

PaCO Annual Planning Meeting
Sunday, November 5th, 2023, 11:00 • 633 Iberia Rd., Galion, OH

Minutes

Attendees: Mary, Eric, Tom B, Sharon, Paul K, Chuck, Ron, Jilinda, Tom G., Helen Greene, Steve, Tony

Called to order 11:05

1. Approval of 2022 Minutes

Jilinda moved to approve; Tony seconded. Approved unanimously.

2. Treasurer's Report

- Starting balance (Nov., 2022) was \$253.
Deposits totaled \$195
Expenses totaled \$104
Club balance is now \$344.
- Tom provided a money order to turn our treasury to the new treasurer.

3. Old Business:

- Tony asked to see information about thank you notes and money we donated before OHCRA disbanded. Tom provided a picture of the Hayes tree we donated in addition to letters of thanks for the other donations. Tony will post them on the website under the "Misc." tab.
- Website needs updating to change "OHCRA" headings to "PaCO," in addition to other changes. Mary will work on this during the winter and send changes to Tony.

4. New Business:

Treasurer election

- Huge thanks to Tom Burger for his many years of service!
- Ruth Devereaux has been nominated to serve as treasurer and was elected unanimously.
(Thank you, Ruth)

Secretary election

- Laura has resigned as secretary of the club. (Thank you for your two years of service, Laura!)
- After a brief discussion, Tony moved that we no longer have a secretary. Chuck seconded.
Motion passed unanimously.

Revised Trip Leader Guidelines

Changes to the draft included adding "or assistant" to the bullet point stating the trip leader should be on the water; took out "pot luck theme" in opening paragraph, added "recommended" to leaving a float plan with campground or member who is not paddling.

Jilinda moved to approve as amended; Tom B seconded.
Guidelines were adopted unanimously.

Revised Participant Guidelines

Participant Guidelines changes include saying “strongly recommend” instead of requiring PFD’s, added “throw bag” and “shoes designed for paddling” to recommended footwear.

Eric moved to accept as amended; Chuck seconded
Guidelines were adopted unanimously.

2024 Outings

April –	Lake Loramie April 19-22 Ruth
May	Greenville Creek May 10-12 Tony
June	Tuscarawas River June 21-23 Ron
July	Mad Either 12-15 or 19-20 Mary/Eric
August	Mohican Steve and Mary/Eric Aug 18-21
Sept	St. Joseph Sept 27-29 Lance
October	Little Miami Oct. 11-13 Mary/Eric and Lance
Nov	Planning Meeting November 3 Place TBD

Meeting adjourned at 12:20.