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MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD

Date:	2015-12-05
Venue:	Polisie Rondawel, Pretoria Noord
Time:	09:00

Present:

Errol Mann (EM)	Chairman
Roelof Groesbeek (RG)	Vice-Chairman
Madie Parsons (MP)	Secretary
Nettie Fouche (NF)	Treasurer
Mark Fairon (MF)	Technical Officer
Mike Brews (MB)	Development and Liaison

1) NEW FIELD TARGET CLUB

An email was received from Thomery Knoetze asking SAFTAA's permission to register a new FT club with SAFTAA. This club will be situated in the North West Province near the Hartebeespoortdam and will be known as "Leeuwenkloof Lead Heads Air Rifle Club". Although a new club should have 5 members as a minimum (See the constitution point 4) EM suggested that temporary status be granted to them for approximately 6 months to enable them to obtain the necessary members. If the club has a minimum of 5 Members NF suggested that 2 of the 3 league shoots that were allocated to SAFTAA should be given to the new club. The first one being on the 25/04/2016. MP will look at the calendar to determine where to fit the other league in. The main objective for opening this club is to promote and further the growth of Field Target as well as air rifle shooting in general,



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whether it is for fun or to be competitive. This club aims to get new members and not to ask current SAFTAA members to join them.

2) TRAILER

It was decided that Wyan Schoonwinkel can buy the trailer for R4000, 00 as is (without papers). He will only buy the trailer and not the equipment inside the trailer. All the equipment will be sold at the opening shoot of next year.

3) TARGET CHECKER

NF quote obtained a quote to have a target checker made. The cost for this is approximately R1600, 00. NF will obtain another quote to have the checker made. Saftaa will then have one made.

4) BROCHURES

The brochures will be distributed to the dealers by the end of next week. Approximately 6 dealers have been identified in Pretoria and 8 in Johannesburg. The cost for the brochures is R2000, 00. SAFTAA is paying R1000, 00 and RG confirmed that Wyan of Inyati paid the other R1000, 00. NF raised a concern as the payment did not pass her as the treasurer. NF told the meeting that Wyan didn't want to pay the league fees (R10) over to SAFTAA until he receives proof from SAFTAA that all the other clubs pay their contributions over. EM said that the R10 paid by the clubs to SAFTAA is only a gentleman's agreement and that SAFTAA can't force the clubs to pay the fees over.

5) SFT RULES

A communiqué was sent out to all the Club's chairs and the SAFTAA committee. 3 clubs and 2 Saftaa members responded. The SFT rules will now be published with the following changes:

Any rifle can be used including a racegun



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Maximum age that may use a bi-pod when shooting is 10 years

40 m rule is scrapped

For now only 2 classes will be accommodated PCP and Springer. As the sport grows the classes will be redefined.

Scope magnification will be fixed at 12X The Range Officer will see that all the scopes is set at 12X and it will be locked with masking tape.

The caliber is limited to 4, 5 and 5, 00

Power limit is 18 J

To be able to participate at the National Trials the same rules as normal will apply e.g. 6 shoots with an average of 60%. Only difference is that the 60% must be obtained in the SFT class.

6) NATIONAL TRIALS

The committee took all the club inputs into consideration. Inyati only responded to EM so the rest of the committee didn't know what their view was.

Mildots -Yes, they will be prepared to host one of the days

ERAC - No they feel that neutral ground will be compromised

Wonderboom - No people will have to travel to 3 different venues

Nomads - Yes but they also indicated that they will be able to build 3 new courses and therefore can host all 3 days

Cape - No neutral ground will be compromised

The committee unanimously voted Yes to the Nomads suggestion of hosting all 3 days MF will build 2 courses. Day 3 will be a combination of day 1 and 2.EM will speak to the lodge next to Nomads to hear if the prize giving function can be held there as well as what the cost will be. A braai could also be considered but everybody will then have to braai their own meat. Another suggestion is that no meal will be provided.NF indicated that she did a calculation and that the cost will most probable be R450, 00 per shooter. EM indicated that



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he will sponsor Proteas made from beads for each of the Protea shooters. He will also order the Proteas. Nomads indicated that they will run a tuck shop for the duration of the National Trials and that the profit will be donated to SAFTAA.

7) **WORLDS**

SAFTAA will start paying Sergio as we receive funds to do so. SAFTAA is only responsible for the 8 PCP shooters. MB will speak to Nicolas Yale regarding the sponsorship of the spring gun shooters. MP must send MB a letterhead so that he can write a thank you note to them for their sponsorship. MF raised a concern that they will only be 4 spring shooters at the National Trials. The hype around the range officer course at world has died down and SAFTAA will therefore wait before making any announcements.

Between MP and NF an e-mail will be sent to all the members with the following:

- 1) Happy festive season
- 2) Affiliation fees
- 3) National Trials Invitation
- 4) Calendar



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