August 3rd, 2017 MEETING

Meeting called to order at 7:04PM

Roll call of officers: All present, except for 2nd Vice President Ahblahnah Twohearts.

Mail: A few magazines and a SAMS Newsletter.

Bills: Passed to the Committee to be paid.

Scholarship: No new business

By-Laws: On September 7th, during the September Meeting, the club will be voting on the proposed changes to the bylaws. We will NOT be going over every one of the bylaws. What is on the website, is what we are voting on. We will not be going over word for word.

Sanford Range: On the 25yd range; there is a plate that is completely off the plate rack. There is no way it was accidentally shot off. President Bruce White will look into it this coming weekend.

Berwick Range: No new business.

Parliamentary: No new business.

Acton Fair: August 24th-27th. The club will be raffling off a \$300 Kittery Trading Post Gift Card. A sign-up sheet went around during the meeting.

Gun Show: September 16th & 17th. Saturday will run from 9am-4pm and Sunday will run from 9am-3pm. Possibly will be back at the Armory in March. The Ribbon Ceremony will be in December.

Concessions: No new business.

Hunter Safety: Dates are posted on the website. Starting next month.

Trap Shoot: There are three shoots this month. The Shoot on Aug. 13th is canceled.

Membership: Total Membership is now at 640 members.

Publicity: The new Gun Show Signs are coming. We have some for the Clubhouse and Some for the Armory.

Building: Will be turning off the A/C when there are no renters.

Archery: August 13th – Shoot.

September 2nd – Target pick-up. Will need help!

Cowboys: They had 12 shooters at the last match, and everyone had fun!

3-Gun Shoot: Match on Aug. 27th at Country Pond. There will be nothing in September. Next shoot will be in October.

USPA Shoot: (Formerly Plate Shoot) Just turned in \$260, one of their greatest shoots. Next plate shoot is Aug. 19th. There will be a shoot every 3rd Saturday until December. A special Thank You to Doug and Phil Readio for bringing down water at the last shoot. It was 100 degrees, and was greatly appreciated. **Range Safety:** No new business.

Conservation & Stocking: Don walked down to the "Little Pond". He would like to get a trail to pond put in. Will have to get a hold of Ambrose, and he still has a bid from Shawn Houts. Would also would like to cut back the right-hand side and put in a chain with a combo lock (like at the ranges).

Still need to have at least three (3) bids (per club rules) for the road work. Cannot make a motion until all bids are in, can't vote on just one. Tabled to September meeting.

If any club member wants to volunteer to go down and cut back brush, they can. Call Don.

Legislation: No new business.

Elections for Committee: No new business.

Elections of Motions: N/A

Unfinished Business: The Stand for the new Plates is done, with the exception of drilling holes. Brad can't drill the holes until the plates are in. Haven't seen Ryan in a few months so the plates haven't been ordered. Need someone with the paperwork and prices (total plus shipping) to come in to get a check for the plates.

New Business: Lou Twohearts sadly passed away back in mid-July. Our heartfelt sympathy and condolences to Ahblahnah and their family, he will be dearly missed and always remain in our hearts and memories.

A Celebration of Life will be held at a later date, instead of a funeral, when Ahblahnah is feeling better. Once a date has been decided, Bruce will get it out to everybody.

We have a trespasser at the Range. One member spoke to the gentleman and he refused to leave the range and continued to shoot. This was not the first time he has been spoken to. A picture of his vehicle and License Plate was taken and turned in to the Sanford Police. If you see a vehicle (green Honda Element, Plate #: "BIG D" outside the gate, he is trespassing. The police have stated that they will arrest him if he goes back to the range and doesn't become a member.

For the good of the organization: 50/50 won by Mark Adler, Club raffle was won & lost by Larry Gaudet. Calendar of Monthly Events:

Pistol Shoot – Sun. Aug. 6th at 9:00am in Sanford; Need to bring a .22 and Centerfire.

Pistol/Plates Shoot – Aug. 19th

Cowboy Shoot – Aug. 26th at SIG

3-Gun – Aug. 27th at Country Pond.

Trap Shoot – Aug. 5th, 20th, and 27th. REMEMBER: the 13th has been cancelled.

Archery: Shoot on Aug. 13th, and Pick-Up on Sept. 2nd.

E-board Meeting – Aug. 15th @ 6:00pm

Next Club Meeting - Sept. 7th @ 7:00pm

Meeting adjourned at 7:32 pm.