

The September meeting of Sakakawea Fence Stretchers was held on Sept 1, 2020 at the Garrison Golf Course at 7 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman of the Board , Brock. All officers answered roll call with Rusty being absent. Members present at the meeting were, Renee K, Jeremy K., Brent S., Heather S., Eden Brunsell., Sylvan Brunsell., Danielle H., Brock H., and Wayne K.

Election judges were selected. Jeremy K., and Sylvan B. Heather nominated Brock H. for Trail Safety Coordinator. He accepted the nomination and was added to the ballot. Open voting from 7 p.m. until 8 p.m. The official ballot included, Marty Malachowski for Chairman of the Board, Brent Schenfisch for President, Brock Harris for Vice President, Eden Brunsell for Secretary, Danielle Harris for Treasurer, Brock Harris for Trail Safety Coordinator and Heather Schenfisch for Activity Director.

Non-agenda business was brought up with Awe Shucks in September. The food trailer is not ready and we have no committed workers. Sylvan made a motion that we pass this year, 2nd by Renee. Motion carried.

In regards to Corporate Status we are in good standing with the ND Secretary of State and the Internal Revenue Service.

Here is a list of the 2020 Fiscal year activities:

1. 7 regular membership meeting and 1 special. 2 Board of Directors meetings, 1 annual and one special.
2. 2 Snowmobile runs, (drove, no snow). 1 fun run and 1 benefit run bringing in over \$1000 for Leland.
3. Hosted a benefit pancake breakfast bringing in over \$13,000 for Leland.
4. For 2019/2020 season, 39 memberships, 11 associate, 22 family, 6 individual and 1 donor.
5. 17 Active memberships, 6 inactive memberships, 5 honorary memberships.
6. 69 total members, 54 adult members and 15 dependent members (riding age 10-17).

Our 2019/2020 accomplishments are:

1. Secured the 12 leases needed to open the complete trail system.
2. Successfully signed 150 miles of trail and passed SND inspection with flying colors.
3. 7 members attended the State Convention in Bottineau. Brent and Rusty were the delegates for the SFS Trail Association. All 7 were certified to sign and groom trails.
4. Season did not provide enough snow, trails never opened and the groomer never did any grooming.
5. At the Awe Shucks Corn Fest we sold mini donuts and the Activities committee won \$50 in the Scarecrow contest.
6. Dickens Village Festival sold chili, hot dogs, chili dogs and mini donuts. Activities committee won \$200 for "Best New Non-Profit " float in the lighted parade.
7. Secured a \$200 grant from the Dickens Village Festival.
8. Launched our club website.
9. Club purchased an Ice house to convert to a food shack.

Future deadlines for Treasurer and Secretary reports were revealed.

The treasurer gave us a financial summary. We are ending the year with a balance of \$3677.65.

Brent made a motion to adjourn the meeting, 2nd by Eden.

Election Results

Voting ceased at 8 p.m.

Judges canvas of ballots, Treasurer checked judges vote tallies, Secretary recorded vote results and filed ballots. 9 ballots total.

The newly elected officer, directors, coordinators, and directors officially take office on October 1, 2020 and will be installed at the Oct. 6 membership meeting.

Chairman of the Board is Marty Malachowski

President is Brent Schenfisch

Vice President is Brock Harris

Secretary is Eden Brunsell

Treasurer is Danielle Harris

Trail Safety Coordinator is Brock Harris

Activities Director is Heather Schenfisch