

HOMEDALE ROD AND GUN CLUB

MINUTES FOR JANUARY 5, 2023

DALE TUSTISON OPENED THE MEETING AT 7:30 PM AT THE JADE GARDEN RESTAURANT

Pledge of Allegiance was said by all.

Meeting Minutes: Randy read the minutes. Minutes were moved, seconded and approved.

Financials: Bill read the Financials. He sent 349 email invoices on January 1st. By January 4th he had 69 payments. 108 were paid prior to the end of the year. Financials were accepted as read. Moved, seconded and approved.

OLD BUSINESS

Dales stated that our financials are in good shape. With Covid, the Club got behind on fixing things at the range.

Dale re-discussed the gravel issue. Currently we have 80 yards of gravel coming next week.

Continued gate problems. It has been about a year since someone broke into the range and damaged the gate. Sensors were damaged and are still needing to be fixed. They have been an intermittent problem. Also, the government has put new standards on gates. I.e., kids can't put their hands through it. The cost to fix and update the gate is approximately \$2,200. A bid is out.

Back to gravel. Dale wanted to reaffirm what has been discussed in the past regarding gravel. Is the Club okay if he gets us more than the 80 yards. Additionally, he would like to gravel the east side of the 300 yard range. That area is currently too soft. All said aye.

The shotgun range (which is currently being used only for trap shoot) is not being fully utilized. The Club spent a lot of money on the thrower and it would be great to see it being used more frequently. We also need someone to step up and help take care of the equipment.

Dale spoke about the tractor and a dragger situation. The current tractor is beyond economic repair. For the time being, the Club will need to rely on Dales skid steer and members tractors.

Steve brought up the reoccurring problem if you see someone doing something wrong, please call so they know.

NEW BUSINESS

Terry's RSO class had 8 students. It went well. He will probably hold another one in February.

The Gun Show is this weekend at the Ford Idaho Center at the Horse building.

New Topic: Dale informed the Club that the Homedale Police are using the range periodically. They have their own target frames which are in the lean-to.

Randy regarding the Gate: If you have issues with the gate, call Randy. Part of the problem is that the sensors are wireless and we have 2 sensors not working. The new sensors will be more robust. Members need to be sure that the gate closes before getting on Highway 95.

New Members: Three new members. They were moved, seconded, and accepted to the Club. New Members need to go through orientation with Phil.

No raffle drawing was done.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:10 pm.