

FUNDY SHOOTING SPORTS INC.

Minutes of Meeting August 13, 2019

Meeting Called To Order at: 7:00 p.m.

Adoption of minutes of meeting of July 9, 2019

Moved by Dave Anderson, seconded by Steve Wilbur

Treasurer's Report:

The Treasurer reported to those in attendance.

Old Business

- Dave Greene said that so far only 9 members have volunteered to assist with the Scout event in September; at least 15 are needed, 20 would be better. We still are looking for scoped .22 caliber rifles to use as well.
- Bill Nason said he still had 500 rounds of Winchester 115 grain 9 mm for sale.

New Business

- Dave Greene said an erosion fix for the 25/50 yard berm back edge had been found. A retaining wall will be built using large concrete blocks from Strescon. After Dave asked Mr. John Irving if he could assist the club on pricing he advised Dave that he would donate the blocks; many thanks for his continuing support and generosity. Construction will take approximately 3 days and members will be advised when this takes place. The berm will then be covered with geojute netting as on the 100 yard berm to promote grass growth.
- Dave Greene said the bank statement for July had been received and balanced. We have received 75% of our grant from the NBWTF for our Scout event, the balance will be provided after the event when we submit receipts. Shotgun hulls are still being found on the 25/50 yard range, this is against club rules as the range is only rated for slugs. Jody Waring asked Dave to clarify that the military rifle shoot he was organizing for August 17 was open to any style of service rifle, be it bolt action, semi auto, iron sighted or scoped. By pre registering, Jody will match competitors with other members using like equipment to ensure a level field of play. Shotgun shells have been received so contact Dave to pick up your order. There are recycle bins in the main seacan, please use them instead of throwing cans and bottles in the trash bags. Someone still hasn't gotten the message that clays are not to be put on the top rail of the 100 yard target stands – this causes needless damage to range equipment.
- Dave Greene said the Dana Russell Memorial Shotgun Shoot would be taking place at the range September 14th. Total cost is \$60; pre registration is required (\$20) with the balance (\$40) due on shoot day. Draw prize is a Stevens 555 Over/Under shotgun. First shots are at 9:00 am, contact Dave to register.
- Bill Nason said a new member was observed deliberately damaging the road by doing a spin out by the second gate, causing large ruts. When confronted the member had no response for his actions. A letter of reprimand was sent by registered mail. Many in attendance thought he should have been banned for showing zero respect for the property and contempt for all the work put in by responsible members on maintaining the range.
- Bill Nason announced that Austin MacPhee, long time president of the Hampton club, had recently passed away at the age of 66. As per his wishes his death was not announced nor was there any ceremony held. Bill said a group of members at our range had a moment of silence in his honour. Austin was a well regarded and dedicated member of the firearms community and will be missed.
- Bill Nason asked new members to remain after the meeting for range safety orientation.

Motion to adjourn by Wayne Johnson at 7:35 p.m.

Next Meeting at 7:00 p.m. September 10, 2019

Bill Nason, PRESIDENT

Robert G. Roy, SECRETARY