

IDAHO TRADITIONAL BOWHUNTERS MARCH MEETING

The Idaho Traditional Bowhunters meeting was called to order at 6:30 P.M. by President Janet Houihan on March 14th, 2024. There were 14 members present at the zoom meeting. Janet started the meeting off by reporting about NWTrad Archery expo that was held in Pendleton Oregon. It was reported that we made about \$100.00. But we supplied the prizes for the photo contest, so we came out about \$30.00 in the black. It was great for the first time. And everybody seemed to enjoy it. Next year they will look for a place with more vendor space. The seminars were very informative.

Lisa Hall Secretary/Treasurer gave a financial report. We have \$7,260.87 in the bank account. There was a deposit missing from pay-pal, but that has been resolved. Lisa also reported that so far, we have spent \$651.84 on Western States Traditional Rendezvous shoot.

Shawn Carman the Vice President reported that he will get with Luke from up north and decide on the color for the t-shirts for the W.S.T.R. He showed us the design, and everyone thought it was great. He also talked about nominations for officers. It will be on the website for people to vote and nominations. Secretary Treasurer position is open. And any other officer nominations can be done through the site. He also reported that our zoom account memory is full so he will be transferring older meetings to YouTube.

Ray Gorney reported nothing new.

Janet talked about having the next Western States that comes to Idaho maybe in the central district. It would be at least 4 years before it comes back to Idaho. She also talked about the Prong Horn mount she got from Lori Turner. John Turner was the founding father of our club, and she gave the club one of his mounts. Janet said it now is pass the pronghorn to each president. It will be at the Fallen Archers shoot.

Dennis Michael reported that Idaho Fish and Game is putting a committee together to try and come up with a plan on the elk population. He sent a letter to hopefully be selected for this committee. There is a very high wolf population in unit 10A. It is the unit by Dworshak Dam.

The final touches were put on the fallen archers shoot. Dave Hall will haul the target trailer out to the site. Lisa Hall made sure the toilets were serviced. Janet picked up the key from Fish and Game. And Lisa contacted the Payette County sheriff's department for security. Lisa and Janet will bring Chili. The shoot is from 9:00 A.M. until 4:00 P.M. Volunteers are needed for the setup and takedown of the course. Don Schroeder will set up Bow hunter Challenge stakes.

Bow birds and Litter pickup will be April 27,2024. Janet will contact the Highway department before the pickup. The highway department has been contacted about the missing sign. The club will furnish a BBQ for this event.

Western States Traditional Rendezvous planning is coming along. Janet has been in contact with Tim from up north and their club will oversee several things. Porta potties, trash cans, signage, range set up, ribbon off area for vendors. Camping designation, Potatoe trophy and panic drop shoot. He also has a quiet generator. Janet will be keeping in contact with both Tim and John. A blanket shoot discussed the details need to be worked out. Our club will be bringing tables. We do not half to haul targets up there. Great news on that note. We will continue the planning on this shoot. Lots of working parts. Camping will open for this shoot Thursday night.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:20 P.M. Next zoom meeting will be April 11th at 6:30 P.M. mountain standard time.

Respectfully submitted.

Lisa Hall

Sec/Treasurer