

## FUNDY SHOOTING SPORTS INC.

Minutes of Meeting May 14, 2019

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

Adoption of minutes of meeting of April 9, 2019

Moved by Dave Anderson, seconded by Dick Platt

Treasurer's Report:

The Treasurer reported to those in attendance.

Old Business

- Dave Greene said that the guest waiver forms are being well used with 35 completed so far this year. Member Roy Byers is currently auditing our financial statements for 2018 and will report back with his findings when complete. Range clean up day was postponed to May 1<sup>st</sup> due to the terrible weather this spring. Many thanks to the 16 members who came out in the middle of the week to address most of the items on our action list and tidy up for Open Range day. On May 4<sup>th</sup> the Open Range event took place with 71 guest shooters, and 25 club members volunteering their time so the event could take place. Funds earned will be given to the Joshua Group. Feedback received was very positive with the shoot being seen as well organized and run. Again we wish to thank those club members who gave up their day to make this all happen. We have received an acknowledgement letter from NBWTF for a grant application with project review slated for June. We have received a cheque for \$100 from the RNBRA for youth shoot funding.

New Business

- Dave Greene said the bank statement for April has been received and balanced. We received a thank you letter from the River Valley Volunteer Hunter Education Association for our donation that will allow 15 students to take the course at no charge. Costs to produce club hats have increased to \$15.95 so we will now sell the hats at \$18. Special thanks to member Laval Roy for collecting and removing all the scrap metal at the range work detail; he hauled it away to the recycler. A 12" culvert has been purchased and installed on the roadway at the base of the hill in an attempt to correct the water flow and ice buildup in this area during the winter. A letter was read from Linda Tibbetts thanking the club for time and effort spent on hosting the Youth Shoots and presented some suggestions for improvement such as: Keep a record of main prize winners to prevent an individual winning two years in a row, perhaps have a 5 year draw exclusion; have 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place prizes of modest cost to help encourage more children to come out and shoot again; for participation prizes perhaps try movie or fast food gift certificates, water bottles, flashlights, etc. Members joined in the discussion regarding attendance numbers, possibility of opening event to non-members, etc. Another member asked if there was a particular type of crushed gravel that would resist washing away on the road.
- Bill Nason asked new members to remain after the meeting for range safety orientation.

Motion to adjourn by Phil Armstrong at 7:30 p.m.

Next Meeting at 7:00 p.m. June 11, 2019

Bill Nason, PRESIDENT

Robert G. Roy, SECRETARY