

FUNDY SHOOTING SPORTS INC.

Minutes of Meeting October 13, 2020

Meeting Called To Order at: 7:05 p.m.

Adoption of minutes of meeting of March 10, 2020

Moved by Peter Harding, seconded by Dick Platt

Treasurer's Report:

The Treasurer reported to those in attendance.

Old Business

- None brought forward to the floor.

New Business

- Dave Greene reviewed club financials from March to the present and reminded members that the documents are available for review on request. Dave Greene said the bank statements from March to September have been received and balanced. We have received confirmation from the DNR that our club is registered for the transport of non-restricted firearms to and from the range and/or organized shoots throughout the province. Ensure you carry your membership card while doing so to avoid unnecessary legal problems. We have new style chamber flags available for \$2 and our match director Jody Waring has advised they will become mandatory at our shooting events. The New Brunswick Wildlife Trust Fund advised us that we were approved for a grant for our Scout Appreciation Day but unfortunately the shoot was cancelled at the request of the Scouts due to the Covid-19 pandemic. If we are unable to hold the event before May of next year we will have to return the funds. Many thanks to Thomas Alchorn for his hard work replacing the washed out culvert at the 100 yard range. A thank you letter was received from the family of Glen Ross for our memorial donation to the Joshua group. Our Visa account rewards were cashed in for three \$25 Canadian Tire gift cards which were given away as shoot prizes (2 for Action shoots & 1 for a shotgun shoot). We received a quote from the Estey Group to replenish our dwindling supply of club patches. It was decided the quote for 200 patches at \$3.75 each (\$805 taxes in) was the best choice; Dave Greene made a motion for the purchase, seconded by Dick Platt, motion carried unanimously. Our 100 yard accuracy challenge shoot proved very popular, especially the electronic shot marker system; the executive team decided to purchase a unit. Club emails continue to have a poor opening rate of only 47% - members are reminded that these emails have important information regarding range closures, etc. and should be read. The clay shooting clinic held August 23rd was well attended with 18 members; more are planned for next year. 18 Wednesday night shotgun shoots took place over the summer with an average of 13 shooters per night completing 2.5 lines. The Dana Russell Memorial Shotgun Shoot had 20 participants and collected significant funds for the club. First place was Dave Greene with 84/100, second place was John Leonard with 82/100, third place was Stan McGrattan with 81/100. Dale Mills was high scoring junior with 49/100. Thank You letters were sent to our corporate sponsors Canadian Tire West, The Gun Dealer, Greco Pizza, Source Atlantic and the Estey Group for their generous donations. There are no firearm safety or hunter education courses scheduled at this time due to the pandemic. We plan to run a power extension to the main seacan sometime in the near future and will advise the membership by email as it will necessitate a day long range closure. 181 guests have attended the range so far this year. New Covid-19 safety measures have been instituted – no more than one person in the seacan at a time and masks are mandatory if sharing the firing line. Masks and hand sanitizer are available in the main seacan. Dick Platt suggested running underground wiring to the shotgun thrower bases to eliminate lugging batteries. Tye Barter said 120 VAC could be used with 12 volt supplies on the throwers. Dave reminded members of the upcoming 3 gun shoot on October 17th and the rimfire

speed steel challenge on the 31st – more information is available on the club website and the email that was sent out.

- Dave Greene asked new members to remain after the meeting for range safety orientation.

Motion to adjourn by Peter Harding at 7:30 p.m.

Next Meeting at 7:00 p.m. December 8, 2020

Bill Nason, PRESIDENT

Robert G. Roy, SECRETARY