

Ashokan/Pepacton Watershed Chapter of Trout Unlimited
General Meeting
Wednesday January 22, 2020

President Mark L. called meeting to order @7:13

Treasurer's Report: Motion by Tony M to accept as presented 2nd Roy M A/U

Secretary's Report: No report. Available on chapter website

Acid Rain report presented by Jody H.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

NY Dec will be proposing new regulations for trout streams this February. The board has discussed this and is prepared with other chapters to address any issues these new regulations present. Some of the issues could include open angling all year, classifying wild trout streams and an updated stocking policy.

Other Business:

Trout in the Classroom: Hank Rope reports all is well.

Phoenicia Library Angling Collection Fly Tying:

This year the sessions will be the first 4 Saturdays in February @ the Phoenicia Rod & Gun Club with the last session at the Phoenicia Library. The time for all sessions is 10:00 to 2:00. **Preregistration is required for all wanting instruction.** Contact Hank at 845-254 5904 or tyeflys@hvc.rr.com. Hank informed us that 8 people have signed up and he is looking for volunteers to assist him.

Thanks Hank for this great event.

MOTION: by Tony C to budget up to \$100 for hooks and supplies for Hank's fly tying event. 2nd by Ed O. Approved Unanimously

Discussion regarding parking at the Boiceville terminal of the Rail Trail. There could be an issue with overcrowding and angling space being used by others. We will monitor the situation.

Mark L. reports that the start of the replacement for the Rt 28 bridge in Mt Tremper is scheduled for this spring.

Today HAPPY BIRTHDAY Jody Hoyt !!!

Still here after all these years as Treasurer of our Chapter. Thanks Jody for taking on this important work.

Meeting adjourned @ 7:36

The business meeting was followed by a fly tying session.

Thanks to all who attended the meeting and a special thanks to those who tied.

Respectfully submitted

Tony Coccozza, - Chapter Vice President