

Minutes of the ASAC General Meeting March 20, 2010

1. The president called the meeting to order at 10:00 am and opened with welcoming everyone to a new fishing year, and thanking them for their support. The membership then recited the pledge of allegiance, and had a moment of silence for those who have passed during the year.
2. Roll call was taken by the corresponding secretary and found 19 clubs were present.
3. Corresponding secretary read the minutes from the last General Meeting. President asked if any corrections were needed to be made. Motion to be accepted, seconded and passed and the minutes were accepted into record.
4. Treasurer report was read by the treasurer Arlene. A motion was made seconded and passed to accept the treasurer's report.
5. Charmaine our web master spoke about the recent additions to our web site, several articles on our rights for fishing and changes to the by laws, and encouraged everyone to check them out.
6. Our vice president Dick spoke about the golf tournament and how it's one of our largest fund raisers for ASAC, he also spoke about the need for judge's at the Shaner's Tournament.

Delegates Report:

- A. Delaware: Paul Mathis had nothing to report
- B. New Jersey: No one present
- C. South Jersey: Vice president Dick spoke about Beach Access and lack of it, he spoke about a new plant that may have been discovered that is endangered, so this will bring about more issues as far as closings.
- D. Kurt from NJBBA was at the UMS meeting so no report given

Communications:

- A. Our president spoke about beach Access from here South.
- B. Greg O'Connell gave an informative discussion on Beach Access and the RFA and the "free registry"
- C. Lou Ostrander spoke about the situation in North Wildwood with the beach access issue and how it's been limited due to loss of beach. They have lost a lot of beach due to

storms and our time on the beach for fishing may be limited due to that fact. He will try to keep us updated on that fact.

D. John from LBI Fishing Club spoke about the sand replenishing issue in Harvey Cedars and LBI.

E. Doc spoke about a similar loss of beach issue that Brigantine is facing due to loss of sand there as well.

F. Greg from Merchantville announced that Merchantville would like to present an award at the end of the year for largest fish. They would present a plaque and \$200 for the five years.

New Business:

1. The one year provisional membership is up for Jersey Anglers, a vote was taken to vote them into membership. Vote passed.
2. Amendment Change to By laws stating that host clubs are not permitted to enter a team into there own tournaments. Motion on the floor, seconded and third. Passed
3. Amendment Change to by laws stating that Herring and Shad would count as a score able fish with a minimum of 10 inches. Motion on the floor, seconded and third.
PASSED
4. Amendment Change to by laws stating that Under 13 cast assistance points count for the team. 1 parent each child with no more than 3 per team. Motion on the floor, Voted on NOT PASSED>
5. Show up points were voted on: When a team shows up and registers and the tournament is cancelled due to weather they receive 5 points for show up. Must show up to get your points. Voted on PASSED
6. A proposal for a Fly fishing group during the regular tournaments was mentioned. No interest from Members.

Old Business:

1. None

Elections:

All were re-nominated and seconded and moved to close:

Trustee: George Forman was re-elected
Recording Secretary: Jane was re-elected

Treasurer: Arlene was re-elected

Corresponding Secretary: Lynda was re-elected

Vice President: Dick re-elected

Assistant Vice President: Andre re-elected

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President: Jim re-elected Jim also let everyone know that he would stay as president for 2 more years, and then he would be standing down after that. He would help and stay involved but not as the president.

All regional Directors will remain the same.

Meeting Adjourned at 1:38