

"Stimulate interest in the development of safe use of snowmobiles for enjoyment and recreation."

7:00 pm Club Meeting / Thursday, March 7th, 2024 Pizza Ranch

- 1. Meeting was called to order: 7:00pm
- Approval of February Meeting Minutes: (Action)
 Presented by Michelle Malsom
 Motion: Duane
 Second: Joey N
- 3. Approval of February Financial Report: (Action) Presented by Lisa Friedt
 - Membership \$7799.59
 - Checking \$14106.54
 - CD 18 mo / (07/09/2024) \$10,000
 - CD (03/10/2024) \$10,000
 - Let CD roll over
 - Motion: Tracy O Second: Jim W
 - CD 5 mo / (05/09/2024) \$10,000

Motion: Tracy O Second: Cheryl G

- 4. Membership Report / Lisa Freidt
 - Members: 94
 - Associate Members: 17
- 5. SDSA District III Report / Lee Olson 200 MXZ sled went to Williston ND, Sold ~1040 tickets.
- Advisory Report / (Contact Needed) Next Advisory meeting is May 4th in Pierre. Encouraging people to pay attention to meetings as the fee structure is being discussed. This info will be presented to the Advisory council. Plans will be reviewed in May. Hoping to have plan by Aug. 2024 to be voted on.
- Trail Report / Jim Weaver No snow currently. Received the arrowhead drag. Trail signage needs to come out in March. April meeting need to decide if we are making any modifications to the trail as that information needs to be submitted to state.
- 8. YETI Report / (Contact Needed) Form is online on SDSA website for new Yeti members.
- 9. Safety Report / (Contact Needed) No accidents on the trail.
- 10. Charity Report / Lisa Friedt The charity report is due April 1st. Waiting on form to officially submit hours to the national level. Kelly Weaver will reach out to Mary Anne for an update on the form.

11. Publicity & Social Media / Casey Weismantel – Website is up and running and was able to add a couple of our new associates with ease. There is the upcoming steak feed on April 6th.

12. Old Business

- a. Sno Plainsman Article
 - i. April / Jim and Lisa Friedt Due by March 1st
 - ii. Please submit article to Mary Anne Grabow, Editor/Publisher sdsa@itcel.com
- b. Dakota Midland Trail Marking
 - i. New signage implementation Sno Pass Grant
 - 1. The signs are completed and delivered.
- c. Aberdeen Drift Buster Events (Scheduled)
 - i. Steak / Hamburger Social & Supper
 - 1. Rescheduled for April 6th at the Aberdeen Elks Lodge
 - 2. 300.00 for rental and 200.00 for deposit.
 - 3. Need to get final count at next meeting for steaks etc.
- d. Poker "Chip" Run
 - i. Held on Feb 3rd had good turnout for not having snow.
 - ii. 48 participants picked up 2 new members and association membership from event
- e. Media Outlets
 - i. Send information on Aberdeen Drift Buster Snowmobile Club / Largest Club Award. Completed
- f. Aberdeen Drift Buster Snowmobile Club Table Throw (like a tablecloth)
 - i. Completed See table throw at Steak feed
- g. Club Flag
 - i. Status of looking into the cost of a club flag would be.
 - 1. Casey quoted 15x2 flag = 442.00 per banner with QQP
 - 2. Build a sign website:
 - a. 15x3 = 448.00
 - b. 8x2 = 326.00
 - c. 6x2 = 283.00
 - 3. Casey will quote a 10x2 for price
 - 4. Kelly Weismantel motioned and Kelly Weaver seconded to get quote for 10x2 flag (quote for 2) from QQP.
 - a. We could add a QR code for our club to the flag
- h. Spring Agenda item:
 - i. Work on crossing in the pasture by Richmond Spillway Discussed County supplying steel beams and concrete slabs that we could also use to put across the top of the beams. County will not install. Concrete is 8 inches thick so it should support groomer.
 - ii. Need to get landowner approval
 - iii. Get estimate for beams/concrete and from Ben Hofer for possible installation.
 - iv. Jim motioned and Joey N Seconded

13. New Business

- a. Lisa F Milbank Show and Swap on May 30-June 1, tickets were 250.00 an includes primitive camping.
 i. Motion to donate 200.00: Duane S, Scott Malsom Seconded
- b. Jim F Child protection team looking for donation for Coins for Kids. Event on April 16th at City Light
 i. No action taken.
- c. Sunny P Discussion took place to pay for the Shed's associate membership and no action was taken.
- d. Reminder for Chase the Ace at Karen's Bar and Grill every Wednesday, drawing at 7PM.
- e. April is the Election of Officers.
- f. Treasurer Laptop needs to be replaced. Looking into costs for laptop including quickbooks. Casey will check on price of laptop with David Malsom.

Next Meeting: Wednesday April 3rd - (Last Meeting for the Season)

Location: Karen's Bar & Grill

Adjourn Meeting: 8:08 pm

Motion: Duane S Second: Kelly Weismantel