

MID THUMB BOWMEN

February 2019 - Membership Meeting

Board Members Present: Jim Davis, Dave Whitson (John Sheldon Proxy), CR LaFata (Mark Hurlburt Proxy), John Parr, Joe Sinka, Nic McLeod

Members Present: Jim Rye, Andre Batz, Mark Hurlburt, Kaitlyn Hurlburt, Agnes Whitson, Ken Vogt, Alyssa Burgess, Jeff Pickard, Russell Fletcher, Joe Lata, Jenn Lata, Tony Lashbrook, Misi Lashbrook, Matt Huston, Al Burk, Mark Rogers, John Sheldon, David Long, Karen Long.

Meeting called to order 3:12pm by Jim Rye.

Motion made by Joe Sinka to accept the reading of November meeting minutes. Seconded by Jim Davis. Motion passed.

Motion made by Jim Davis to accept the reading of Aug/Sept Treasury Report. Seconded by Nic LcLeod. Motion passed.

Membership Dues Change: We will be voting on a membership dues and work hours change at the March meeting. The board has changed their proposal and so far it has received good feedback. The board is proposing the following changes,

Effective April 1, 2019:

Annual Working Membership will be \$100

Annual work hours will be increased to 20

Members must shoot 4 club shoots or at least one league per year.

Annual Non-Working Membership will be \$250

Please attend the Club Member Meeting on March 10, 2019 at 3pm to cast your vote.

 $\textbf{Club Participation:} \ \ \textbf{We had improved participation in the I.A.A. event from club members.}$

Thank you for coming out and supporting the club and the I.A.A.

Backstop: The backstop has been holding up well even after a few spot shoots now.

2018 Youth Winter League: We are over 120 kids again this year and we are off and running well. The kitchen has been doing great every weekend so far.

Building addition: Once the cold weather breaks the mudding, taping and painting will be finished.

Kicking Bear: We will host Kicking Bear again this year and the date is tentatively set for September 14th. We will move our September Open 3D Shoot to the weekend of September 28/29.

Weekly club shoots – We now have Wednesday night spots, Thursday night 3D, Friday Night Ladies Night and Saturday and Sunday Youth League running. Come on out and shoot your bow or help with the kids.

<u>Club Calendar</u>	
February 20	Spots Night
February 21	Indoor 3D
February 22	Ladies Night
February 23- 24	Youth League
February 27	Spots Night
February 28	Indoor 3D
March 1	Ladies Night
March 2-3	Youth League
March 6	Spots Night
March 7	Indoor 3D
March 8	Ladies Night
March 9-10	Youth League
March 10 @ 3pm	Club Member Meeting



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We always need club member participation at club events. Please review the club calendar and see when you can volunteer. Before every large shoot we always need volunteers to help clean up around the club. We can also use club member participation at any of the events to help make sure things run smoothly. If you are not sure where you can help, please ask. We will point you in the right direction!!

As always, please make sure you clean up after yourself at the club. Other members do not want to cleanup wrappers and cans after you. Check the bathrooms when you are in the club and make sure the essentials are there. We are a club built on self-efficiency and it only works if everyone does their part.

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January 2019 – Membership Meeting

Hunter Safety: We would like to revisit the idea of hosting a Michigan's Hunter Safety course at the club. We are aware of clubs running the course using BB guns or Paintball guns. We need to investigate it more to see if it is something we can do.

2019 Club Raffle: We will discuss prizes at the March meeting. Al Burk also suggested stating the number of tickets that can possibly be sold in hopes to drive more sales. More will be discussed at the March meeting.

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 4:08pm made by Jim Davis. Seconded by John Parr.

Next Club Member Meeting: Sunday, February 10, 2019. @ 3pm.

Welcome to our newest Club Member Matt Huston

The club has agreed that, as a cost savings measure, we would like to move to an electronic form for the monthly newsletter, where possible. Each month beginning in February of 2019, the club newsletter will be posted on the club webpage and Facebook page. We can also email the newsletter to anyone that wants a copy.

If you would like to continue to receive a paper copy of the monthly newsletter mailed to you, please call Mark Hurlburt at (810) 247-3954 or email him at mhurlburt1201@gmail.com before February 15, 2019 and request to stay on the paper mailing list. This is the last newsletter that will be printed and mailed unless you have notified Mark that you would like a copy mailed to you.



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