

Idaho Traditional Bowhunters Monthly Meeting Agenda

June 8, 2023 6:30pm Zoom

1. Call to Order Zoom 6:30 pm by President Janet Houlihan
2. Introductions/Attendance
3. Treasurer's Report: Lisa Hall Income and expenses since last meeting.
4. Vice President's Report: Shawn Carman
5. Regional Director's Reports: North, Dennis Michael; East, Mike Ewing; Central, Ray Gorney; Southwest, Jordan Alves.
6. Director at Large Report: Mike Schlegel.
7. New Meadows Traditional Rendezvous, June 23-25, 2023

Preparations for site: On Tuesday, May 23 a visit to the site was made by Janet and Bill Houlihan, Dave and Lisa Hall, Ed and Bonnie Heasley, and Mark Wood to assess the cleanup area for a more radical brush removal to open more camping spots, and to evaluate the entry road and assess surface prep and possible gravel deposit. Gate installation was completed. Ed Heasley will return with grader to smooth road.

John Warford is researching gravel costs for road.

NMTR Cleanup of Site: Date for cleanup is Saturday, June 17th at 9am. Please bring weed-trimmers, loppers, gloves, sunhat, and miscellaneous site cleanup equipment to ready the area for the shoot on the following weekend. Pat Lopez and Ed Heasley will bring mowers. Pasture will be mowed and campsites brushed out. Trails will be flagged and brush trimmed. We need to decide amount of payment for fuel and use of mower equipment for Pat and Ed? Do we need to provide lunch and if so what? Lisa and Dave are bringing target trailer to the shoot site on Saturday, June 17, 2023 and will leave it there for the shoot the following weekend.

- NMTR Schedule of Events:
- Wednesday June 21, Early bird campers begin set up.
- Thursday, June 22, Trail crew arrive and set up camp and unload target trailer. Begin moving targets to target sites along trails. Mark Wood will not be able to be with us, but we can still use his trailer to haul targets. We will need a proper vehicle to haul trailer loaded with targets through the narrow trails. Porta-potties to be delivered., only 2 ordered (enough?)
- Friday, June 23, complete camp and target set up. Afternoon group course shoot and evaluation for safety. Registration and course opens 5pm-Dusk. Volunteers needed to help with 10 pm flashlight shoot, 10 targets, groups of 4 - 5 shooters.
- Saturday, June 24 Registration opens 9am-5pm, Distribute (new) Member gift bags at registration. Raffle tickets will be sold, will include Woodland Caribou target for raffle or member prize? (regular or special?) Bowhunter Challenge score cards available at registration. Raffle table set-up. Youth competition shoot happens Saturday morning, when do we give out prizes (Sunday awards ceremony)? Saturday afternoon (2 pm?) Potato shoot (we need volunteers to set up shoot and run it); Speed competition (also need volunteers to help set it up and run it). Long Distance shoot and Bow birds after Potato and Speed (volunteers needed to set up and run).
- Sunday, June 25 Registration opens 9am-noon. Blanket shoot cards available at 7am. Blanket shoot cards turned in by noon. One pm awards for blanket shoot, kids competition, great potato, Bowhunter Challenge, flashlight, speed, long distance. Course closes 2-3 pm ?, do target pickup (Volunteers needed!!!), clean trails and campground area. Porta-potties out on Monday. Overnight camping on Sunday if needed.

8. Western States in Idaho next year. We need designated volunteers to take care of the various aspects of the event, so please be thinking about your particular skills and how you can help make this a special event. We'll begin the planning in August.
9. Questions, comments, requests for other agenda items
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