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## **Waukesha County Conservation Alliance**

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*Dedicated to Succeeding Generations*

### **WCCA Meeting Minutes May 15, 2024**

Dan Luling, Vice-President called the meeting to order at 7:35pm. The meeting was sponsored by Ron Gray at New Berlin Trap and Sportsmen Club.

The meeting was attended by 9 individuals, comprised of Club Delegates and Wisconsin Conservation Congress Delegates. Quorum was declared

#### **Secretary's Report**

Membership was asked if there were any corrections or additions to the April 17, 2024 General Meeting Minutes. Motion by Gray, second by Tackes to accept the Minutes as published. Motion carried.

#### **Treasurer's Report**

Report presented by Farchmin to Membership in attendance. A motion was made by Diedrich, second by Tackes to accept the Treasurer's report as read, subject to audit. Motion carried.

#### **Communications**

- E-mail from Hubert Nett being end of school year he will wait till next school year to promote his book. Wincek will be advising Nett to re-apply for his Grant at that time as they may be changes in monetary request.

#### **Committee Reports**

**DNR (weekly news update [dnr.wi.gov](http://dnr.wi.gov))**

**WCC Convention this past weekend. DNR Staff updated their reports. Nothing new since Spring Hearings.**

#### **Kids Fishing Clinic**

- Kids Fishing Clinic at Daniel Boone Conservation League will be June 9, 2024 9am-1pm. This will be a Free Educational Clinic for Kids which includes fishing. WCCA, Great Lakes Sportsmen Fishing Club, Monches Fishing Club, WCCA and DBCL will sponsor this event. Please contact MarySusan Diedrich 414-379-3770 or [msd55@att.net](mailto:msd55@att.net) for questions or if you are volunteering.
  - There were 35 kids in attendance for the first annual Kids fishing Clinic at Wern Valley. Wildlife Trailer from OHEC was there, which was of interest as well as, a place to warm up. Trout caught
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when sun came out, but when clouds came, nothing biting. Has lots of hot dogs left over. No kids fell in the pond!

## **Wisconsin Conservation Congress**

### **Wincek**

- No Report

### **Diedrich**

- New Committee "Hunting with Dogs". Lots of Resolutions that come through that are not just about Bear Dogs. Coon hunting, trespassing while looking for dog, bird hunting, etc.
- Committee Meetings will be starting up soon. Check the Wisconsin Conservation Congress website for upcoming dates.
- Big push to get more Youth involved in the YCC. If you know someone in high school who might be interested, please have them contact me for more information.

### **Hintz**

- No report.

### **Farchmin**

- Many of the DNR speakers said the same things other speakers said. Meetings were long but informative.

### **Luling**

- Back on Warm Water Committee and also on the Mississippi River Committee.
- There were several awards given out but he did want this Alliance to know that MarySusan Diedrich was named Delegate of the Year and was presented the David Ladd Award.

### **Scholarship**

- No report.

## **Wisconsin Wildlife Federation**

Tom Daluga is at MOHEE for the kids today & tomorrow in Poynette. They are expecting 4000 kids. Havenwoods on May 8<sup>th</sup> had 1100+ kids in attendance this year.

Tom is looking for someone who would be willing to work with him as a member of WWF, as the second delegate represented for WCCA.

## **2024 Banquet**

- Nothing new at this time
  - Was discussion on doing a walk around with premium guns. Not enough guests so not enough money to cover the more expensive guns.
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- Reminder for everyone to keep looking for “Wingspan” raffle prizes. The more donations we get the more revenue that comes in.
- Question came up about having tables of 9 for banquet. Usually, people come in even numbers. Another person could be added to a table, but usually not enough singles coming in to make up the tables of 9.

### **Old Business**

- None

### **New Business**

- Ojibwa submitted a written Grant request for up to \$500 to off set costs for their Youth Day on July 27. Motion by Diedrich and second by Tackes to give them \$400 as in the past. Motion carried.
- A Grant was verbally requested by for a donation to Wern Valley for the Great Cancer Shootout. Shook will send the written copy via email. Shook made a motion for \$1000 donation, second by Diedrich especially since Wern Valley supplied the pond for the Kids Fishing Clinic. Motion carried.
- Gray selling raffle tickets for Milwaukee Casting Club 3/\$5.00.
- Ojibwa has an Open Houe on May 18, from Noon to 400pm. Info too late to put on WCCA Website. Free Archery shooting, lunch available for purchase. After 4 free dinner and bonfire.

## **NEED MEETING SPONSORS AND LOCATIONS FOR JULY, AUGUST, NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER 2024.**

### **PLEASE CONTACT:**

**BOB WINCEK 414- 217-9752 OR MARYSUSAN DIEDRICH  
414-379-3770**

**Meetings** – As always, please consider having your Club host a meeting. Each Club needs to take a slot. Please look at the schedule of meeting dates and sign up. If you do not have a clubhouse available, efforts will be made to find a venue.

**Website** – Send your club information to Bob Wincek to be placed on the WCCA website. Even if you don’t have a website, your information: meeting date/time and club location, can be visible through the WCCA’s website. A club or business of the month will be on display. Get your information to Bob. Send in game pictures! Please go to the website to help increase the search engine ranking: [www.waukeshacountyconservationalliance.com](http://www.waukeshacountyconservationalliance.com).

### **Member Matters and Good & Welfare**

- Schmittinger spoke about her trip to Luxembourg.
- Shook having shoulder surgery in June.

### **Next Meeting:**

**June 19, 2024 At Menomonee Falls Rod & Gun Club, W249N8500 Hillside Road, Sussex.**

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## Adjournment

Motion to adjourn by Gray, second by Tackes 840pm. Motion carried.

**Respectfully submitted,  
MarySusan Diedrich, Secretary**

## MEETING SCHEDULE:

July 17, 2024

August 21, 2024 Schmittinger will hostess. Location TBA

September 18, 2024 Daniel Boone Conservation League at Daniel Boone Conservation League

October 16, 2024 WWSA at Wales/Genesee Lions Club

November 13, 2024 (**Second Wednesday of the month**)

December 18, 2024

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