

Silverthread Outdoor Recreation Club and Silverthreaders Club
Minutes for **January 20, 2015** at South Fork Community Center

Our new President Elizabeth Baugh called her first meeting to order at 7:00PM. A Pot Luck Meal at 6:30 was enjoyed before the meeting by about 25 members. We had two guests, Scott and Karen Coker. We also had two new members in attendance, OA and Shari Watson.

The Minutes and Financial Report by Lloyd Thiesfeld were approved.

Snowmobile Report: George Powell and Gary Goetz

- Some club members have snowmobiles for sale. Contact Jack Morris or Barbara Thiesfeld if you are interested in purchasing their machines.
- George reported that we only have 30 hours of grooming. He said it's been tough grooming through the ice due to the lack of snow.
- Gary reported that he had been from Tucker Ponds to Park Creek and back. He said getting to Elwood had difficult spots and, Willow Park did not have good conditions.
- Tucker Ponds and Park Creek are groomed, and there is snow at Elwood.

Hiking/Snowshoe Report: Wayne Moulds

- We've gone to Big Meadows twice. Our best hike was at Ivy Creek. We also went to Deep Creek. The best hikes are outside of South Fork.
- We meet on Mondays at 10AM at the Visitor Center.

Ice Fishing: Edna and Dwayne Powers

Edna and Dwayne go ice fishing at Clear Creek Falls. The sign at Clear Creek Falls states snowmobiles only ---no skiing!

Christmas Party: Barbara Thiesfeld

The Christmas Party was held at the Old Firehouse on December 15, and was a great success. Many of us attended and enjoyed a great meal and fellowship. We had fun music from the 60's plus entertaining games and drawings throughout the night with lots and lots of give-away prizes. Some of our members took to the dance floor. We also collected canned goods to donate to LaPuente.

Merchandise: Barbara Thiesfeld

We have jackets, hats, and shirts available after the meeting. We will not have new merchandise until summer, since Tommy is out of town.

CSA Meeting

The CSA quarterly meeting will be held on Sunday, January 25, 2015, from 7 to 8:30AM at Meeker. We don't have anyone attending.

Other Business:

George Powell and Betty Geis encouraged anyone going to Alamosa to visit John Graeser who is staying at "The Bridge". He is away from everyone here and feels like a prisoner away from home.

New Business: Dwayne Powers and Lloyd Thiesfeld

- We need to know ahead of time if we are going to hold the Poker Run this summer in order to get the permit approved. We can set a date and alternate dates for the permit. Dwayne motioned and it was carried that we select a date at our next meeting.
- Lloyd Thiesfeld is updating the directories. Be sure your membership dues are current. Keep him current on your contact information.
- Lloyd explained that we have two clubs. The non-snowmobile club, Silverthreaders, is \$20 per year per family due each May. The snowmobile club includes Colorado Snowmobile Association (CSA) which is \$22 per year per family starting due in December plus \$8 for our Silverthread Outdoor Recreation Club. The snowmobile memberships are available online on the CSA website. Be sure to designate Silverthreaders as your club.

The 50/50 was won by Guri Pryce. The meeting was adjourned.

Margie Patterson, Secretary