

Mercer Area Sno-Goers Meeting & Elections
Great Northern March 1, 2017
Meeting called to order at 6:40 pm.

In Attendance:

Andy Smith	Carol Morden
Doug Westenberger	Jim & Kathy Storck
Mel & Julia Belt	Darrell Fohr
Jim & Kathy Hanneman	Jim & Lynn Langhoff – Beaver’s Resort
David McNutt	Eric Behnke – Great Northern
Kyle & Terri Dibelius – Johnny’s	Wayne & Missy Riebe - Gateway
Jeff Powers	Scott Beebe
Tom & Liz Renz	Wayne Renz
Rob & Pattie Coplin	Deb & Jim Minnis
Elmer Gosh	Shari Younger
Jim Schoenhard	Jack Gruenke
Pam & Gary Gallagher	Tammy and Jeff Rehberg
Brian Heleniak	Scott Klein
Tom Tesch	Paul McLennan

Secretary Report: Minutes stand as read

Treasurer Report: All bills paid to date. We owe \$12,000 on building. Motion to accept by Dave, Wayne 2nds.

Trail Boss:

- Brusher on this week to do brushing
- Snow Rabbit demo today for swamps, 4300 lbs
- Trails close April 1st
- Two fatalities this past week
- March 7th club ride – Hank will lead possibly on flowage
- Lynn and Jim Langhoff thank Brian and Jack for opening trail to Beavers Resort
- Brian @ Sunken Horse, Scott and Darrel picked up stakes on flowage. Jack picked up stakes on Lake of the Falls

Sign Master: Absent

PR:

- Dave says raffle sales are down this year due to lack of snow but should have enough to pay for sled
- Wayne thanked everyone for their help at the Winter Blast and breakfast fundraiser

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New Business:

- Groomer demo – groomed swamp behind Lazy Ace and didn't break through. There will be a board meeting to decide on Snow Rabbit. Italian made - \$95,000? Grants possible.
- AWSC convention March 24-26th. \$150/night for room, \$32 for banquet, \$15 registration. Dave motions for club to pay for two people to go. Wayne Renz seconds. Motion carries. If anyone is interested, talk to Darrel.
- Terri Dibelius wrote thank you letter to Lee Gleasman's family.
- Spring Banquet is March 15th. RSVP to Toni Sendra. Drivers and guest free.
- Carow Park thank you.
- Deb Minnis asks for scholarships. Brian motions to give two \$250 scholarships, Doug seconds. Motion carries.

Election results:

Vice President – Doug Westenberger

Secretary – Carol Morden

Trail Boss – Brian Heleniak

PR – Eric Behnke

Sign Master – Jeff Powers

2 year director (odd year) – Tom Renz

1 year director – Hank Joustra

Trail Administrator – David McNutt

Motion to adjourn meeting at 7:45 pm by Dave. 2nd by Mel.