La Pine Lodgepole Dodgers

Snowmobile Club Monthly Meeting

Tuesday, February 26, 2019

Meeting began at 7:00 PM (Minutes taken by Gayle Katter - Vice President)

Pledge of Allegiance

MINUTES

Gary Pankey (past President) led the meeting. He thanked the ladies of the Moose for the wonderful meal they served. He asked if there were any corrections to the last Club Meeting Minutes. Motion made by Larry Nickelson to approve the minutes; Mike McMillan seconded.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Mary Deeter presented the Treasurer's Report. Haysel Pankey made a motion to approve the Treasurer's Report; Larry Nickelson seconded.

TOPICS COVERED

<u>Candlelighters Outing</u> on Sunday, February 24 was a very successful event for the kids and their families. Ben Sunderland thanked all who participated. Along with snowmobile rides and lunch provided, kids and families enjoyed cross country skiing, dog sled rides, sledding and toasting s'mores as well as plenty of snow. A big thank you to Ben and Kay Sunderland for hosting this wonderful event for another year.

Haysel Pankey passed out <u>raffle tickets</u> for members to sell. Paulina Lodge donated \$400 worth of goods and services, and the club donated another \$100. Drawing will be held April 23 at the general meeting. Only 250 tickets are available for sale.

<u>Upcoming activities and rides</u>: Bend Snowbusters will be holding snowmobile drag races at Wanoga on Saturday, March 9 and vintage races on Sunday, March 10. On March 9 the Lodgepole Dodgers will be riding to Manleys: meet at Three Corners at 9 AM and ride at 10 AM.

Last Saturday, March 3, the <u>Jefferson snowmobile club</u> members were treated to a chili feed, cornbread and brownies at Ten Mile. A big thank you to Judy Bice for coordinating the effort. Because there were fewer members than anticipated, Jack Reynolds scoured the parking lot at Ten Mile for hungry snowmobilers, cross country skiers, etc.

There was discussion regarding <u>road plowing</u> up to Ten Mile. \$13,800 was allotted to plow this year and this amount has been used up. We have asked for more funds. John Spieger shared some "history" of county road plowing. Vic Russell has been dealing with equipment issues this winter.

Gary Pankey outlined the change that needs to be made to the <u>club by-laws</u> Article 3, Section 4 which states the "term of office is for two years from the year in which board members were elected and will begin on September 1^{st"}. Section 5: the last sentence reads "the election and installation of officers will be conducted at the general meeting in April". This means the new officers will take office immediately in April. Proposed change is Section 4, Paragraph 1 to delete the wording "and will begin on September 1^{st"}. A 30 day notice of this change to the membership needs to be made and will then be voted on at the April General Meeting on April 23.

<u>Selection of Officers</u>: A motion was made by Gary Pankey to appoint a committee of three club members who will nominate a President, Secretary, Treasurer and two board members. Jay Chappell seconded the motion. Mike McMillan, Dennis Wallan, and Cathy Wallan are interested in being nominees for officers.

Bob Keller thanked his dedicated team of <u>groomers</u> for all their hard work this season. New snow has been exciting for the groomers. Tom Deeter and Bob trimmed some downed trees to make the trails safer.

Gary Pankey shared a Good of the Order.

Meeting was adjourned at 7:20 PM.