

OHCRA - Planning Meeting Minutes - 11/18/07

Members Present:

Ted, Connie, Harold, Laurie, Tony, Jock, Paul K, Paul W., Wil

Old Business:

There was no outstanding old business

New Business:

Paul Wood presented the Treasury Report. We had some income this year due to a few new members and sale of inventory. Income about covers cost of newsletter, etc.

Lot's of discussion was held regarding 2008 trips. There was strong desire to do some different rivers, especially by a few that have not done several of the streams in Ohio. This was the approach taken in choosing the 2008 trips. Below are the proposed trips/events and dates for 2008.

<u>Month</u>	<u>Stream or Event</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Trip Leader</u>
January	Hocking Hills Winter Hike	19/20	Jock & Debbie
February	Snowmobiling in Michigan	16/17 – 23/24	Lance
March	Canoecopia in Wisconsin	7-9	Tony & Alice
March	Auglaize/L. Auglaize	15/16	Wil
April	Little Beaver	19/20	Harold & Laurie
May	Big Darby	17/18	Jock
May	Buffalo River (Ark)	??????	Harold & Laurie
June	Big Walnut	21/22	Tony
July	Buckeye Lake Pub Paddle	26	Ron & Tony
July	White Man's Fire	19	Jock
August	Mad	16/17	Ted & Connie
September	Grand (Cuyahoga)	13/14	Harold & Laurie
October	St. Joseph	11/12 – 18/19	Wil
November	Planning Meeting	9	Tony

The Hocking Hills Hike will be a non-canoeing fun weekend. Expect to stay in cabins, etc. Watch website for details.

The snowmobiling outing will depend on details worked out by Lance. All are urged to come that can and are interested. It's been a while since an OHCRA winter outing, so we wanted to schedule one, especially since we had an OHCRA representative in Michigan. Watch website for details.

The "Canoecopia" is canoe convention of sort. Lots of trade goods etc. Call Tony or see website for details.

The Buffalo is a trip that Harold & Laurie are doing anyway, so it was thought that we could make another OHCRA out-of-state event out of it. Watch website for details.

The Buckeye "Pub Paddle" is a pending event. A great time was had last time it was done with the "voyager" canoe. Watch website for details.

Since we all can't make every outing, everyone is welcome to add more options and relay that to Tony so it can be put on the website. Some may be able to make different trip times than was agreed on for those listed. So, plan more trips!