



MISSISSIPPI HEADWATERS HUNTING RETRIEVER CLUB



MEETING MINUTES

Date: October 3, 2024

Meeting called to order: 5:44 P.M.

IN ATTENDANCE

Doug Hood, Linda Torgersen, Steve Torgerson, Ernie Heifort, Budd Denny, Becky Denny, Deb Cadene, Dennis Berglund, Jerrie Olson

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes from the September meeting were read and approved. Steve Torgerson 1st, Dennis Berglund 2nd.

TREASURERS REPORT

Checking; \$12,345.14

CD: \$11,569.97

PRESIDENTS REPORT

1. Ernie H. announced that this may be his last year as our president.
2. Ernie H. will be attending the Greater MN Meeting in January.
3. The club's membership fees were discussed. An increase in dues would help offset the financial shortfall of the club. Budd made a motion to change membership fees to \$100.00. Members would have the option of a \$50.00 refund if they work 8 hours at events. Doug seconded the motion.
4. The possibility of charging the Pros a \$35.00 surcharge per client dog was discussed.
5. The entry fees for tests will increase \$10.00 for 2025

COMMITTEE REPORT

1. Event Dates

2025 MISSISSIPPI HEADWATERS HUNTING RETRIEVER CLUB TEST DATES						
MONTH	TEST DATES	TEST	STAKE	STAKE	STAKE	STAKE
JULY	11, 12, 13	FIELD TRIAL	AMATEUR	OPEN	QUALIFYING	
JULY	18, 19, 20	HUNT TEST	O/H QUALIFYING	MASTER	SENIOR	JUNIOR
JULY	29, 30	MID WEEK HUNT TEST	MASTER	SENIOR		

****2025 Optional: Double Qualifier and Derby - CANCELLED**

NEW BUSINESS

1. The club pheasant hunt will be on **October 27, 2024 / 1:00 pm / Federal Dam / Four birds are \$25.00 each.**
2. Pay \$75.00 to HRC to keep the date but not hold the event. Will pay in February 2025.
3. Camping at Bergamo campground near Anderson's will be added to the Premium.
4. **THERE WILL BE NO MEETING IN NOVEMBER**

OLD BUSINESS

1. The Club 4-wheeler has a leak that needs repairing. Agreed to repair – Dennis & Doug looked at it / added oil / seems fine / Ran terribly today / Parked in shed to be looked at later.
2. Purchasing a Port-a-Potty for the Club was discussed. Ernie H. will check on purchase options. – None are for sale. Call back after Thanksgiving.
3. The financial shortfall of the club was discussed. Ernie H. is writing a letter to the members explaining the situation.
4. Discuss if the Club feels it is justifiable to continue with HRC. Will discuss this with Dennis Anderson to see if he is interested or not.

REPORTS

None at this time

MEETING ADJOURNED

October 3, 2024, 6:46 P.M.