



Space Coast Regional Chapter of the Florida Master Naturalist Program

Officers Meeting

July 5, 2018

6:00 p.m.

Catherine Schweinsberg Road Central Library, Cocoa

Officers Present:

Mark Prynosi - President

Peter Connolly - President Elect

Tara Miller - Treasurer

Kerri Lubeski - Secretary

Holly Abeels - Facilitator

6:00 p.m. Call to Order- Mark

Minutes of Last Meeting: June 7, 2018 Meeting minutes were approved.

Old Business

Financial:

To date we have 61 members

1 new member

4 renewed members

Checking \$1,491.15

Savings \$110.15

Quarterly Membership Meetings:

Thursday, August 9 Summer Quarterly meeting is confirmed for The Great Outdoors. Once the address is verified Holly will post the meeting on social media sites.

Emily DeLanzo

Summer Quarterly speakers needed. Kerri will reach out to some people at the Merritt Island Wildlife Refuge Education Department and the City of Titusville Water Resource Department.

Previous Chapter Activities:

June 30th Hubbs Seaworld field trip had approximately 25 people attend. Event was considered a success.

Future Chapter Activities:

August - bioluminescent kayak tour. Peter suggested looking at launching out of Titusville. Possible vendor maybe BK Kayak.

September - Indigo Conservation Tour. Bert will look into details.

October 27 was selected as the date for a bike ride in Titusville to Chain of Lakes Park and a lunch stop at Victorio's or the Playalinda Brewery. Kerri will follow up with details.

Outreach Update:

We will have a table at Wild about Nature in Viera on September 22 10 - 2 p.m.  
Need to secure raffle prize (laminated id guides).

Enchanted Fall Forest in Titusville. Waiting for them to publish date

Founder's Day in Satellite Beach. Waiting for them to publish date.

Hoot in the Park in Wickham Park. November 17th. Need to sign up.

Ocean's Reef and Beach Festival in December. Waiting for them to publish date.

Master Naturalist Classes Scheduled:

Environmental Interpretation - Brevard Sept 28 - October 6. Course full.

Freshwater Systems - Volusia Sept 14 - Oct 12 Course full. To date no one has been assigned to pitch the Chapter to the class.

Coastal Systems - Volusia Oct 12 - Nov 16 Course full. To date no one has been assigned to pitch the Chapter to the class.

Upland Systember - Brevard Oct 12 - Nov 17 Course full. To date no one has been assigned to pitch the Chapter to the class.

Other Topics:

Chapter t-shirts for group outings and volunteering. Board will pick a design considering feedback from Survey Monkey.

Chapter volunteer opportunities per quarter ideas.

September 15 we will participate in the International Coastal Clean Up. We will announce at the Summer Quarterly Meeting.

We are in need of names for nominations for the Secretary and President Elect positions.

Meeting adjourned at 6:45 p.m..