



Waukesha County Conservation Alliance

Dedicated to Succeeding Generations

A banquet committee meeting will be held at 6:30 pm prior to the December meeting.

WCCA Meeting Minutes November 9, 2016

President Ron Gray called the meeting to order at 7:40 pm at Wern Valley. The meeting was sponsored by the Conservation Congress, who provided the refreshments. The meeting was attended by 18 individuals, comprised of club delegates, the Wisconsin Conservation Congress and the DNR.

SECRETARY'S REPORT:

The minutes of the October meeting were accepted as published.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

A second checking account has been set up for receiving credit card payments, and it contains the minimal amount.

The statement date was changed to the end of the month.

Raffle money is coming in – there were still some tickets/proceeds unreturned, please make sure you have turned them in. The raffle will be held at the December meeting.

Tickets and flyers for the February banquet are available.

The Treasurer's report was approved.

COMMUNICATIONS:

- **DNR Weekly News Update** – A reminder that you can subscribe to this information via this link: https://service.govdelivery.com/service/multi_subscribe.html?code=WIDNR. Some items to note: to help shape the deer herd/hunt, join your CDAC.
- **Correspondence** –
 - Interested in a Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation calendar? \$66,000 in prizes. Contact Tom Bodine for more information.
 - Ron's contact information has changed. His cell phone is 414-651-7359 and his land line is 414-541-5109.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- **Banquet** –
 - No updates at this time.
- **Kids Fishing Clinic** –
 - There is no club for Menomonee Park's winter clinic.
 - The Milwaukee Casting Club is holding a clinic at the Waukesha Jamboree on January 22.

- **Conservation Congress** – AI
 - The Congress has youth representation, from the Kettle Moraine ice fishing team.
 - A committee made up of CDAC, the Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection and others is meeting in December, to develop a plan for the next 5 years.
 - CWD – some doubt exists it came from a captive heard, perhaps there is spontaneous outbreak based on population. Iowa County is the state’s hot spot. A live test is conducive for captive herds and can allow selective culling.
 - CDACs – all will meet in January, a review will be back in February and then recommendations to the NRB in March.
 - Wisconsin Conservation Congress – tree stands in state parks must have name on them, and can be left overnight.

- **DNR** – Ben
 - Moved a lot of key positions over the past year, they are still down 5 biologists and 5 techs.
 - Walleye initiative notes: program increasing; Golan’s providing 59,000+ large fingerlings in Waukesha County;
 - Spring hearings – promoting county wide 18” limit 3. Any feedback? Age 4 is the spawning age.
 - North Lake – the permit was granted to build the launch, but they want the DNR to pay for it.
 - Great Lakes – there’s money for stocking but it’s not necessary.

OLD BUSINESS:

- **Meetings** – Please consider having your club host a meeting. There are 16 clubs represented in the WCCA; the 2016 meetings have been accounted for, but look towards 2017.
- **Business Memberships** – A business membership is \$25 and an advertisement will be placed in the meeting minutes. All business memberships need to be confirmed.
- **Website** – Send your club information to AI to be placed on the WCCA website. Even if you don’t have a website, your information: meeting date/time and club location, can be visible through the WCCA’s website. A club or business of the month will be on display. Get your information to AI. Send in game pictures!

NEW BUSINESS:

MEMBER MATTERS:

There were four public parcels in Oconomowoc listed for sale by the DNR. Joel Kleefisch, representative of the area, was unaware of these parcels; however, they are no longer under review and have been removed from sale.

GOOD/WELFARE:

For those members with health issues, we wish them well.

The meeting adjourned at approximately 8:45.

NEXT MEETING:

December 21 – Wern Valley

MEETING SCHEDULE:

January 18 – Shultz Gun Club
 February 15 – Monches at Wern Valley
 March 15 – Mapleton at Okauchee Legion

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262-547-3854
406 W. Sunset Dr.
Waukesha, WI 53189

Wales/Genesee Lions Club

262-968-4140
W31400 Hwy 83 P.O. Box 201
Genesee Depot, WI 53127
Hall Available. Call for more info.

Brookfield Wedding Cakes

262-781-2253
14440 Lisbon Road
Brookfield, WI 53005

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422-1760
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