

IOSCO SPORTSMEN'S CLUB – MEETING MINUTES FOR MEETING HELD ON AUGUST 7, 2024

1. Meeting called to order by President Jim Miller at 7pm
2. Pledge of Allegiance led by President Jim Miller
3. Roll Call:
 - Present were Jim Miller, John Williams, Cary Lichtman, Jeff Mather, Tom Majewski, Mark David, Dave Anderson, Mike Boughner, Mike Budnick, Jerry Dauterman, Mark Spencer.
 - Absent: Rich Laform (excused)
4. Motion by Mark David, 2nd by Mark Spencer, to approve the agenda. Motion Passed.
5. Motion by Mark David, 2nd by Dave Anderson, to approve the minutes for the July 3, 2024, meeting. Motion Passed.
6. General Announcements:
 - a. CPL Class on August 17th. Will be held at the Tawas Clubhouse and taught by Bob Mills.
7. Financial Report: Accepted as read.
8. Mail Call: Nothing to report.
9. Membership / Website Report: Current Membership count is at 375 members.
 - a. We have 4 new members to approve. They are Matt Bilinski, Walt Gibson, David Chacon & Alan Kushman.
 - b. Motion by Jeff Mather, 2nd by Tom Majewski, to approve the new members. Motion Passed.
10. Range Reports:
 - a. Tawas Range:
 - i. Sheriff Department used the Tawas Range
 - ii. Driveway repair continued by Dave Anderson getting gravel from John Henry again and Bob Mills used his tractor to spread it.
 - iii. Concrete forms are setup for the second pistol range. Bob Mills removed the grass with his tractor. Dan Von Maele, Andy Taber & Dale Bertch set up the forms.
 - iv. Dave Anderson is keeping the grass mowed.
 - v. The roof still needs repair over the women's bathroom.
 - vi. The sign at the road need repair or replacement.
 - vii. The Range is open to the public on Sundays from 12 to 5pm & Saturdays 1 to 5pm
 - b. Oscoda Range:
 - i. \$2985 was deposited last month from shooting activity at the range.
 - ii. The range has been slow overall but had a busy 4th of July weekend.
11. Old Business:
 - a. Dave Anderson had some of the hats made that were discussed at the July meeting. They cost Dave \$31 per hat. He is selling them for \$35 each and donating \$5 per hat to the club at a loss of \$1 per hat. Dave will continue to explore more cost-effective options.
 - b. Our case in the Small Claims Court was denied.
 - c. The pull behind mowers and the old riding mower with no deck was approved for sale at a total price of \$300 by an email vote of the board. They have not been picked up yet but will soon. We are also offering the snow blower, currently located inside the 100yd range at Oscoda, as part of the deal with no additional cost.
 - d. The bylaw review is being put off for another time.
 - e. Lawn mowing at Oscoda.

- i. We discussed the possibility of buying a used mower.
- ii. Mark David is mowing the 300 and 600yd ranges for now.
- iii. Rich and Jerry are mowing near the clubhouse, 100yd and pistol ranges.
- iv. Jim and Dale are mowing the shotgun ranges.

12. New Business:

- a. We would like road signs to point the way to the range at the intersection of Rea & Bissonette Rd. We would also like one at the intersection of F41 & Rea Rd. We are going to investigate the possibility of the county making and installing the signs at our expense.
- b. We have 2 quotes for security camera system upgrades in Oscoda. They are \$4k and \$17k. We discussed whether an upgrade is needed or not. Mike Boughner will contact Catch-it-Cams who installed the current system to get their input.
- c. Sight in Days. We discussed the possibility of not opening the Tawas Range for Sight in days or opening on a shortened schedule this year due to a lack of volunteers. We will look closer at this at the next meeting.
- d. A motion was made by Mark David, 2nd by Mike Budnick, to approve up to \$600 for concrete to complete the 2nd pistol range at Tawas. Motion Passed.

13. Comments:

- a. The archery range at Oscoda was discussed. It was proposed that we move it to the land between the clubhouse parking lot and the 300 yard range.
- b. The 600 yard range will be closed on 8-14-2024.

14. Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 7:54pm