

Green Valley Sportsman's Club

General Meeting Minutes

March 9, 2023

Pledge: 7:00 PM

Board Attendees: Tony McClure, Don Spearing, Cal Roberts, Mike Wyckoff, Dan Charles, Tom Yost, Dan Grey, Dom Tarzia and Mike Sabat

Secretary's Report: Minutes from the February 2023 meeting was read by Mike Wyckoff. Motion was made and minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report: Cal Roberts provided the Treasurer's Report for the club. Treasurer's Report was approved.

Membership Report: Mike Wyckoff provided a membership report: 9 Board of Directors, 13 Reduced Rate Members and 290 Social Members for a total of 312 out of the 350 limit. We also have 35 Life Members, 4 Honorary and 3 Jr. for an additional 42 with total of 354.

One new Life Members was recognized. Dennis Heid has completed the requirements for Life Membership; 25 years as a member and 50 years of age.

Mike Wyckoff had 4 applications for Social membership: James Lewis, Jeremy Bess, Terry Phillips and Ray Atwell and 1 application for Junior membership from Franco Cervone. All applicants were present and received approval from the membership. All were welcomed as new members by the President. There will be an orientation for the new members at 9:30 on Saturday morning.

In County League news, Mike Sabat reported the summer Conservation Youth Camp is scheduled for July 23rd to the 29th. They are looking for counselors. The cost is \$250/child and the child must complete a Hunter Safety course before the camp starts. The club is sponsoring two children. If interested, send an email to gvsc101@gmail.com to get the process started. Also, on May 6th, there will be a Fishing Derby in Hopewell and the Youth Field Day in Midland is scheduled for July 15th.

Mike Sabat reported that Smallbore shooting is finishing up. Targets are being sent in for scoring.

Dan Grey reported that Youth Archery will be on the 2nd and 4th Saturdays of the month. We have bows in small, medium and large sizes and all children are welcome. The bows used are the same ones used in school Archery programs.

Dan Charles reported that Youth Shooting will be on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of the month and will continue through May.

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Hilde Varner and Donna McMullen talked about Ladies Night. They reported that the Ladies are learning about gun safety and use and are having fun in the classes.

Dan Charles covered Work Day items:

- Running electric line from Archery building to Pavilion
- Digging trench from Pavilion to lake for downspouts
- Replace screws on roof
- Split wood

The club will be having a First Aid/CPR/AED class on March 19th from 8:45 AM to 1:00 PM. The cost of the class is \$45. Anyone wanting to attend, send an email to gvsc101@gmail.com to get registered. So far, 18 people have signed up for the class.

Anyone wanting to order a Green Valley jacket, there is an information sheet in a folder on the desk you can take to Izzo's Embroidery in Eastvale and get your order processed.

Mike Wyckoff did the second reading of a change to the By-Laws. This change requires an applicant to attend a General Meeting with their sponsor. The sponsor must be a member for at least 1 year. The new member can bring family but not guests on the property until they have been a member for a year. The change was approved and the By-Laws will be updated.

Adrienne Cervone asked about using the Pavilion for family events. Tony McClure responded that was the main purpose for building it. Tables are being made for it and a grill will be installed. A Pig Roast is being planned for this summer with more details to follow. Once it is completed, reservations can be made by sending an email to gvsc101@gmail.com.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 7:32 PM.