



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

7:30 pm Club Meeting / **Thursday, September 4th**  
City Lights Bar & Events Center

1. Meeting was called to order: 7:33 pm
2. Approval of April Meeting Minutes: Emailed out & loaded to the website (Action)  
Presented by Cassie Jager  
Motion: Al Nagel (slow mo) Second: Cheryl Gelling
3. Approval of August Financial Report: (Action)  
Presented by Lisa Friedt
  - Membership \$1713.16
  - Trail fund: \$23,269.70
  - CD 18 mo / (07/09/2024) \$10,158.18
  - CD (03/10/2024) \$10,158.18
  - CD 5 mo / (05/09/2024) \$11,174.00Motion: Kelly Weaver Second: Dan Beckler
4. Membership Report / Lisa Friedt
  - Current # Members: 12
  - Current # Associate Members: 3
5. SDSA District III Report / Lee Olson – Kelly Weaver
  - a. 2 fundraising tickets - given away at convention; might not have another Snocross in Deadwood after this year.
  - b. Membership award-
  - c. Governors Ride- Presidents Ride Saturday, February 14th- leave Hardy camp; Spearfish canyon is where they are meeting on Friday night
  - d. SDSA branded clothing line open Mid October
  - e. Convention in Rapid December
  - f. Host hospitality room in one room- Old bar in Ramkota
  - g. ISC- Omaha Nebraska in 2026
6. Advisory Report / (Al Nagel) -
  - a. Non resident fee- \$50 possibly for 2026-27 season
  - b. Tracking on GPS through a company from Colorado
  - c. Jody Moss is taking over for Diane Hiles for treasurer
  - d. Reroute issues around Rec Springs(Powder House Pass)- permanent easement
  - e. Logging issues

7. Trail Report / Jim Weaver –
  - a. Wet trail now, different signs(stay on shoulder, slow)
  - b. Groomer inspection 9.4.2025; everything good to go
  - c. Top off fuel at Columbia
8. YETI Report / (Contact Needed) –
  - a. 2 scholarships given out
9. Safety Report / (Contact Needed) –
  - a. Online safety course
  - b. 2026 International Snowmobile Safety Week January 10-18 2026

10. Charity Report / Lisa Friedt –
  - a. NA

11. Publicity & Social Media / Casey Weismantel –
  - a. Membership newsletter went out
  - b. Gun raffle for convention

## 12. Old Business

- a. **Sizzlin Summer Nights Car Show 2025:**
  - i. August 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025
  - ii. Recap: Rohrbach's were there with their snowmobiles; beautiful day for the event; 1 car short from last year
- b. **Fall Camp out**
  - Dates: Sept 12-13 (Birdhouse reserved for Saturday)
  - Bring a dish to pass for Friday and Saturday.
  - Any other discussion- Joey is doing pulled pork; possibly rent Birdhouse on Friday night
    - Friday night: 6:30 PM supper
    - Saturday: 5:00-6:00 PM supper
    - Go carts- 6:30-7:30 PM
      - All meals will be at the birdhouse(Lisa is checking on this)
      - Soft drinks, turkey, water will be provided from the club
- c. **NSU Homecoming Parade**
  - i. September 20th, 2025
  - ii. We have banners/flags to put on float
  - iii. Lisa Freidt to ensure we get signed up
  - iv. 9:00 AM start time
  - v. Contact for the NSU Homecoming Parade- Jim Weaver
  - vi. Using the groomer & blade
- d. **Sno Plainsman Articles** (Members to sign up)  
 Please submit article to Mary Anne Grabow, Editor/Publisher [sdsa@itcel.com](mailto:sdsa@itcel.com)  
 Mary Anne asked articles to be submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month.

September Article – Due mid-August – Weismantel's - Done

October Article – Due mid-September – Malsam's

November Article – Due mid-October – Ann Nagel

December Article – Due mid-November – Weismantel  
January Article – Due mid-December – Olson/Gelling/Jager  
February Article – Due mid-January – Kelly Weaver  
March Article – Due mid-February – Malsam’s  
April Article – Due mid-March – Weismantel’s

**e. Any other OLD Business?**

- NA

**13. New Business**

**a. 2026 Aberdeen Convention Corner –**

- Updates-** December 3-5 Best Western Aberdeen
- Unable to use Safe Harbor tables; can use Shrine
- Rob Carol to see what he charges for DJ services
- Cintricity or Dominant 7
- Gun Raffle Ticket Sales- keep selling these
- Vikings Bag email

**b. 2025 International Snowmobile Day – October 2025?**

Any new Ideas?

- Ken’s Super Fair Foods Parking Lot – Same format as last year.
- Increase participation
- Have an area for “sleds for sale”

**c. Aberdeen Drift Buster Snowmobile Club Auto Window and Snowmobile Decal**

- \$10.00 per set

**Next Meeting: October 2, 2025**

Possible Location: Pizza Ranch

Adjourn Meeting: 7:30 pm

Adjourned: 8:40 pm

Motion: Michele Malsam

Second: Lance Tietz



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

7:30 pm Club Meeting / **Thursday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>**

Pizza Ranch

1. Meeting was called to order: 7:33pm
2. Approval of September Meeting Minutes: Emailed out & loaded to the website (Action)

Motion: Casey Weismantel

Second: Dan Rohrbach

3. Approval of September Financial Report: / Lisa Friedt (Action)
  - Membership \$3,470.32
  - Checking \$22,877.27
  - CD 18 mo / (07/09/2024) \$10,190.53
  - CD (03/10/2024) \$10,190.53
  - CD 5 mo / (05/09/2024) \$11,209.59

Membership Report / Lisa Friedt

- Current # Members: 47
- Current # Associate Members: 8

Presented by Lisa Friedt

Motion: Kelly Weaver

Second: Cheryl Gelling

4. SDSA District III Report / Lee Olson –
  - a. As a club we should start thinking about nominations for snowmobiler of the year awards as nominations are due in November. New category for Dealer of the Year. To be considered for the award, the nominees should be present at Convention. Nomination forms are available on SDSA website, as are convention registration forms.

The state did enter a contract with consultants to do mobile surveying to look at trail usage in the Black Hills area using cell phone data. This will help determine how many non-SD residents are utilizing the trail system.

New at Convention this year, an auction is being established with all funds going to snowmobilers for snowmobilers.



5. Advisory Report / (Contact Needed) -
  - a. No new report currently
  
6. Trail Report / Jim Weaver –
  - a. If signs are needed for marking trails, please let Jim Weaver know as trails can go in beginning November 1st. Reach out to landowners to let them know when they will be marked as a courtesy. SnoCat had some issues including a faulty brake line. It was repaired in time for the parade.
  
7. YETI Report / (Contact Needed) –
  - a. National YETI ride in Yellowstone. If anyone is interested, please let Kelly Weaver know for additional contact information. This event will be in February.
  
8. Safety Report / (Contact Needed) –
  - a. No new report currently. Discussion: Is it time for us to start offering the online safety course in person again? Not many are taking advantage of the online option currently. Advertise in next newsletter and put out sign-up sheet at show-and-shine to determine interest.
  
9. Charity Report / Lisa Friedt –
  - a. Make sure everyone is documenting volunteer hours, especially as people are starting to mark trails. Convention planning hours can also be included.
  
10. Publicity & Social Media / Casey Weismantel –
  - a. Nothing new to report.
  
- 11. Old Business**
  - a. Fall Camp out**
    - Recap
  
    - Discussion on Thunder Road Go Karts (Tickets verses Rental) - Would it be cheaper/more economical to buy complimentary tickets for those who would want to ride. It probably would be. Will look at options next year, may depend upon hours Thunder Road is open during that time.



**b. NSU Homecoming Parade**

- i. Went well, first year with the SnoCat and drag in the Parade also had truck/trailer with snowmobiles throwing candy. 4 boxes of candy were about right. It seemed to get the crowds attention. Will plan on doing it again next year.

**c. Sno Plainsman Articles (Members to sign up)**

Please submit article to Mary Anne Grabow, Editor/Publisher [sdsa@itcel.com](mailto:sdsa@itcel.com)  
Mary Anne asked articles to be submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month.

September Article – Due mid-August – Weismantel’s - Done  
October Article – Due mid-September – Malsam’s - Done  
November Article – Due mid-October – Nagel’s - Due  
December Article – Due mid-November – Weismantel’s  
January Article – Due mid-December – Olson / Gelling / Jager  
February Article – Due mid-January – Weaver’s  
March Article – Due mid-February – Malsam’s  
April Article – Due mid-March – Weismantel’s

**d. Any other OLD Business?**

- 

**12. New Business**

**a. 2026 Aberdeen Convention Corner – (Quick Updates)**

- i. **Forms are being created. Theme, dates, and location has been selected. More details to come.**
- ii. **Gun Raffle Ticket Sales – Tickets to turn in / Tickets to check out**

**b. 2025 International Snowmobile Day Show, Shine, & Sell Event – October 25, 2025**

Any new Ideas?

- i. Ken’s Super Fair Foods Parking Lot – Same format as last year. (Confirmed)
- ii. Set up at 10:00am – Event from 11:00-3:00
- iii. Kevin said we could use the lunch shack – Need to remind
- iv. Switching to BBQ instead of hotdogs
- v. Get the word out to increase participation
- vi. Have an area for “sleds for sale”
- vii. Pay to boost the event on social media? (\$20-\$50)

**c. Aberdeen Drift Buster Snowmobile Club Auto Window and Snowmobile Decal**

- i. \$10.00 per set / Contact Casey



**Next Meeting: November 6, 2025**

Possible Location: Allevery Entertainment

Adjourn Meeting: 8:09pm

Motion: Casey Weismantel

Second: Cheryl Gelling

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

7:30 pm Club Meeting / Thursday, November 6<sup>th</sup>

Alleivity Entertainment

1) Meeting called to order at: 7:44 PM

2) Approval of October Meeting Minutes – **(Action)**

Presented by Cassie Jager

Motion: Kelly Weismantel

Second: Kelly Weaver

3) Approval of October Financials & Membership Report – **(Action)**

Presented by Lisa Friedt

- a. Membership \$ 2527.09
- b. Checking \$ 21633.04
- c. CD 18mo / (07/09/2024) \$10,000
- d. CD (03/10/2024) \$10,000
- e. CD 5 mo / (05/09/2024) \$11,000
  
- f. Current # Members: 58
- g. Current # Associate Members: 10

Motion: Casey Weismantel

Second: Lance Tietz

4) SDSA District III Report – Lee Olson

- a. Convention in Rapid
- b. Benefit for snowmobilers for snowmobilers

5) Advisory Report / Contact Needed

6) Trail Report – Jim Weaver

- a. Trail that goes to Columbia is no longer happening this year; Frederick to ND border (7 miles); Need a warming hut on the SD side (cost \$12,000- deposit can be refundable if decided not to buy it); need a out of state use permit
  - i. Motion: Jim Friedt      Second: Duane Sutton
  - ii. Motion for excessive diesel- Mike Cutler for \$2.00 per gallon
    - 1. Motion: Jim Weaver      Second: Duane Sutton
  - iii. Trail map will have a Warming symbol next year; missed this year

- 7) YETI Report / Contact Needed
  - a. Zoom meeting on Sunday at 9:00 PM
  - b. Youth ride on West Yellowstone
  
- 8) Safety Report / Contact Needed
  - a. None
  
- 9) Charity Report – Lisa Friedt
  - a. Volunteer for convention
  
- 10) Publicity & Social Media – Casey Weismantel
  - a. None
  
- 11) Old Business
  - a. Sno Plainsman Article (Members Sign Up)

Please submit article to Mary Anne Grabow, Editor/Publisher [sdsa@itcel.com](mailto:sdsa@itcel.com)  
 Mary Anne asked articles to be submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month.

~~September Article – Due mid-August – Weismantel’s – Done~~  
 October Article – **Due September 1st** – Malsam’s - Done  
 November Article – **Due October 1st** – Nagel’s - Done  
 December Article – **Due November 1st** – Weismantel’s - Done  
**January Article – Due December 1st – Justin Jager**  
 February Article – **Due January 1st** – Weaver’s  
 March Article – **Due February 1st** – Malsam’s  
 April Article – **Due March 1st** – Weismantel’s

- b. International Snowmobile Day Show, Shine, and Sell Event
  - i. Event cancelled due to lack of sleds for the event
  - ii. Too much work for very little participation
  
- c. Snowmobile Safety Course
  - i. Promoted in First Tracks Newsletter, Social Media, and Website
  - ii. Sign-ups and interest
  
- d. Any other old business?

## 12) New Business

- a. Special Guest – **Ryan Raynor** with South Dakota Game Fish and Parks
  - i. Welcome!
    1. Advisory board met for non resident permit (\$50) - motion at the August meeting
    2. Survey to figure out how many out of state visitors use the trail (study for 2022-2023; 2024-25; 2025-2026)
    3. Economic impact study
  - b.
- c. Dakota Midland Trail – Rework and Conversion
  - i. Let go of the trail to Columbia with closure of Karen’s Bar & Grill
  - ii. What to do with equipment and diesel?
    1. Sell to Mike Cutler for \$2.00 per gallon  
Motion: Jim Weaver Second: Duane Sutton
  - iii. Potentially expand the trail to Frederick and to ND Border –  
**(Discussion / Action)**  
Motion: Second:
    - iv. Need to make sure THE SHED is an Associate Member
    - v. Looking to invest in a warming house up by Frederick
      1. Cost of potential warming house – **(Discussion / Action)**  
Motion: Jim Friedt Second: Duane Sutton
- d. Richmond Oasis – Membership Trade for Groomer –  
**(Discussion / Action)**  
Motion: Kelly Weaver Second: Dallman
- e. Any other new business?

## 13) Convention Corner – Quick Update

- a. Aberdeen Drift Busters Snowmobile Club Gun Raffle Tickets – Sell, Sell
- b. Snowmobiler of the Year Nominations: <https://snowmobilesd.com/forms/>
  - i. Man: Jim Friedt
  - ii. Woman: Lisa Friedt
  - iii. Family:
  - iv. Groomer: Jim Weaver
  - v. Youth:
  - vi. Associate Dealer:
    1. Nominations are due November 15th

- c. 2026 Convention Hospitality & Promotional Materials
  - i. Moonshine donations
  - ii. Tickets to advertise for 2026 convention
  - iii. 2026 Aberdeen SDSA Convention Password Coins

1. Date on one side; password on the back

**14) Next Meeting: December 4<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 7:30 PM**

- a. Possible Location: Karen's Bar & Grill

15) Meeting Adjourn: 8:59 pm

Motion: Casey Weismantel                      Second: Jim Friedt



- a. Radar run- not enough snow – Beckler is going to get permission and we will set a date once there is enough snow
- b. December 20th- possibly group ride; watch facebook page

11) Old Business

- a. Sno Plainsman Article (Members Sign Up)

Please submit article to Mary Anne Grabow, Editor/Publisher [sdsa@itcel.com](mailto:sdsa@itcel.com)

Mary Anne asked articles to be submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month.

October Article – Due September 1st – Malsam’s - Done  
 November Article – Due October 1st – Nagel’s - Done  
 December Article – Due November 1st – Weismantel’s - Done  
 January Article – Due December 1st – Jager - Done  
 February Article – Due January 1st – Weaver’s  
 March Article – Due February 1st – Malsam’s  
 April Article – Due March 1st – Weismantel’s

- b. Any other old business?

12) New Business

- a. Dakota Midland Trail – Rework and Conversion

- i. Updates on the project?

- ii. Warming house has been placed up by Frederick

- 1. We will bring on Athem Oats – Taylor Sumption as an Associate Member for the Club (No Charge for hosting the warming house.) – **(Action)**

- a. Motion Duane Sutton Second Michele Malsam

- iii. Status update on bringing on The SHED as an Associate Member?

- 1. Tabled for next meeting

- b. Any other new business?

- i. Club fund only has \$1500; do we trade in part of the CD or pull from the trail fund??

- 1. CD penalty would be around \$30 for cashing in early; wait until they mature in June and pull from then

13) Convention Corner – Quick Update

- a. Aberdeen Drift Busters Snowmobile Club Gun Raffle Tickets – Sell, Sell
- b. Registration, vendor and donation forms available on the website

**14) Next Meeting: January 8th, 2026**

- a. Possible Location:  
Richmond Oasis

15) Meeting Adjourn: 8:01 pm

Motion: Justin Jager

Second: David Beckler



- 10) Publicity & Social Media – Casey Weismantel
  - a. 2 guys came from Mobridge to start a club
  - b. Poker run was cancelled due to lack of support

- 11) Old Business
  - a. Sno Plainsman Article

Please submit article to Mary Anne Grabow, Editor/Publisher [sdsa@itcel.com](mailto:sdsa@itcel.com)  
Mary Anne asked articles to be submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month.

February Article – Due January 1st – Weaver’s - Done  
March Article – Due February 1st – Malsam’s  
April Article – Due March 1st – Weismantel’s

- b. Any other old business?**
  - i. SDSA gun raffle will be sold at Governors Ride

## 12) New Business

- a. Passing of Dennis Gelling
  - i. Sent a bouquet to the family
- b. 2025 SDSA Convention Update
  - i. Largest Club of the Year – Aberdeen Drift Busters
  - ii. Groomer of the Year – Jim Weaver
  - iii. 2025 Convention Updates – Anything we can improve on for 2026?
    1. Everybody stayed for dueling pianos
    2. Dressed up in the hospitality room
    3. Mobile game trailer; vendors; more fun things than education
    4. Silent auction- used alias; you didn’t know who was bidding against you
    5. Raised \$9300 on auction; around \$15,000 for silent auction
    6. Vendor that was there said he would consider coming to convention in December to Aberdeen– NEED to add him to list for vendors to call
- c. Emergency Management Team Contacts for 2025/2026
  - i. Need to update contacts – Scott Meints
    1. Need someone for SE
- d. December 20<sup>th</sup> Poker Chip Run

Recap – Cancelled due to lack of support

- e. Dakota Midland Trail – Rework and Conversion
  - i. Updates on the project?
  - ii. Warming house has been placed by Frederick
  - iii. Signage created
    - 1. Elm Lake asked about adding a trail to them
- f. **Any other new business?**
  - i. IHC is in Nebraska for June 3-6 2026; in 2028 it will be in Rapid

13) Convention Corner – Quick Update

- a. Aberdeen Drift Busters Snowmobile Club Gun Raffle Tickets – Sell, Sell-sold 61 tickets at convention in Rapid
- b. Registration, vendor and donation form available on the website
- c. Now that the 2025 SDSA Convention is behind us, we will start meeting for the 2026 SDSA Convention in Aberdeen
  - i. Next convention meeting date: Tues, Feb 3rd at 6:30 PM?

**14) Next Meeting: Thursday, February 5th**

- a. Possible Location:  
The Crossing Bar or THE SHED- Casey will check on these locations and see who is available

Meeting Adjourn: 8:04 pm

Motion: David Beckler



## 11) Old Business

- a. Sno Plainsman Article

Please submit article to Mary Anne Grabow, Editor/Publisher [sdsa@itcel.com](mailto:sdsa@itcel.com)

Mary Anne asked articles to be submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month.

March Article – Due February 1st – Malsam's - Done

April Article – Due March 1st – Weismantel's

**\*Convention Advertising will be submitted monthly to SDSA on behalf of the 2026 Convention in Aberdeen.**

- b. **Any other old business? – SDSA Gun raffle not sold out. Contact Kelly Weaver if interested.**

## 12) New Business

- a. Passing of Gina Thorne – Card was sent along with donation to the Humane Society.
- b. Dakota Midland Trail – Any updates? – None – Still working on mapping out the route to Elm Lake.
- c. Absent Members from the Aberdeen Drift Busters – See handout
- d. **(Prepare) Open Officers / Board Members Needed: (Elect in April)**
  - i. **President:** Justin Jager
  - ii. **Vice President:** Open
  - iii. **Treasurer:** Lisa Friedt
  - iv. **Secretary:** Cassie Jager
  - v. **Board Position – Open (2025-2027):** Jim Friedt
  - vi. **Board Position – Open (2025-2027):** Lance Teitz
  - vii. **Casey Weismantel – Term ends April 2026 (Contact Needed)**
  - viii. **AJ Alan Jensen – Term ends April 2026 (Contact Needed)**
  - ix. **Past President:** Scott Malsom

These will need to be voted on at the April Meeting.

- e. **Gypsy Days Parade – September 26th**
  - i. Float in the Parade? – Club says Yes.
- f. **Sizzlin Summer Nights Car Show – August 22th**
  - i. Booth at the Car Show? – Club says Yes.
  - ii. Sell Raffle Tickets and promote the convention in Aberdeen

- g. **Any other new business?** – Wanda Gelling sent \$50.00 as a memorial for Dennis Gelling.
  - i. **Campout** – Registration Came for the Birdhouse, do we want to use this. (YES) This will need to registered and paid for by March 6<sup>th</sup>.
    - 1. Voted to not do Go Karts this year but instead do a vehicle/UTV poker run for out supporting associate members.

13) Convention Corner – Quick Update

- a. Aberdeen Drift Busters Snowmobile Club Gun Raffle Tickets – Sell, Sell
- b. Registration, vendor and donation form available on the website
- c. Secure donations, sponsorships, vendors, and help spread the word!

**14) Next Meeting: March 5th**

- a. Possible Location:  
The Crossing Bar

Meeting Adjourn: 8:43pm

Motion: Duane Sutton



10) Publicity & Social Media – Casey Weismantel– nothing at this time

11) Old Business

a. Sno Plainsman Article

Please submit article to Mary Anne Grabow, Editor/Publisher [sdsa@itcel.com](mailto:sdsa@itcel.com)

Mary Anne asked articles to be submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month.

April Article – Due March 1st – Weismantel's - Done

\*Convention Advertising will be submitted monthly to SDSA on behalf of the 2026 Convention in Aberdeen.

b. Any other old business? – campout - Birdhouse booked for Saturday, September 12th;

i. Poker run/atv in the afternoon and skip go carts

12) New Business

a. (Prepare) Open Officers / Board Members Needed: (Elect in April)

i. President: Justin Jager

ii. Vice President: Open (Jim, Casey, Lance?)

iii. Treasurer: Lisa Friedt

iv. Secretary: Cassie Jager

v. Board Position – (2025-2027): Jim Friedt

vi. Board Position – (2025-2027): Lance Tietz

vii. Casey Weismantel – Term ends April 2026 (Contact Needed)- David Beckler?

viii. AJ Alan Jensen – Term ends April 2026 (Contact Needed) –Matt Olson?

ix. Past President: Scott Malsom

These will need to be voted on at the April Meeting.

b. Members Steak / Hamburger Feed & Social Event –

Elks Lodge – Date needed / Have some games and such to play?

(Small turkey shoot/casino night social?)

i. check on Saturdays in April & May; turkey shoot - do turkey/ham; gun raffle card game

c. Any other new business?

13) Convention Corner – Quick Update

a. Next meeting is April 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm

(Notice given on Facebook, website, and email newsletters)

b. Aberdeen Drift Busters Snowmobile Club Gun Raffle Tickets – Sell, Sell

- c. Registration, vendor and donation forms being completed- safety training with Mike Duffy - offers avalanche 1 class; open it to the public(charge for people that are not members); will get cost- was available on Dec. 5th; apply for a grant
- d. Secure donations, sponsorships, vendors, and help spread the word!

14) Next Meeting: April 2nd

- a. Possible Location:  
Allevery - next Pizza Ranch  
Meeting Adjourn: 8:25 pm

Motion: Justin Jager

Second: Matt Olson

7:30 pm Club Meeting / Thursday, April 2nd  
Allevery Entertainment

- 1) Meeting called to order at: 7:47 pm
- 2) Approval of March Meeting Minutes – (Action)  
Loaded to the website and emailed out prior to meeting  
  
Motion: Justin Jager                      Second: Jim Friedt
- 3) Approval of March Financials & Membership Report – (Action)  
Presented by Lisa Friedt
  - a. Membership \$1174.74
  - b. Trail fund \$14, 384.10
  - c. CD 18mo / (07/09/2024) \$10,381.51
  - d. CD (03/10/2024) \$10,381.51
  - e. CD 5 mo / (05/09/2024) \$11,419.67 \*all mature 6/17/2026–
    - i. cash out \$11,419.67  
Motion: Jim Weaver                      Second: David Beckler
  - f. Gun Sales / Savings \$2,476.65
  - g. Current # Members: 80
  - h. Current # Associate Members: 17  
Motion: Jim Weaver                      Second: David Beckler
- 4) SDSA District III Report – Lee Olson
- 5) Advisory Report / Contact Needed - May 16th in Pierre
- 6) Trail Report – Jim Weaver- signs out of the ground in April; new proposal for trail- 96 miles; move gas tank from Columbia to Elm Lake if possible; motion to move forward with the trail addition to Elm Lake  
  
Motion: Scott Malsom                      Second: Jim
- 7) YETI Report / Contact Needed
- 8) Safety Report / Contact Needed
- 9) Charity Report – Lisa Friedt
- 10) Publicity & Social Media – Casey Weismantel

## 11) Old Business

### a. Sno Plainsman Article

Please submit article to Mary Anne Grabow, Editor/Publisher [sdsa@itcel.com](mailto:sdsa@itcel.com)  
Mary Anne asked articles to be submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month.

April 2026 Article – Due before March 1st – Weismantel - Done

### **2026/2027 Season** – (Members to sign up)

September 2026 Article – Due before August 1<sup>st</sup> – Weismantel

October 2026 Article – Due before September 1st – Weismantel

November 2026 Article – Due before October 1st – Weaver

December 2026 Article – Due before November 1st – Weismantel

January 2027 Article – Due before December 1st – Weismantel

February 2027 Article – Due before January 1st – Jager

March 2027 Article – Due before February 1st – Malsom

April 2027 Article – Due before March 1st – Weismantel

\*Convention Advertising will be submitted monthly to SDSA on behalf of the 2026 Convention in Aberdeen.

### b. Any other old business?

## 12) New Business

### a. Open Officers / Board Members Needed: (Elect in April)

- i. President: Justin Jager
- ii. Vice President: **James Friedt**
- iii. Treasurer: Lisa Friedt
- iv. Secretary: Cassie Jager
- v. Board Position – (2025-2027): Sheena Rohrbach
- vi. Board Position – (2025-2027): Lance Tietz
- vii. Casey Weismantel – Term ends April 2026 (Contact Needed) **David Beckler**
- viii. AJ Alan Jensen – Term ends April 2026 (Contact Needed) **Matt Olson**
- ix. Past President: Scott Malsom

Motion: Jim Weaver

Second: Casey Weismantel

- b. Any other new business?

### 13) Upcoming Events –

- a. SDSA Convention Meeting – April 9<sup>th</sup>
  - i. 6:30pm – Aberdeen Area CVB Conference Room
  - ii. 506 S Main Street – All are welcome!
  
- b. Members Steak / Hamburger Feed w/ turkey shoot casino games
  - i. April 25<sup>th</sup> at Aberdeen Elks Lodge
  - ii. Doors open at 5:00pm, dinner at 6:00pm followed by games
  - iii. Bring a dish to pass
    - a. Paddle wheel
    - b. Gun raffle
  
- c. Sizzlin Summer Night Car Show
  - i. August 22, 2026
  - ii. Drift Busters to have a booth – Casey & Kelly
  
- d. Aberdeen Drift Buster Campout
  - i. September 11-12 Wylie Park Campground
  - ii. Camping reservations are available until June 1<sup>st</sup>.
  - iii. Group code to make reservations: **driftbusters**
  - iv. Reservation information on the website under “events”
  - v. Poker Run – instead of go karts at Thunder Road, we will be hosting a Drift Buster Poker Run to all of our Associate Members that host our meetings. More information to follow. **Do poker run in the afternoon.**
  
- e. NSU Gypsy Days Parade
  - i. September 26, 2026
  - ii. Aberdeen Drift Busters to have a float
  - iii. Who can help decorate and participate?
    - 1. Jim and Scott decorate
  
- f. Any other events we need to discuss?
  - i. International Snowmobile Day –
  - ii. Aberdeen Parade of Lights -

14) Convention Corner – Quick Update

- a. Next meeting is April 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm  
(Notice given on Facebook, website, and email newsletters)
- b. Aberdeen Drift Busters Snowmobile Club Gun Raffle Tickets – Sell, Sell
- c. Registration, vendor and donation forms being completed
- d. Secure donations, sponsorships, vendors, and help spread the word!

15) Next Meeting: September 3rd-

- a. Possible Location:  
Pizza Ranch  
Meeting Adjourn: 8:35 pm

Motion: David Beckler

Second: Jim Weaver