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MINUTES – BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING – JANUARY 14, 2012

Meeting called to order by President Wayne Estes at 12:02 PM.

The president asked for a motion from the floor to appoint Curtis Geoghegan to the Board to fill the vacancy created when Carl King was elected as Secretary-Treasurer. Dan Braun made the motion. Kevin Steele made a second. Motion carried.

Minutes of the May 7, 2011 Board meeting were read and approved.

Treasurer's Report was made and a motion to approve was made by Steve Brandner. Motion was seconded by A.B. Conley. Motion carried.

OLD BUSINESS:

1. The Web site was discussed and the Board would like for Jeff Barker to keep it up.
2. There was discussion about the membership list and mailings to members. After several comments, a motion was made by Wayne Jenkins to only send out newsletters, etc. to those members whose dues have been paid in the last 5 years. (There are currently 125 life and regular members that have paid dues back to 2006. Of those 75 have email addresses so that means that there are 50 who will receive mailings.) Motion was seconded by A.B. Conley. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. 2012 May and October Interstate shoots were discussed.
 - *Charlie Wallingford talked about the brochure that will be done for the history of the shoot. It is envisioned to be a tri-fold brochure and approximate costs would be \$300 for 500 of them.
 - *Wayne talked to Mike Miller about the rifle that is being built for the 50th shoot and it is being worked on and he had spent \$450 on parts. Wayne asked that a check be sent to Mike to cover those expenses. Charlie Burton donated the barrel. The rifle is a Jacob Young style, 50 cal. Swamped barrel.
 - *Wayne asked Charlie Wallingford to take charge of the raffle for the rifle. It was agreed to have 2000 tickets made up, \$5 each or 5 for \$20.

*Wayne asked Dan Bates to get a cost for 2 dozen copies of the bound reprints of numerous 60's Muzzle Blasts articles. Many of which related to the early Interstate shoots.

*Curtis Geoghegan is working on the commemorative medallion for the shoot. The design will possibly incorporate the Ky. state outline and the Pa. keystone with additional wording about the 50th anniversary on the front and back. There will be a \$175 mold charge and a \$2.75 – 3.00 cost per medallion. They will be a pewter like material. Curtis Combs made a motion to approve a \$1000 budget for the medallions. Motion was seconded by Wayne Jenkins. Motion carried.

*Eligible shooters for the May 12th Interstate in PA were discussed. The KY 1st team at the October 2011 Interstate Shoot and the top ten shooters at the May 5, 2012 tryouts who are not already on last year's first team will be the shooters going to PA. Shooters will have to be in period dress and will shoot from bag and horn. Gus Petro is going to be working with contacts to try and secure some sponsorship and donations from private sources. A motion to reimburse each shooter on the 1st & 2nd teams, \$200 for motel and fuel expenses was made by Steve Brandner. Motion was seconded by Wayne Jenkins. Motion carried. The governor of PA is to be at the shoot and there will be a banquet Saturday evening after the shoot.

*The October 6th Interstate Shoot at Boonesborough was discussed. Randy Russell will be cooking a meal on Friday night with the PA crowd and again on Saturday after the shoot. . Brenda Wallingford has volunteered to help coordinate with the side dishes and desserts for the meal on Saturday. A.B. Conley and Harry Marsh will try to make arrangements for music on Friday and Saturday evening. Committees for the Fall Shoot are:
Grounds : Dan Braun and Co.

Sound: Jarrod Hall

Scripting, Emceeing: Wayne Estes, Charlie Wallingford, Don Blazer and Jim Fulmer

Scoring : Gus Petro

Range Officers: Steve Brandner

Color Guard: Ricky Prater

Merchandise: Dan Braun and Carl Gardner (FUZZY)

Targets: Dan Braun

Wayne brought up the idea of no spotting scopes out in the shooting area for this one time only. With the media coverage and the prestige of the 50th anniversary of the shoot, it would look so much better without the clutter of scopes and tripods out on the line. After some discussion, Danny Updike made a motion to not allow spotting scopes in the shooting area during the 25 & 50 yd. matches for 2012 only and there would be a 10 - 15 minute practice before 25 & 50 yd. targets. The motion was seconded by Ricky Prater. Motion carried.

2. 2012 KY Corps of Longriflemen Calendar of Events

- March 3rd - Hammer In at Randy Russell's

- May 5th - Spring Rendezvous and Interstate Team Tryout's and Auction – Morehead, KY

An invitation by Kentucky Log Files was made to host the Spring Rendezvous and Shoot. A.B. Conley made a motion to have the Spring Rendezvous and Tryout's at Morehead, KY. Motion was seconded by Dan Braun. Motion carried. Danny Updike made a motion to have an auction at the Spring Rendezvous. Motion seconded by A.B. Conley. Motion carried.

Something new for Spring Rendezvous ? Gun Display/ Plain, Fancy, etc Classes- Vote for your favorite in each class- \$1 per vote. Prizes for best in each class.

- May 12th – Spring Interstate Shoot – Pennsylvania
- July 14th – Kentucky Cup Match – Morehead, KY

- October 27th – Fall Rendezvous – Stoner Creek – Paris, KY

3. Events of Interest

- February 3rd – 4th - Bucksnot Trade Fair – Elizabethtown, KY
- March 30th – April 1st - Salt River Long Rifles Spring Rendezvous- Harrodsburg, KY
- May 26th-27th – Ft. Boonesborough Summer Trade Days
- May 30th – June 3rd - Bucksnot Spring Rendezvous – Elizabethtown, KY
- July 1st – SRLR Independence Open Shoot – Harrodsburg, KY
- August 25th – Fishing and Camping on Stoner Creek- Shoot your 2nd Tryouts – Paris, KY

DEADLINE FOR TRYOUT SCORES - SEPTEMBER 1

COMMITTEE REPORTS: None

NEW MEMBER:

David Carter having met the requirements, submitted his letter for membership. Motion to accept was made by Wayne Jenkins. Motion seconded by Kevin Steele. Motion carried.

OTHER

Mike Spenlau asked that all teams that have ever shot at the Interstate Shoot over the years be extended an invitation to come to Boonesborough for the 50th Shoot.

Curtis Combs raised the question about changing the allowable excuses (sickness, death in the family or work) for missing the Spring Tryout's. After some discussion, it was pointed out that in the by-laws (Article VIII ,section 3), the president can at his discretion allow an extension of 2 weeks for completing the tryout.

There being no further business to conduct nor any other discussion, a motion to adjourn was made by A.B. Conley. Seconded by Kevin Steele. Meeting Adjourned.

Submitted by Carl L. King – Secretary/Treasurer – January 15, 2012

2012 DUES ARE DUE NOW. PLEASE SEND THEM TO ME OR SEE ME AT AN EVENT TO KEEP YOUR NAME ACTIVE ON THE ROSTER