NorthShore Sportsmen's Association 234 Whipple Rd., Bernhards Bay, NY 13028

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END OF YEAR REPORT

2024

list of Officers:

President: Charlie Gibbs / 1st VP: Harry Meneilly / 2nd VP: AJ Tennant

Secretary: Lynn Tennant / Treasurer: Natalie Hunter

3 yr Directors: Jim Brockett, Mark Brockett and Mary Meneilly

Alternate: Patricia J Abare

2 yr Directors: Mike Mattison, Aaron Look, Dan Buck

1 yr Directors: Terry Botz, Bonnie Gibbs, John Meneilly, jr

Membership Officer: Jim Allan

Web site: Mary Meneilly

MEMBERSHIP BREAKDOWN

----- ALL MEMBER

Full paying members Reg = (R)148 @ \$100 // Associates (A) 9 @ \$50

Seniors (S)27 @ \$50 (>65) 1959 + 5 years membership

Life $\underline{73}$ (L) \$ free (>70) 1954 + 5 years membership

NEW Members =

Wait list for 2025 = none

WORK DAYS = \$25 if at least one not done by Reg, Assoc, and Sr members

MEMBERS PASSING: none reported

CLUB USE: Spring Appreciation Day, graduation parties, member private parties, Cleveland Senior ladies' picnic, 2 weddings and Fall Feast.

FALL FEAST: September 14th 1-6pm with workdays Friday eve and day of feast. Co-Chairperson was Natalie Hunter / profit = \$641.66price: up to 6 free / 6-12 \$6.00 / 12 and up \$12.00 // Adults 115 and 5 Kids 50/50 = \$320.00 won by Juston Stewert

Annual fall raffle: Mark Brockett - profit, approximately \$4,000.00 Winners: Ted Hummel, Mary Meneilly, M. Basharb, Pete Lasurdo jr., and Ralph Connor.

Raffle table: Charlie and Bonnie Gibbs // Profit \$1360.00 / 50/50 = \$320.00 won by Juston Stewert / door prize = \$50

Chairman Building and Grounds Harry Meneilly: He and his helpers did a fantastic job on the fire pit structure and redesign, plus it was ready for fall feast. Two 18" culverts were placed on far side of pond. A new mower was purchased, also softwood timber was harvested.

AJ and Lynn Tennant worked with DEC Camp for kids. The Board of Directors discussed the possibility of checking out local camps for our kids to go to. Providing their teaching is relative to those we have been used to having for our kids to receive. The DEC camps this year had only 800 kids where they usually have 1400. There were only 3 camps open.

Terry Botz looked after the gun ranges and had for the most part favorable reports. He did say the rifle range shed needed to be stained again maybe at a workday? and asked for a new 15 foot hose.

Scholarship: Charlie and Committee reviewed the applications and chose Erin Retajczyk his plans being to attend Suny esf. Club gave him \$1000.00 (this being more than previous years because we did not send any kids to DEC camp).

Charlie also shared numerous reports of various Conservation and sports events in our area.

Envirothon winner was Oswego HS

Board of Directors meetings: Conducted by 2nd VP AJ Tennant. At the October meeting they mapped out the tentative schedule for next year's activities, approved and made minor changes including the Fall Feast. The topic of an insurance bonding for people handling money asking if it could be researched. The year's budget was presented, discussed and with minor changes it was approved. The camp for kids possibly attending a local camp was discussed. They also mentioned the possibility of reviewing the By-laws which has not been done since 2012 and there have been many changes and additions. Also discussed the bench in memory of James E Abare. The bench has been purchased and will be permanently placed in the spring. (as most of the members know, Jim was a member of the club

for 55 years. In those years he held many positions, President, Secretary, Board member and along with John Meneilly Sr instrumental in the building of our Clubhouse, Storage Shed and Pavilion.)

2025 Elections were held at the November, chairman regular meeting, with results, conducted by Mark Brocket.

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Also not on the ballot is Jim Allen, Membership Chairman.

And Mary Meneilly Club Website.

Respectfully submitted Patricia J Abare, BOD