

**Ponoka Fish and Game Association**  
**Meeting Minutes May 3, 2018**

Evelyne Huseby  
Dick Sykes  
Best Sykes  
Tom Simpson  
David Abt  
Jim Sebry  
Robert Greene  
Steve Tattrie

Scott Rarick  
Justin Davis  
Tegan Drader  
Andy Drader  
Christine FrandsenMeeti  
Brian Booker  
Terry Hamre  
Gloria Hamre

Philip Arndt  
Dale Jess  
Time Thoreson  
Sherry Thoreson  
Herb MacDonald  
Nick Mandrusiak  
Kelly Kijewski

Meeting called to order 731pm.

**Approval of April minutes by Dave Abt. Seconded by Tom Simpson. Carried!**

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**Archery-** Cut outs make for prizes

- Idea how courses will be set up for the shoot.
- Fire pit donation and bow donation.
- Registration 730-830 start shooting by 9am.

**Banquet-** Evelyne picked up the fuel for the chafing dishes.

**Casino-** Nothing to Report

**Big Game-** Grizzly and two cubs out in the pass.

- Scott suggested animal cutouts for the trophies when we run out.

**Membership-** Issue with Canada Post, keys in the mail getting stuck in the sorting machine.

Family- 99  
Dependents- 179  
Regular- 216  
Total: 494

- Letter received from Howie Johnson lifetime member.

**Bird and Fish-** Stopped pumping water in to Gull Lake, found Russian Carp in the canal. Article in the Ponoka news April 18 and May 2.

- Whirling disease has now in Red Deer River, Bow River, and North Saskatchewan River.
- We now have doves in Alberta, 38 counted in Calgary at Christmas count.

**Environment-** County is reviewing land use regulations.

- Density of feed lots
- Grassy Mountain coal mine waiting on Alberta Parks and Recreation Approval.
- Linignston/Porcupine range access restrictions.

**Predator-** Keep an eye open for predators when you are in the bush.

**Property Pofianga-** Work Bee Saturday May 5, 2018 (firewood bins filled, instal dock, clubhouse cleaning, clear garbage, debris and fallen trees, usually range cleanup and repair.)

**Rentals-** High School Rodeo Association would like to use the range on a week day for 22 and trap.

**Tom Simpson made a motion to allow the High School Rodeo Association to rent the range for a day during the week. Scott Rarick seconded. Carried!**

**Past President-** Nothing to Report

**Property Glen Eden-** Ice took both of the duck boxes.  
- No more snow and no wash out.

**Publicity-** Wildlife awards banquet was great.

**Treasurer-** Presented profit/loss  
-Casino report completed.

**Range-** Someone has been shooting shotguns on the range again.  
- Opened the gate up last night.

**Rodeo-** Nothing to Report

**Trap-** Between 5 and 8 members coming out.

**Youth-** 1st application for camp came in.  
-This week will be working on volunteer mail-outs.

**President-** Nothing to Report

**Secretary-** Nothing to Report

**Property Gull Lake-** Talked to Robert Shorten have to get square footage ect.

**Old Business-** Zone 3 Meeting: AFGA looking for donations to fund their new building.  
- Raised \$84,000 for the Stollery @ the Millet Banquet.  
- We are up 50,000 acres for the Wild Life Trust Fund.  
- Red Deer Fish and Game pheasant program needs assistance with funding.  
- Blackmore Shoot \$125- 8 Shots  
- Doug Wood said he can help out with tie flies at kids camp.  
- Red Deer holding next Zone 3 Meeting Oct 12, 2018 location TBA.

**Steve Tattrie moved to adjourn.**

Meeting adjourned 835 pm