

IOWA BLACK POWDER FEDERATION

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Match 16, 2019, 12:30 p.m.

Pleasant Hill Library

Minutes

Meeting was called to Order by Roger Eichelberger at 12:30 p.m. Board Members present: Roger Eichelberger, President, Tom Mowrer, Vice President, Norma Holcomb, Secretary-Treasurer, Bill Shipley, Leon Curran, Terry Kamstra, Richard Tibbetts, Jim "Pevine" Jaskoviak, Doc Zierke and Peter Sheets IBPF Webmaster. IBPF Members: Mike Podhajsky and Jack Patton.

Agenda was handed out. Norma Holcomb asked one more item of medals for the coming year be placed on the agenda. Tom Mowrer made motion to approve the agenda as written, seconded by Doc Zierke. Motion carried.

Minutes of November 2018 meeting was read. Tom Mowrer made motion minutes of previous meeting stand as read, seconded by Leon Curran. Motion carried.

Financial Report was given by Norma Holcomb. After discussion Jim Jaskoviak made motion financial report be approved, seconded by Doc Zierke. Motion carried.

MEDALS: Norma is in contact with Crown Awards regarding purchasing medals. We do not have enough match or aggregate medals on hand to get through this year. At our last meeting we discussed buying only enough for one year and then look into some other awards programs. After discussing cost Tom Mowrer made motion to purchase a one-year supply of aggregate medals and a three-year supply of match medals. Motion was seconded by Bill Shipley, Motion carried.

Tom Mowrer made motion that a committee of Peter Sheets and Norma Holcomb look into some other forms of awards and bring ideas back to the board for the November 2019 IBPF meeting. Seconded by Bill Shipley, Motion carried.

SCHOLARSHIP: Terry Kamstra, Scholarship Chairman announced we had essays from Jacob Cochran, Oxford, IA and Tyler Reis, Rolfe, IA. Jacob will be attending Kirkwood Community College and Tyler Iowa State University. After reading the essays Jim Jaskoviak made motion, we give each young man 2019 scholarship award. Tom Mowrer seconded motion. Richard Tibbetts voted no. Motion carried.

Terry Kamstra reported since 2011, the year we started the scholarship program, \$2900.00 has been awarded to seven recipients, attending seven different colleges. The parent or legal guardian must be a member of Iowa Black Powder Federation and the student write a brief essay of the participants interpretation of the "Preamble to the Constitution of the Iowa Black

Powder Federation. Deadline to submit application to a Board of Director is March 1st, to be voted on at the March meeting. This is a onetime award for one year only.

RAFFLE: 2019 Raffle item is a “Colt Model 1861 Navy Revolver”, in its original semi-presentation box which includes the Colt instruction manual for the cap and ball revolvers. Tickets are in a packet for \$3.00 each or 8 for \$20.00. Tickets will be mailed out no later than end of March. Drawing will take place at the Shot Gun Shoot at Marshalltown, Sunday, September 22, 2019.

YHEC: Bill Shipley reported on the Youth Hunting Education Challenge. This event was moved to a site along the Mississippi River, co-sponsored by the Clinton County Conservation Area. Instead of four days as in the past, it is now a one-day event. Bill runs the muzzle loading part along with helpers, bringing the rifles, powder, etc. (At national level groups must furnish their own rifles and supplies.) For the first time they’re was a special needs group shooting. If you would like more information Bill would be happy to visit with you. The IBPF will continue to support YHEC.

The following flyers were looked over without any changes except as noted. Flyers will be in the mail by the end of March.

CHUNK GUN AND TABLE SHOOTING: Tables shooting will be new to the IBPF this year. Chunk gun has been moved from the Beaver Creek Range to the Raccoon Valley Muzzleloaders Range, 1430 Jordan Avenue, Jefferson. Dates are May 4th and 5th, 2019

PISTOL: Dates are Friday, August 2 (noon to 5:00 p.m., Saturday, August 3 (8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Sunday, August 4 (8:00 a.m. to noon), 2019. All pistol matches are re-entry, except for championship matches.

RIFLE: Dates are Friday and Saturday, August 9 and 10, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Sunday August 11, 8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. All matches are re-entry, except for championship matches.

IOWA SUMMER GAMES: IBPF sponsors the Summer Games Shooting Sports for both pistol and rifle on the dates shown above. Competitors may register for one or both events in advance and or are welcome to be a walk-in shooter at the event, pay and shoot. Targets for summer games are not re-entry.

BLACK POWDER CARTRIDGE: Dates are Friday, August 16 and Saturday, August 17th, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Sunday August 18. 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

HAWK AND KNIFE: Sunday, September 1, Registration begins at noon, youth throws first at 1:00, followed by women and men. Medals are handed out at the end of each event. The Hawk and Knife throw is held at the Smokey Ridge Muzzleloaders range, 17001 V Avenue, Steamboat Rock in conjunction with their annual Labor Day Weekend Rendezvous. Visitors welcome.

SHOT GUN MATCHES: Mike Podhajsky reported there would not be any white birds used for the Saturday night “shooting under the lights”. With the new lighting system, it will be unnecessary to change. Dates are Friday and Saturday, September 20, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Sunday, September 22, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

POWDER HORN NEWS: Due to health reasons, Dee Sanders, Editor and Publisher for the Powder Horn News, is no longer able to publish the newspaper. The last copy was the December 2018 issue. The board discussed several ideas of how we can get word out to our members. We will always be on internet with our flyers, scores etc. We invite other clubs to contact Peter Sheets, regarding shoot dates. Secretary will be sending all members a letter with suggestions to getting our newsletters.

Next Iowa Black Powder Federation will be Saturday, November 2, 12:30 p.m., Pleasant Hill Library.

Door prize donated and made by Mike Podhajsky, owner and operator of Podhajsky Gun Shop, Albion, IA. Jim Jaskoviak won the solid brass lathe turned, short starter. Thanks Mike.

Motion to adjourn meeting was made by Bill Shipley, seconded by Terry Kamstra. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 2:35 p.m.

Submitted by
Norma Holcomb, Secretary
Iowa Black Powder Federation