

2022 GCCOC Alumni Association Meeting Minutes

Sunday October 2, 2021

Present: 15 Alumni, 3 Students

| Alumni | |
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| Cory Gibson '99 | Laura Gibson '12 |
| Adam Bush '06 | Laura Bush '09 |
| Thomas J. Morris III '77 | Chuck Theal '66 |
| Joan Theal '67 | Lynne Fogel '87 |
| Sue Knechtel '88 | Trent Dennison '77 |
| Tim Mahoney '10 | Mark Place '77 |
| Josh Butler '02 | Andrew Baur |
| Rachel Baur | |
| Students | |
| Abigail Treusch '23 | Alex Taaffe '24 |
| Daniel Beevers '24 | |

Meeting Called to order By Thomas J. Morris III Vice-President at 13:30

Opened in Prayer

Status Update on Lee

- Currently in Grove Manor in Grove City
- Wanted everyone to know he says hello
- Per Tom, he is in rough shape, and if you can stop and visit.

Secretaries report

- Secretary not present
- A brief synopsis of the 2021 meeting was given by Cory
 - Joan moved to accept the minutes, seconded by Sue. All in favor, none opposed.
- Cory was asked to take notes for the 2022 meeting

Cabin Report

- Good Summer outing, the following was accomplished:
 - Repaired riding mower coil after removing football size hidden mouse nest causing issues
 - Serviced push mower
 - Serviced both club chain saws, the Stihl had a badly damaged chain
 - Cleaned gutters
 - Cleaned spring area
 - Cleaned out road drains
 - Defrosted and serviced inside fridge and replaced the door seal. Door requires a forceful closing until the seal breaks in but should limit frost buildup.
 - Mowed the yard and pushed back to borders
 - Reseeded damaged areas
 - Cut up two remaining crooked trees. Stacked hardwood for indoor use on the left, pine for outdoor use on the right.
 - Dropped ~6 smallish widow makers around the yard and on the trail down
 - Cut up and brought a large fallen down oak on top to the left of the gate, stacked in splitting area. Probably 2 cords of wood there
 - Replaced 4 missing handles on large kitchen pots
 - Cleaned grill
 - Installed safety railing on girls wing exit

- Installed child and pet proof mouse bait holder in the mower shed and inside the fridge bottom.
- Refilled regular gas can
- Installed new roof on the girl's outhouse. Screen repairs to follow.
- Did some structural repairs to men's outhouse
- Straightened up work bench area in basement
- Major upcoming projects
 - Build rack for spare lumbar in basement. (Lots of spare lumbar was damaged by being stored outside)
 - Lower yard drainage is still problematic.
- Please remember to police your brass in the shooting range

Student Report

- Abby gave the report
- Concession stand is still very profitable
- 23 attended freshman outing
- About 15-20 active members
- Talk about a new fieldhouse still on college radar

Old Business

- Lee asked Tom to check if we still had a snake bite kit?
 - No, it is no longer necessary, close enough to medical treatment not needed.
- First aid Kit is stocked well.
- Mark has been trying to get Firefighter out to inspect the fire extinguishers for the past couple months and not having any luck. Will look for another company
- The soft wood / pine should not be burned inside, but great for Pig Roast or outside fire pits.
- Trees were taken down. Dehan Courtney bid \$200 to take down the trees. Tom gave him \$400.
- Sue mentioned lots of mice nests in the girls changing room. If any of the dishes stored there are to be used, they need to be disinfected before use. Also asked if we could move the dishes to plastic totes vs cardboard boxes.
- Chuck mentioned a huge yard sale at the assisted living facility near them if we needed any items
 - Tom requested a large aluminum tea pot

New Business

85th Anniversary

- Homecoming next year is Sept 30th to Oct 1st
- Lee wants to use the Quality Inn in Franklin
- Saturday night dinner
 - Mark will reach out to Quality Inn to check on Venue and Food.
- Adam will investigate a memento for the event, requirements < \$20. Tom requests ceramic mug that is made in the USA.

Election of Officers

- Slate of officers presented. Keep current officers but move to make Cory secretary.
- Sue moves, Joan seconds, all in favor, none opposed.
 - President – Lee McCoy
 - Vice-President – Thomas J. Morris III
 - Treasurer – Laura Bush
 - Secretary – Cory Gibson

Coating of the Cabin

- Tom will contact Chad (the contractor who did most of the restoration) about getting the cabin recoated.

- Tom will pay to have this done.

Treasurers Report

- We almost forgot this report!
- Quiet year
- Major expenses were logging and taxes
- Tough market
- Cory moves to accept, Adam seconds, all in favor, none opposed.

Miscellaneous topics

- Josh mentioned it was voted on a few years ago that once the trees were removed, he would plant some new trees
 - This will happen this spring. Plans are for some Sycamore, Chestnut Oaks, and some Mountain Laurel near the front porch.
 - Mark says they will need to be fenced in, and Josh promised to do something obnoxious, so you won't mow over them.
- Laura Bush requested something be done to improve the outhouses
 - A lot of back and forth, no decision was made, but will be investigated and a plan presented to club.
- Currently 63 paid members.

Cory motions to adjourn, Adam seconds, all in favor, none opposed. Meeting adjourned at 14:20

Respectfully Submitted

Cory Gibson '99