

JAN 18, 1973

The meeting opened with Vice President Art Albert presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS AL Moser absent.

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and a motion was made by Mickey Kobel and seconded by Don Kelker to accept them as read carried.

TREASURERS REPORT: Balance on Hand \$1,585.07

Don Kelker made a motion seconded by Ken Eberle to accept the treasurers report as read. carried.

BILLS: Federation Membership dues \$30.00
Propane Gas 6 tanks 60.99
Niagara Mohawk 16.91
Chautauqua County Tax 110.23
Ducks Unlimited 10.00
Refreshments (Dick Walters) 15.89
Stamps (Bud Eberle) 4.32
Trophy (Dick Walters) 16.99

Ron Kobel Made a motion seconded by Bob Schasel to pay the bills. carried.

CORRESPONDANCE:

Ron Kobel made a motion seconded by Ken Eberle to dropped Stephen McDonald and Richard Boclynski these members have been out of the service and have been notified about meetings have decided to drop from the club. carried.

CAMP COMM: Al Eckel reported that camp is in good shape.

SHOOTING COMM: Art Albert reported that there will be a Fox Hunt At Camp Feb 4, 1973 at 10 A.M. \$1.00 per person. Alternate date will be Feb 18th.

FUND RAISING COMM: Paul Luther reported only \$323.00 was turned into the club so far.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: It was reported that 6 Deer were registered for deer prizes
\$10.00 heaviest Buck Pete Walters 110lbs 4 pts
\$10.00 largest Rack Art Blask 5 pts 110 lbs
\$ 5.00 heaviest Doe Bob Raczka 92 lbs

Deer were also taken by Mickey Kobel, Dale Knobloch and Carl Frost.

NEW BUSINESS Art Grupp made a motion seconded by Al Eckel to donate \$25.00 to the Buffalo Audubon Society Inc. and \$10.00 to Trout Unlimited. carried.

Nominating Comm: Bud Eberle chairman and the floor nominated the following members for Board of Directors.

Don Kelker	Phil Green	K. Moser
Ron Kerr	Dick Walter	
Geo Kohl	Bud Eberle	

Art Grupp made a motion seconded by Al Eckel that nominations be closed carried.

The newly elected Board of Directors for 1973 are Geo Kohl, D Kelker Bud Eberle, K. Moser R Kerr. The newly elected Board met and elected the club officers for 1973.

Pres. Ron Kerr, V. Pres K. Moser, Sec. Don Kelker, Treas. Geo Kohl Sgt Arms B. Eberle.

GOOD & WELFARE: NO REPORT

Art Grupp made a motion seconded by R. Kerr. to adjourn carried.

Respectfully submitted
Kenneth A. Moser
Secretary

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February 15, 1973

The meeting opened with Vice Pres. A. Albert presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: All present

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and a motion was made by D. Walter seconded by A. Grupp to accept them as read, carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Balance \$1672.19. A. Grupp made a motion, seconded by B. Burgard to accept the Treasurer's report as read, carried.

BILLS: Stamps (N. Eberle) - \$4.24
Refreshments (D. Walter) - \$10.30

Ken Friedhaber made a motion, seconded by Ken Eberle to pay the bills, carried.

E.C.F.S.C.: - No report

Shooting Committee: A. Albert reported the cancelled fox hunt will be held Sunday, Feb. 18.

FUND RAISING: P. Luther reported that A. Albert sold the most tickets, 92 and was the winner of 1 years free dues.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: Fed. Pres. A. Moser installed Pres. R. Kerr, V. Pres. K. Moser, Sec. D. Kelker, Treas. G. Kohl, and Sgt. at Arms N. Eberle as the 1973 Officers and B. of D. of the Buffalo Rod and Gun Club.

GOOD AND WELFARE: Pres. R. Kerr announced that last years committees would remain the same for this year.

A. Albert made a motion to adjourn, seconded by M. Kobel, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

D. C. Kelker

Secretary

Raffle Winner
Tick #1350
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Adeline

BUFFALO ROD AND GUN CLUB

MARCH 15, 1973

The meeting opened with Pres. Kerr presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: All present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and a motion was made by M. Kobel, seconded by P. Luther to accept them as read, c carried.

TREAS. REPORT: Balance \$2131.40. A. Grupp made a motion, seconded by M. Kobel to accept the Treasurer's report as read, carried.

BILLS: Stamps (N. Eberle) - \$4.08
Refreshments (D. Walters) - \$9.00

K. Friedhaber made a motion to pay the bills, seconded by D. Cavallaro, carried.

CORRESPONDENCE The secretary read the letter from the E.C.F.S.C. regarding the \$60.00 tuition for the week at Camp Rushford and urged all clubs to submit a candidate's name by April 6, out of which 10 boys would be selected and sent to the camp free. In addition, each club could sponsor two boys at \$60.00 each.

E.C.F.S.C. - A. Moser reported that again this year the prime subject would be gun legislation.

CAMP COMMITTEE: No report

CONSERVATION COMMITTEE: No report

SHOOTING COMMITTEE: It was reported that there was no fox taken but a good time was had.

LAND COMMITTEE: G. Kohl reported that the mortgage was paid off in March.

POND COMMITTEE: M. Kobel reported that there no longer is any financial assistance available for pond construction. Also some test holes are to be drilled.

FUND RAISING: P. Luther reported that the raffle sales were \$1221. and the cost was \$538. for a profit of \$683.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS:

The following members submitted their son's names as applicants: Ken Eberle, Bill Burgard, Art Grupp. R.Kobel made a motion that our club sponsor and pay the tuition of 1 boy, and submit 3 names to the Federation, seconded by M. Kobel, carried.

M. Kobel made a motion to adjourn, seconded by D. Walters, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

D. C. Kelker
Secretary

DCK/jk
CC: Pres.

APRIL 19, 1973

The meeting opened with President Kerr presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: Absent G. Kohl.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and a motion was made by A. Grupp, seconded by A. Eckel to accept them as read, carried.

TREASURERS REPORT: No report.

Bills: Telephone - \$2.92 -(M. Kobal)
Refreshments-\$8.25 (E. Kobel)
Stamps \$4.40 (N. Eberle)
Propane Gas \$40.66

A. Eckel made a motion, seconded by A. Blask to pay the bills, carried.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS REPORT: The Board of Directors decided to drop the \$10. assessment on new members and to reduce the initiation fee from \$30 to \$25, in an attempt to encourage interested people into joining the club and build up the membership. The dues are to remain at \$1.50 per month.

E.C.F.S.C.: no report

CAMP COMMITTEE: A.Eckel reported the bunks have been painted and that May 5 and 6, would be work days at camp. He also reported the following projects for the year, outside wiring, road repairs, new garbage pit, inside fireplace floor needs repair, and a shelter over the outside fireplace.

LAND COMMITTEE: no report.

POND COMMITTEE: M. Kobel reported that he has contacted the man who will drill the test holes for the pond.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: None

NEW BUSINESS: D. Rowe made a motion, seconded by P. Luther that \$200. be appropriated to the camp committee, carried. A. Albert made a motion seconded by R. Raczka that new mattresses and covers be purchased, carried. A. Albert made a motion, seconded by A. Blask that all dogs be kept out of the cabin, carried. A. Eckel set June 24, as a tentative date for the fishing contest. K. Moser set Aug. 5, as a tentative date for the family picnic. N. Eberle made a motion, seconded by A. Blask that \$350. be appropriated for the picnic, carried. There was quite a discussion by the membership regarding the action taken by the B. of D. regarding the lower initiation fee.

GOOD AND WELFARE: Pres. Kerr reported he wanted use of the camp May 26 and 27 for the cub scouts. A. Albert reported that he wanted use of the camp May 19 and 20.

M. Kobel made a motion to adjourn, seconded by A. Grupp, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald C. Kelker
Secretary.

CC:President

May 17, 1973

The meeting opened with Pres. Kerr presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: Absent - N. Eberle.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and a motion was made by M. Kobel seconded by A. Albert to accept them as read, carried.

Treas. Report: Balance for March \$2,050.07
Balance for April \$2,076.34

Art Blask made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report as read, seconded by A. Eckel, carried.

Bills: \$11.25 - Electric
2.75 - Filing discharge of mortgage (G.Kohl)
4.16 - Postage (N. Eberle)

R. BARBER MADE A MOTION SECONDED BY M. KOBEL TO PAY THE BILLS, CARRIED

E.C.F.S.C. - A. Moser reported that all should write their legislatures regarding gun legislation because it seems that some of these bills may go through.

CAMP COMMITTEE: A. Eckel reported that the shelter was fixed, a cut away for a new archery range and wood was cut at the work days. June 2, and 3, were set for new work days at camp. It was reported that the mattress prices were \$28. ea. and \$18. ea. for foam and vinyl cover. P. Luther made a motion seconded by B. Goodenough, that 12 mattresses at \$18. ea. be purchased, carried. Also, it would cost approximately \$500. to dig the road out and straighten it and put new fill.

Conservation: No report
Shooting: - No report

Land Committee: Art Grupp reported that he talked with Mark about buying more land.

John Sullen will sell some more land for about \$100. per acre and he has about 11 acres available.

Pond Committee: Ray Andres was in Cleveland having a "Pace Maker" put in his chest.

Unfinished Business: none

New Business: A. Albert suggested a storage shed. A. Eckel was to get 12 keys to the cabin made. P. Luther made a motion, seconded by A. Blask made a motion to table the reworking of the road, carried.

New Members: James Byrne - Ken Moser
Walter Nelson - A. Albert
Ray Kohb - A. Eckel

GOOD & WELFARE: Pres. Kerr invited any members and their sons about 11 or 12 years old to camp the last weekend in May with the cub scouts.

M. Kobel made a motion to adjourn, seconded by A. Eckel, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

BUFFALO ROD & GUN CLUB

Donald C. Kelker

Secretary

DCK:jk
CC: President

June 21, 1973

The meeting opened with Pres. Kerr presiding.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: All present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and a motion was made by M. Kobel, seconded by R. Babcock to accept them as read, carried.

TREASURERS REPORT: Balance \$1686.18. R. Babcock made a motion seconded by A. Blask to accept the Treasurers report as read, carried.

Bills - \$3.60 - Post cards - payable to D. Kelker
3.92 - stamps - payable to N. Eberle
140.00 Driveway repair - payable to David Smith Trucking
6.00 - Cabin keys - payable to H. Eckel

M. Kobel made a motion to pay the bills seconded by A. Blask, carried.

New Members: Thomas Manuczewski sponsored by Paul Luther

Camp Committee: A. Eckel reported that the inside of the cabin, the outside furniture and the bunks were painted. The weekend in July before the family picnic was set for a work day

Conservation Committee: Art Grupp reported that after he learns about the pond he will order trees.

Land Committee: It was reported that Cullen is interested in selling some of his land.

Fund Raising Committee: P. Luther suggested another raffle. A. Eckel made a motion seconded by R. Babcock that the Fund Raising Committee be authorized to set up a raffle, carried.

Unfinished business: none

New Business: none

Good & Welfare: A. Eckel reported that if any member was interested in purchasing a jacket with Buffalo Rod & Gun lettered on it, they should contact him, the cost is about \$9.00.

A. Grupp made a motion, seconded by A. Blask that the meeting adjourn, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

D. C. Kelker
Secretary



September 20, 1973

The meeting opened with Pres. Kerr leading the membership in the pledge to the flag.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: All present

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and a motion was made by R. Walter, seconded by P. Greene to accept them as read, carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Balance \$1323.61 R. Kobel made a motion seconded by P. Greene that the Treasurer's report be accepted as read, carried.

Bills: \$4.64 - stamps - N. Eberle
\$165.95 - School taxes
\$15.32 - Electric
\$20.25 - Mass cards or flowers for P. Luther's Father
and J. Boesela - B. Knobloch

D. Walter made a motion to pay the bills, seconded by Ray Kolb, carried.

E.C.F.S.C.: no report

CAMP COMMITTEE: A. Eckel reported that work was done at camp, before the picnic and a father and son work weekend would be held the first weekend in October to cut wood, etc. Four tanks of gas are required.

SHOOTING COMMITTEE: A. Albert reported there would be a turkey shoot at camp September 30.

SUNSHINE COMMITTEE: It was reported that R. Babcock was home from the hospital.

NEW MEMBER: Wilfred Barratt sponsored by R. Kobel.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: K. Moser thanked all for their help at the family picnic and the donations. The actual cost of the picnic was \$152.17 and he turned back \$197.83 to the club. Ken was given a vote of thanks from the membership.

NEW BUSINESS: A. Eckel made a motion seconded by P. Green to appropriate \$70. to the shooting committee. ^{cash} Eckel made a motion seconded by P. Christman that the next regular monthly meeting be held at the Alpine Village on Delavan, carried.

The deer prizes and rules are to be the same as past years which are \$10. for the largest rack, \$10. for the heaviest buck, and \$5 for the heaviest doe legally taken by shot gun or rifle in N.Y. State and \$10 for the heaviest buck and doe taken by an archer. The deer are to be weighed by 8:00 p.m. the Friday following the close of the season at B. Knobloch's.

The fishing contest was rained out and \$9.75 was turned back to the club.

The meeting adjourned in silent memory of deceased member
Boe Boesela.

CC: Pres.

Respectfully submitted,
D. C. Kelker, Secretary



BUFFALO ROD & GUN CLUB

OCTOBER 18, 1973

The meeting opened with Pres. Kerr leading the membership in the pledge to the flag.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: Absent K. Moser.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and a motion was made by K. Blum, seconded by P. Greene to accept them as read, carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Balance \$1265.07 P. Walter made a motion, seconded by M. Kobel to accept the Treasurer's report as read, carried.

BILLS:

\$21.40 - Flowers (R. Babcock) - payable to B. Knobloch
\$69.00 - Six tanks of gas - Northern Propane Gas
\$18.00 - Beer and hall - Alpine Village
\$ 8.71 - Refreshments - D. Walter
\$ 9.44 - Postage - N. Eberle
\$ 3.60 - Postage D. Kelker

I. Bevin made a motion to pay the bills, seconded by P. Walter, carried.

Shooting Committee: A. Albert turned in \$56.47 from the turkey shoot.

Camp Committee: A. Eckel thanked all who came to the work days. There was quite a bit of wood cut for the cabin.

New Member: Kevin Blum sponsored by his father Ken Blum

Sunshine Committee: It was reported that R. Babcock passed away.

Unfinished Business: none

New Business: none

Good & Welfare - M. Kobel made a motion seconded by D. Rowe that Stan at camp be given a Christmas gift not exceeding \$25. for all the work he has done around the camp, carried.

R. Kerr appointed D. Eberle as Chairman of the Canadian fishing trip to be held in the Spring.

The meeting closed in memory of departed past President, R. Babcock.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald C. Kelker
Secretary

DCK:jek
CC: President

BUFFALO ROD & GUN CLUB

November 15, 1973

The meeting opened with Pres. Kerr leading the membership in the pledge to the flag.

ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS: All present

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and a motion was made by A. Grupp, seconded by R. Kobel to accept them as read, carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Balance \$1265.14 R. Kobel made a motion, seconded by A. Grupp to accept the Treasurer's report as read, carried.

Bills:

\$1.59 - Postage payable to D. Kelker
4.72 - Postage payable to N. Eberle
18.72 - Electric bill
9.78 - Refreshments payable to D. Walter
A. Blask made a motion to pay the bills, seconded by P. Green, carried.

Camp Committee: A. Eckel reported the cabin had been broken into and mostly personal items were taken. The camp is in order for the coming deer season.

Delinquent List - Roger Johnson, Dale Knobloch and Gordon Thomas were dropped from the membership rolls since they were more than 3 months delinquent and duly notified.

Fund Raising: Paul Luther reported that the raffle tickets would be sent out to the members in the near future.

Unfinished Business: none

New Business: A. Eckel reported that he purchased an AM-FM clock radio for \$25.31 for a Christmas present for Stan. A. Grupp made a motion, seconded by P. Green to donate \$25 to the Audobon Society, carried. D. Rowe made a motion, seconded by A. Eckel that the club donate \$10 to SCOPE carried. P. Luther made a motion, seconded by A. Albert that the club take a \$40 full page ad in the Federation Banquet Program, carried. A. Grupp made a motion, seconded by P. Green that the club send the President and his wife, as guests to the Federation banquet, carried. Pres. Kerr appointed - Chairman A. Eckel, A. Albert and D. Rowe to the nominating committee.

Good & Welfare: It was reported there were 28 members in attendance.

A. Albert made a motion to adjourn, seconded by R. Kolb, carried.
Respectfully submitted,

D. C. Kelker
Secretary

DCK:jek
CC: President

BUFFALO ROD AND GUN CLUB

December 20, 1973

The meeting opened with Pres. Kerr leading the membership in the pledge to the flag.

Roll Call of Officers: All present

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and a motion was made by D. Walter, seconded by M. Kobel to accept them as read, carried.

Treasurer's Report: Balance \$1216.33 Dave Rowe made a motion to accept the Treasurer's report as read, seconded by A. Grupp, carried.

Bills: \$30. - Federation dues
4.48 - Postage - N. Eberle
10.60 - Refreshments - E. Kobel
43.21 - Printing of raffle tickets - R. Kerr

New Members: Ed Belz sponsored by A. Grupp.

Camp Committee: A. Eckel reported that there was approx. 3 tanks of gas left at camp, but no wood.

Shooting Committee: A. Eckel is chairman of a fox and rabbit hunt to be held Sunday, Feb. 18, at camp. The charge is to be \$2. per gun.

Land Committee: G. Kohl reported that there is an appraisal being made on all land in Chattaqua County and that our cabin was just appraised at \$7870 and the 16 acres \$1900.

Fund Raising Committee: P. Luther suggested that the member who sells the most tickets be given some recognition.

Sunshine Committee: A. Eckel reported that Poppy Christman was in Vet's Hospital.

Unfinished Business: The deer prizes went to Dick Walter for the heaviest buck at 146 # (7 point) R. Kolb biggest rack 7 point (140#) Dave Hart had a 8 point 160# buck, but was disqualified since it was not weighed in at the proper place.

New Business: A. Albert suggested that the membership consider putting an extension on the cabin. Pres. Kerr appointed M. Kobel, A. Albert, A. Eckel, A. Grupp, B. Goodenough and P. Luther to a Planning Committee whose job it is to see which is the most important project to the membership, whether it be further land acquisition, cabin expansion or a pond.

A. Eckel, chairman of the nominating committee, reported the following nominations for the Board of Directors, G. Kohl, R. Kerr, N. Eberle, D. Kelker, A. Moser, J. Green, P. Green, A. Moser, D. Walter, A. Grupp and R. Kolb. K. Moser, A. Moser, and A. Grupp declined. Nominations were opened to the floor and A. Grupp

made a motion nominations be closed, seconded by P. Luther, carried.

The newly elected B. of D. for 1974 are G. Kohl (22) R. Kerr (22), N. Eberle (18), D. Kelker (20) and J. Green (11).

The newly elected B of D than met and elected the club officers for 1974. Pres. R. Kerr, Vice Pres. J. Green, Sec. D. Kelker, Treas. G. Kohl and Sgt. at Arms - N. Eberle.

Good and Welfare: The membership was urged to attend the Fed. dinner. Pres. Kerr reported that an up to date membership roster was available. It was also reported that 2 German short hair pups were available and K. Eberle had beagle bassett pups available.

A. Grupp made a motion to adjourn, seconded by A. Eckel, carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald C. Kelker

Secretary

DCK: jek
CC: Pres.