

Star Prairie Fish & Game Association--April Meeting Minutes
April 17, 2017—Madsen's Garage on Cedar Lake

The April meeting of SPF&G was called to order at 6:45 p.m. by President Zais. The Secretary's report was approved as read. The Treasurer's report was tabled as guests were present.

Thank You's: **To:** None.

From: None.

Meeting Guests: **John Carlson & Gary Horvath-Trout Unlimited**

Attendance: 22 Members

New Members: Matt Diethert

Committee Reports:

1. **Pontoon Ride:** Tabled.

2. **Youth Hunt:** Club received Wisconsin Wildlife Federation ammo grant. 8 boxes of #6, 20 boxes of #7.

3. **Bucks Night:** All 20 bar guns plus duplicates have been purchased.

4. **Habitat/Fisheries:** Trout stocking to take place on Willow River, Friday April 22nd and Wednesday April 26th.
Contact Mike Kelly for more info.

5. **Outreach:** Village of Star Prairie was granted money for youth service day. The idea of a youth fishing day was brought up, more discussion at next meeting. Scholarship deadline will be April 15th, not May 8th as mentioned in the past.

6. **Membership Report:** The club has 31 paid members for 2017.

Old Business:

1. Doering Memorial- Work has been done at North landing, new signs have been put up. A brass plaque was suggested for now as a memorial. A pavilion idea was also brought up for the North landing.

2. Youth SPF&G- More discussion was had on the idea, location and number of meetings per year were topics.

New Business:

1. Trout Unlimited- John Carlson and Gary Horvath presented to the club problems with the current culvert at the Parker Creek Wildlife Area. The present culvert is impounding water upstream and degrading trout habitat in that portion of creek. Looking to place a much larger culvert and perform streambank restoration upstream. They are asking for \$5000 as our clubs contribution. Habitat/Fisheries committee will discuss and present to the membership at May meeting.

2. Buoy Install- Diz will notify on date & time.

3. Hwy 65 Cleanup- Scheduled for April 24th at 5:00pm, meet at Park.

4. Steve Peterson was drawn for the attendance drawing and was not present, the May drawing will be for \$40.

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

The next meeting of the SPF&G Association is scheduled for Monday, May 15, 2017 at Madsen's Garage on Cedar Lake.

6:00 p.m. Social Hour

7:00 p.m. Regular Meeting

Respectfully submitted: Chris Clarkson (Secretary)