Minutes of the Keweenaw ATV Club Meeting

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Daryl

Kitty

Julie

Mike M

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Mike P

Dave M

June 5, 2023

The Keweenaw ATV Club meeting was held at the VFW in Hubbell.

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 by Club President Daryl St. John. Other officers present were Vice President Kitty Beleck, Secretary/Treasurer Julie Karvonen, Trustees Mike Panijan, Dave Moyle and Ryan Laporte and Trails Maintenance Supervisor Mike McMahon.

The minutes of the May 9, 2023 meeting were read by Daryl St.John and a motion to approve was made by Ryan Laporte, seconded by John Laitinen, motion passed by a vote of the membership. Julie read the financial report – bank balance $39,251.15 with 24 corporate sponsors and 240 voting members. Motion to approve was made by Faye McMahon , seconded by Joanne Hannula , motion passed by a vote of the membership.

Old Business:

a) Trail BD, Lake Linden- The work has begun and is expected to be done by fall. B&B is working on the biggest section which suffered the most damage. There are other crews working on different sections and it should be completed by the end of summer and ready for ATV riding next summer.

b) Picnic-The annual Club picnic will be held at the Ahmeek Park on Saturday July 8th starting at 2pm. The monthly meeting will be held first and the picnic will begin right after. Lunch is being prepared by Mohawk Superette. A new pavilion is being built at the park and should be completed by the Fourth of July.

c) Trail BH, Eagle Harbor, The repair work on the trail should be done in one more day. Logging is being done on the trail and part of the trail has been temporarily closed down. Mike and Daryl went out and marked and signed a reroute to be used until the logging is done. Please follow the signs for the reroute. The new Trailhead parking lot on BH will begin soon.

New Business:

a) Day Ride- A Club day ride will take place on Sunday June 25th. We will meet at the Drift Inn in Copper City at 9:30 and Jim Dube will lead the ride through the Keweenaw. Bring your own picnic lunch.

b) Thank you to all our volunteers who did trail maintenance. We wouldn’t be able to exist without all our hard working volunteers. Great Job!!!

c) Other news- The snowmobile groomer barn will be getting some renovations and will be closed in later this year. \*Discovering did an interview with Mike and Daryl in regards to the Lake Linden Trail repairs. It will air tonight – June 5, 2023. \*Our local radio stations have been promoting the Club and doing interviews with Mike and Daryl and newscasts on the different Clubs activites. TV6 News has contacted the Club and would like to do a news story also.

Questions / Comments from the floor: There will be a suicide awareness ride on September 16th. We will provide more details as the details become available.

Next Meeting: a the picnic on July 8th, 2pm

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