

# Pirates of the Northwoods

## Meeting Notes

The next social will be Thursday, November 10, 6:30 p.m., at The Fire Lite. Besides the December 3 holiday party, this will be our last get-together until next year--unless we do the brat fry on December 31.

Present: Don and Pam Demmith, Bob MacIntosh, Bob and Toni Stastny, Joyce Stastny, Dan and Sherry Guendert, Dan DeMoulin, Linda Wickman, Jay and Jody Saunders

President Dan said we received a nice thank you note from Kim Heslip. She is fighting cancer and we gave \$100 toward her medical expenses.

Treasurer Don said we raised \$800 selling soup at Festi Fall and we have approximately \$3,200 in the treasury. A big thank you goes out to all the members and member businesses who donated soup, etc. for us to sell plus all the members who donated their time on a Saturday to sell.

Holiday Party will be at Mulligan's, Saturday, December 3. Cocktail hour is from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. with dinner served at approximately 7:30 p.m. We will be doing a "white parrot" gift exchange instead of the auction this year. If you wish to participate in the gift exchange, please bring a nice wrapped gift. You do not have to bring a present if you do not want to. It was suggested that since we will not be raising any money this year because there will be no auction, members may want to contribute the cost of the meal to the club. I will find out the cost from Don and Pam and let everyone know and I will send out a reminder. When you receive the reminder, please RSVP so I can give Don and Pam a number.

It was decided to give to the following causes for Make A Difference Day:



Date: October 27, 2016

Location: Mulligans Sports  
Bar & Grill, 16707 State  
Highway 32, Lakewood, WI  
54138

Phone: (715) 276-3125

\$500 to Wisconsin's Old Glory Honor Flight (Dan and Sherry Guendert will deliver check)  
\$225 to the Lioness' Books on the Buses project (Linda Wickman will deliver check)  
\$200 to the Wabeno Schools' Backpacks To Go project (Kitti Orchel will deliver check)

Dan and Linda--If possible, please take a picture when you present the checks. I will do the same and I will submit an article to *The Beacon*.

President Dan said the fish hatchery is looking for money next year to replace all the feeders. Each feeder cost \$275. He also obtained information on the Department of Transportation's Adopt-A-Highway program. Each group is expected to pick up litter on their segment of highway at least three times per year between April 1 and November 1. Dan thinks this would be a good project for our club to get involved in and wants to know everyone's interest. If we have enough members interested, Dan will contact the DOT after January 1.

Jay said he is contacting St. Mary's Church to see if anyone could use a little assistance from our members around the holidays. He will let President Dan know if he finds anyone.

Members decided to hold a Brat Fry on Saturday, December 31, whether permitting. We will watch weather reports and if it looks like the 31st will be a nice day, we will hold the brat fry. Please check your e-mails.

Members are asked to come up with possible fund raisers. Don D. suggested a chili cookoff or an April Fool's Day run.

As I wasn't at this meeting, these minutes are taken from President Dan's notes. If I have left out anything or if you notice any discrepancies, just let me know.

Secretary Kitti Orchel