

# Winchester Trout Unlimited

(January 6, 2022)

The meeting was called to order by Gene Lewis, Vice President, at 7:04 pm in the meeting room of the Shenandoah Valley Discovery Museum with 9 members in attendance. Our thanks to Rick Mabe, the former museum's director, for gaining permission us being able to hold the meeting.

## Treasurer's report-Bill Prokopchak, Treasurer and Newsletter Editor

The Chapter has a balance of \$9,538.65 as of 12.31.2021.

Bill has been Treasurer for several years and has announced his retirement. The Chapter is looking for a volunteer to fill this post. If any chapter member is interested, please contact Gene Lewis or Galen Westman

## Trout in the Classroom- no report

## Reel Recovery and Project Healing Waters-Wayne White

The PHW Martinsburg program is no longer active in part due to Covid and no inpatient care. Wayne White and Phil Stephens are formulating plans and are in contact with key individuals at the Stephens City VA facility as well as Phil Campbell, Virginia Regional Coordinator for PHW, to explore starting a program at this site.

## State TU update-Tri-State trout Camp- No report

## Red Bud Run Restoration-No report

## Bar Fly-Gene Lewis, VP

The next Barfly is scheduled for Wednesday 11/10 at the Escutcheon Brewery in Winchester, VA.

## Holiday Party-Gene Lewis and Bill Prokopchak

The Holiday Party was the most successful yet. We were able to raise over \$1200 from the Silent Auction.

## Student Clinic Strasburg High School- Bill Prokopchak- No report

## Alaska Fishing Trip Opportunity-Drew Paterson

Drew is encouraging those who wish to experience a spectacular Alaska fishing trip to contact him. He is once again headed to the Naknek Fishing Lodge 8/6-8/13/2022. Contact Drew if interested.

## Future Meeting Location

The members present voted to move our meeting location to the Shenandoah Lodge and Athletic Center within the housing development around Lake Frederick. This is a result of not being able to use the Shenandoah Valley Discovery Museum. Lake Frederick is located about one mile south of the intersection of Rts. 277 and Rts. 522. For those who wish to eat dinner before the meeting, Regions 117 restaurant, located in the Lodge building is available. Standing dinner reservation for a table of 8 at 5:00 pm will be made each month to assure table availability. Thanks to Fred Boyer, Nick Brognano and Wayne White, residents of Lake Frederick, for arranging the location and meeting room details.

Meeting adjourned approximately 8:08 pm.

Submitted by:

Fred Boyer: