danbury.

Wishing you all a safe Memorial Day weekend!