

Gate City Sport Shooting Association

Meeting Minutes

July 19, 2018

I. Call to order

Chuck Howell called to order the regular meeting of the Gate City Sport Shooting Association at 7:00 pm on July 19, 2018 at the Oregon Trail Shooting Range Larry Allenbaugh Clubhouse.

II. Attendance

The following persons were present: Chuck Howell (President), Denis Freudenthal (Treasurer), Earmal McKinley, Gordon Perry, Steve McClung, Jeff Houck, Charles Mahler, David Read, Richard Higashi, Ron Gill, and Cooper Bybee.

III. Approval of minutes from last meeting

Approval of the June meeting minutes was motioned, seconded, and unanimously approved.

IV. GCSSA finance update

Denis Freudenthal discussed the GCSSA financial transactions that have taken place since the June meeting.

V. Membership update

Earmal reported that distribution of new packets and the need for additional keys to build new packets. Difficulties with the record keeping at Sportsman's Warehouse resulting in a delay in payment.

VI. Shooting discipline reports

3-Gun had a good turnout. Rangers and Vaqueros both had shoots and good turnouts.

VII. Old Business (open issues)

a) Ongoing Range Projects

- The Hot/Cold Range system is in place and usable. Instructions will be posted and emailed to members.
- Need to purchase more carpet and glue, and then set a date for the work party. Some carpet will be glued down in the near future.
- Construction of Shade Structure has begun. Delivery of remaining materials to take place in July. Need to schedule a work party for completion.
- Wall Extension for Gulleyville was completed July 8th. Thanks to all who contributed.
- Wood chips, Kelly to spread and will level ground for the wall extension.
- Pothole filling – Chuck working to get this done. One hole has been filled.

- Eagle Scout project for gun racks has materials purchased and work as begun.
- b) Revision of GCSSA bylaws – Tabled for the full board to review prior to submitting to the membership for a vote
- c) Five-Year Plan – Richard Lopez will coordinate the collection of ideas. Email to members to be sent out to solicit ideas.
- d) BLM land purchase – the realtor has been contacted and will be working with BLM to initiate an evaluation.
- e) Pistols for Pets – good turn out with \$500 raised for the Bannock Animal Shelter. A handgun, several gift baskets and a custom cooler were given away.

VIII. New business

- a) Barbecue/Picnic – Unsure if there is enough interest to hold this event.
- b) Vests for Range Safety Officers. John Rook will look at cost to purchase safety vests so that RSOs can wear them while performing their duties at the range. Approval was given by the board to purchase the vests once a cost is determined.
- c) Request from the Portneuf Muzzle Loaders to use the range and club house on August 14 at 6 pm. Approval given.
- d) Metal poles installed in the 25 yard bay to replace the landscaping timbers that are being shot up. Additional poles ready to be placed at the 100-yard berm and the 100-yard bays.
- e) Hunter sight in day – Dates set for September 8, 9, 15 and 16. Need to establish times, volunteers for safety officers and check in process.

IX. Adjournment

Minutes submitted by: Chuck Howell

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