

**IOWA STATE TRAPSHOOTING ASSOCIATION Annual Membership
Meeting July 25, 2010**

President David Wickman called the 2010 Annual Membership Meeting to order at 8:00 a.m. on Sunday, July 25, 2010, at the ISTA Home Grounds in Cedar Falls with 101 members in attendance. Director's Don Wickliff, Jim Cole, Jon Peterson and Barrie Swinbank were present.

The Secretary read the minutes of the 2009 Annual Meeting. It was moved by Noel McCalley, seconded by Pat Lyman, to accept the minutes as read. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's report for the year and a summary of the state shoot were presented. There were 429 annual memberships issued in 2010 compared to 390 in 2009. The life memberships issued in 2010 were 5 compared to 12 in 2009. Grand total life memberships issued are 766. The daily fees for 2010 were \$3,428.00 compared to \$3,043.50 in 2009. State shoot entries thru Saturday are 3,632 from 3,889 in 2009, down 257 shooters, which is a decrease of 6.63%. Cash assets as of July 19, 2010, were \$38,425.50 (\$32,099.78 in checking account and \$6,325.72 in youth account) compared to \$52,770.40 on July 20, 2009. Total other assets are \$646,188. Liability to the First State Bank of Colfax is \$20,546.32.

The High School Shoot held Friday, June 4th had 364 kids, of which 140 shot registered targets, who shot 200 targets and 9 kids who shot 100 targets and on Saturday, June 5th had 513 kids who shot 100 targets for a total of 125,000 targets plus 7,325 practice for a total of 132,325 targets. Our estimated profit from the High School Shoot was approx. \$7,500. The gun auction on Friday netted \$1,975 at the State Shoot. The Hall of Fame Silent Auction raised \$1,757. Louis Segebart moved, Gary Dudley seconded, the financial report is accepted. Motion carried.

Election of President: W. C. Byerly nominated Dave Wickman as President, seconded by Brick Hejlick. Mark Scholl moved nominations cease, seconded by Gayle Lawson, motion carried. Dave Wickman was declared President.

Election of ATA Delegate: Lori Wickman nominated Dan Wood as ATA Delegate, seconded by Louis Segebart. Marlin Cromwell moved nominations cease, seconded by Phil Thyer, motion carried. Dan Wood was declared ATA Delegate.

Election of ATA Alternate Delegate: Brick Hejlick nominated Kevin Hartwig as 1st ATA Alternate Delegate, seconded by Randy Grill. Gary Dudley nominated Pat Lyman,

seconded by Phil Thyer. Kevin Hartwig asked to have his name removed from the nominations of ATA Alternate Delegate. Lori Wickman moved nominations cease, seconded by Tim Gerdes. Pat Lyman was declared 1st ATA Alternate Delegate. Brick Hejlick nominated Kevin Hartwig as 2nd ATA Alternate Delegate, seconded by Randy Grilz. Gary Dudley moved nominations cease, seconded by Louis Segebart. Kevin Hartwig was declared 2nd ATA Alternate Delegate.

New Business: Dave Wickman updated the membership on the State of Iowa sales and use tax issue the ISTA has been assessed for the tax periods January 1, 2006 through December 31, 2008. Our attorney in Des Moines has filed a protest on both the sales and use tax issues on July 22, 2010. We are told that this process could take 8 months before getting an initial response from the Department of Revenue. The ISTA needs to hire a lobbyist. Dennis Bigelow and Barrie Swinbank each commented on why a lobbyist is necessary in this matter.

Dave thanked everyone for their patience this week on shooting the doubles. Starting the week shooting all 100 doubles on one trap was a mistake, but the Board did listen to suggestions and revised the shooting of doubles to 50 per trap.

The Board did hire an independent source, Kevin Dolphin CPA, P.C., to complete an Accountant's Compilation Report of the assets, liabilities and net assets – cash basis of the Iowa State Trapshooting Association as of December 31, 2009. A copy of the report is available for any member to review.

Dave also commented on the ISTA's Internal Revenue Service audit of Form 990-T income tax return for the period ended December 31, 2007. The issues of income from vendors, program advertising and land rent were reviewed in this audit. The audit has been completed and the ISTA owed \$503.15 for 2007; \$220.23 for 2008; and \$318.40 for 2009.

Dan Wood commented on the ATA, particularly the new AIM program for the youth. Jim Brown was the AIM director in 2010. Effective September 1, 2010, the AIM co-directors will be Mick Friedel and Robert Doerres. Dale Stockdale commented that at the 2010 Heartland Grand, he will be waiving all fees for AIM shooters. Dan also commented on the new ATA category rule. Dan will present the results of the Iowa survey conducted at the Iowa State Shoot at the 2010 Grand American. A comment was made to include more Iowa information in Trap & Field.

For the memberships information, Dave stated that several members have agreed to be on a trophy committee who will select and purchase trophies for the 2011 Iowa State Shoot. Dave commented that Mick Friedel devised a system to set doubles quickly. Talk to Mick if you are interested in his system.

In closing, Dave thanked the Board, Alternates and everyone who worked to make the 2010 Iowa State Shoot a success.

A motion was made by Tim Gerdes that the meeting adjourn, seconded by Gary Dudley. Meeting adjourned at 9:00 am.

Debra OelmannSecretary