

**Florida Sporting Clays Association
State Shoot Meeting Minutes
April 27, 2007-Quail Creek Plantation-5 pm**

Board Officers:

Present: Jerry Seaman, President; Roger Kershaw, Secretary; Debbie Wall, VP

Board of Directors: Wayne South, Markham Park Rep.; Toby Muir, South Florida Rep.; Murry Brown, North Florida Rep.; Ken Branham, WW Sporting Clays Rep.; Fred Fanizzi, Quail Creek Rep.; Jim Odle, Central Florida Rep.

Quorum present:

Yes

Others Present:

several dozen FSCA members

Proceedings:

- Meeting called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Pres., Jerry Seaman
- Last Year's State Shoot meeting minutes were read by Roger Kershaw. Motion to approve was made and seconded.
- Treasurer's Report: by Treasurer, Parsons Metzkwow and his wife, Connie. (read by Roger Kershaw and taken from the January 29th 2007 Meeting Minutes)

President's Report:

Jerry Seaman reported that there were 224 residents attending this year's state shoot, 20 non-residents from 12 states, 5 hunters giving a total of 249 total in attendance which is at or near a record for Florida State Shoot.

Our president thanked Fred and Maria Fanizzi and Mr. Whit Hudson for hosting this tournament over the last three years. The membership and attendees gave them all a rousing applause.

Special thanks were given also to the shoot sponsors who contributed money for prizes, amenities, and the band.

Specifically these sponsors were Lincoln Traps, Waste Management, Southern Sportsmen's Supply (Mike Spyker), Pier II resort in Okeechobee, Morris Hatchery plus several other smaller sponsors.

Thanks were extended as well to Gary Bloom and Kirk Perkins for their work in setting the targets, targets that were universally hailed as stiff, yet fair and interesting.

Also praised were the University of Florida trappers who all did a great job proving as Jerry said that their football and basketball teams are not the only champions in Gainesville.

Not to forget the work that Debbie Wall did on our behalf, Jerry thanked her for selection of the awards and rounding up give-away prizes that were handed out after the banquet Saturday night. Great job Debbie!

Reports of Committees:

State Shoot Committee

The FSCA Board awarded the 2008 Annual Florida State Sporting Clays Tournament (April 19-21, 2008) to Bradford Sportsmen's Farm in Graham Florida. Jerry Seaman expressed his confidence that the Welch's and Al Stefanelli will go all out to provide a great state shoot.

Pat Welch presented a graphic view of his tournament layout and list of events planned for next year. The attendees indicated their approval with a hearty round of applause. Pat also explained where Bradford was, how to get there and a

brief synopsis of hotel accommodations nearby.

Election of New Board of Directors

The FSCA Board was elected in 2006 and terms expire in 2008. New officers will be elected at the January 2008 General Membership meeting and new directors will be elected at the State Shoot in Bradford in April, 2008.

Jerry appointed or rather "volunteered" Murry Brown, Fred Fanizzi, Wayne South and Jim Odle as the Election Subcommittee and prompted the attendees to select candidates for the Officers with that subcommittee for 2008.

Unfinished Business:

a. There were no unfinished business issues to discuss

New business:

a. There were no new business issues to discuss

Adjournment - **MOTION** to accept the President's Report and adjourn moved and seconded

· Meeting adjourned at 5:45 p.m.

· Minutes submitted by Secretary, Roger Kershaw.