

IOWA BLACK POWDER FEDERATION
MINUTES
November 5, 2011 Meeting
Altoona Public Library
Altoona, IA 50009

Annual November 2011 Meeting of the Iowa Black Powder Federation was called to order by Roger Eichelberger, President at 12:30 p.m.

Board Members Present: Roger Eichelberger, President, Don Wheatley, Vice-President, Norma Holcomb, Secretary-Treasurer, Bob Campbell, Jim Jaskoviak, Tom Mowrer and Terry Kamstra,

Board Members Absent: Randy Ohrt and Chris Milligan.

IBPF members present: Mike Podhajsky, Tom Podhajsky, Oscar Holcomb, Bob Berger, Jack Patton, Darrell Gideon and Linda Campbell

Agenda was given out and President asked if there were any additional items to be added. Jim Jaskoviak asked Charter Clubing be added to agenda. Don Wheatley made motion to accept the agenda with additional item, Seconded by Bob Campbell. All approved. Motion carried.

Secretary Minutes of November 2010 and March 2011 meetings were read. Jim Jaskoviak made motion to accept the minutes as read. Seconded by Terry Kamstra. All approved. Motion carried.

Treasurer's report was given by Norma Holcomb. Don Wheatley made motion to accept the Treasurer's report. Bob Campbell seconded the motion. All approved. Motion carried.

Board Members Don Wheatley, Bob Campbell and Tom Mowrer has completed a three year term ending in 2011, Don Wheatley and Bob Campbell do not want to remain on the board at the present time. Tom Mowrer will remain on the board. Jack Patton and Bill Shipley have agreed to come on the board for a three year term. Jack, Bill and Tom's term will end in 2014.

Election of Officers: Roger was nominated as President by Don Wheatley, seconded by Bob Berger. All approved, motion carried.

Don Wheatley nominated Jim Jaskoviak as Vice President, seconded by Terry Kamstra, all approved, motion carried.

Don Wheatley nominated Norma Holcomb as Secretary-Treasurer, seconded by Jack Patton, all approved, motion carried.

Y-HECK-DNR: Each year we are asked for a donation of \$ 250.00 to help sponsor this program. After much discussion for and against, Don Wheatley made a motion that we donate again this year, but we will appoint Bill Shipley as our Yheck Coordinator and to justify the funds of this program before we give again. Jim Jaskoviak seconded motion, all approved. Motion carried.

STATE RIFLE AND PISTOL SHOOT: Regarding Bench Rifle Aggregate, Match 19 is 200 yards on 2011 flyer, because Beaver Creek Range has a 200 yard back stop but on alternate years the SE Iowa Sportsman Society does not have a 200 yard so we make it 100 yards. Jim Jaskoviak made a motion that "we officially make Match 19 100 yards each year, not changing back and forth and use Double Bull Buffalo (Buf-2) our target. Don Wheatley seconded

motion, all approved, motion carried.

Dates for 2012 State Pistol and Rifle Shoot is August 10, 11, and 12, 2012 at Southeastern Iowa Society Range, located 11867 Hickory Avenue, Birmingham, IA

Tom Mowrer suggested we add a Cross Stick Aggregate to our Rifle and Pistol Agenda.

This would give more shooting to our older members who have trouble holding a rifle for off hand shooting. After discussion Tom Mowrer made motion to have a Cross Stick Aggregate, Seconded by Tom Podhajsky, all approved, motion carried.

The targets and yardage is as follows for Cross Stick Aggregate:

Match	Cross Sticks	50 yards	SB7	6 bull 7 ring	5 shots
Match	Cross Sticks	50 yards	Buf-2	2 bull buffalo	5 shots
Match	Cross Sticks	100 yards	YD-1	Single Bull 8 ring	5 shots

Host club for 2013 will be Beaver Creek Plainsmen, Inc., Collins, IA

No other changes to current Pistol and Rifle Shoot.

Medals will need to be purchased before our shooting season begins. Norma Holcomb has been talking with a representative of Crown Awards regarding medals. Bob Campbell made motion we purchase 1,000 2 inch medals in gold, silver and bronze. Seconded by Tom Mowrer, all approved, motion carried.

Jim Jaskoviak asked a cost quote be made for a 1.75 inch medal in antique silver to be used for a match medals. This would be used for first, second and third place in a match and the 2 inch medals would be used for aggregate only in gold, silver or bronze. Norma Holcomb will check into the cost.

STATE BLACK POWDER CARTRIDGE SHOOT: No changes in present shooting program. Dates of shoot will be August 17, 18 and 19, 2012 at Steamboat Rock, IA

STATE CHUNK GUN SHOOT: No changes made in this program. Date will be June 2, 2012, at Beaver Creek Plainsmen Range, Collins, IA

STATE HAWK AND KNIFE THROW: Using the facilities of the Smokey Ridge Muzzleloaders at their Labor Day Weekend Rendezvous has been working out well. The IBPF thanks the club for their support. No changes made to this event. Hawk and Knife throw will be held Sunday, September 2, 2012, 1:00 p.m. Registration will begin at noon that day.

STATE SHOT GUN SHOOT: No changes made to this program. Event date is September 21, 22, 23, 2012.

1 of 1,000 NMLRA Program: Jim Jaskoviak explained the NMLRA 1 of 1,000 program. The money placed in this program is a restricted endowment fund. The principal will remain in the endowment and can be used only to generate interest or to purchase land. Principal can never be used for the general operation of the association.

Jim Jaskoviak made motion the IBPF purchase one slot in this worthwhile program, seconded by Tom Mowrer, all approved. Motion carried.

RAFFLE REPORT: Jim Jaskoviak reported the raffles have been successful. No raffle item at the present time. We will come up with something after the first of the year.

SCHOLARSHIP REPORT: Terry Kamstra reported we gave out 3 scholarships for 2011. Two have been paid and the third will be paid soon. Jim Jaskoviak made motion to continue this program for 2012 for any high school student (parent must be member of IBPF) for college, seconded by Tom Mowrer, all approved. Motion carried. See the rules on the website. Go to www.blackpowderfederation.net

Communication from Powder Horn News was received that the rate to the IBPF would be raised by twenty cents per month. Motion was made by Jim Jaskoviak that the federation accept the rate increase, seconded by Bob Campbell, thirteen people voted to approve motion, one opposed.. Motion carried.

Norma Holcomb asked for volunteers to write monthly articles. Terry Kamstra will write article regarding scholarship program for January 2012. Followed by Roger Eichelberger, Tom Mowrer, Jack Patton, Jim Jaskoviak, Bill Shipley, Chris Milligan and Randy Ohrt.

POSTAL MATCHES: Jim Jaskoviak presented a target to be used for 2012 postal matches. Terry Kamstra made motion to accept the raccoon target as our 2012 Postal Match target, seconded by Bob Campbell, all approved. Motion carried.

Jim Jaskoviak made a suggestion that Charter Clubs be sponsored through the IBPF. Norma Holcomb explained what she knew about this program from being in a prior situation this was used. Jim will talk to the IRS and will have more information for our next meeting.

The IBPF Board will meet again Saturday, 12:30 p.m., March 17th, 2012, at the Altoona Public Library.

Don Wheatley made motion the meeting adjourn, Seconded by Mike Podhajsky, All approved. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 4:15 p.m.

Submitted by:
Norma Holcomb
Secretary