

Inter-County Rifle League
League Meeting – Minutes, Saturday August 14, 2010

Neal Showalter, League President, called the meeting to order at 11:45 AM. This was after the end of the day match held at Seitzland.

Clubs present – Seitzland, Palmyra, York, and New Holland. Columbia was not represented.

The Minutes from the Spring Meeting were read and approved.

Dean Kreamer, League Treasurer was absent and the Treasurers Report was given by Bill Burkert based upon information provided by Dean. The Treasurers report was approved as read.

Old Business:

None.

New Business:

Erin Gestl suggested that we discuss the start times of matches particularly in light of the large number of shooters anticipated on the Palmyra team. Under current ICRL rules, the home team can start a match any time after 6:00PM as long as there is a full relay. After much discussion this rule will remain in effect but visiting teams are encouraged to communicate to the home team the arrival time(s) of their shooters and that this can aid in scheduling the visiting team's arrival and the start time of the first relay. This is particularly important if the visiting shooters want to make the first relay in order to arrive back home at a reasonable hour.

We'll continue to shoot a 20 match schedule despite having only five teams. To allow a 20 match schedule, the team with a bye is encouraged, but not required, to shoot a match at their home range. The scores which they shoot can be forwarded to the League Secretary who will compare those results with the results posted by the other clubs. If any of their four scores - prone, standing, kneeling, or team aggregate - are higher than the highest score posted by any of the other teams, they will receive a team point for those instances. If they equal the highest score, they will receive half a point. As many as four points can be earned. The intent is to make the bye week a meaningful match.

A League Budget was prepared and presented. Match fees were discussed as well as cost cutting measures, particularly with regard to the banquet which is underfunded at \$600. It has proven to be impossible to keep banquet costs under \$600. The idea of a league picnic was discussed and adopted. This year's host team, New Holland, will host the picnic on May the 14th. The Scholarship "Fun" Match will also be held prior to the picnic. The host team will receive \$600 to cover the costs of food, awards, etc. Shooters will pay the regular match fee to participate in the Scholarship Fun Match prior to and as part of the picnic. We will publish the details as they develop.

It was further decided to reapportion the Indoor League match fees from its current \$1.50 Club / \$1.50 League, to \$2.00 Club / \$1.00 League. This will reduce the treasury account somewhat but there was general agreement that we did not need to maintain the treasury account at its current level. This action will reduce the account by about \$275.00 during the coming year.

Election of Officers – continue with the current slate of officers.

Meeting adjourned at 1:05 PM.

Submitted by Bill Burkert, Inter-County Rifle League Secretary.