

United Divers of Central MA
Date: 9/20/18
MINUTES

Attendance: 10

I. Call to Order

The meeting at Slattery's, Fitchburg was called to order at 7:30 pm by Chair Hinz; prior meeting minutes distributed via e-mail.

II. Reports

A. Treasurer: Jane Howard reported the following financial status:

- General Fund \$ 1835.19
- Reserve Fund \$ 2163.07
- Grand Total \$ 3998.26 Cash on hand \$154

MOTION to accept the Treasurer's report; **APPROVED**

B. Secretary No additions or corrections to minutes.

C. Activities Coordinator: Frank Miller reported
Eleven people had a cook out and night dive at Back Beach, Rockport, September 8. Jack showed footage of a squid filmed during the dive.

Plans for Underwater Pumpkin Carving Sunday, October 28, Webster Memorial Beach, Lake Webster were discussed. Marcelle e-mailed the beach has fire pits and closes at 8pm.

Ryan King is next month's speaker.

D. Membership/Publicity Coordinator. No Report

E. President Jack Hinz reported:

III. Old Business

St. Lawrence River dive trip DVD is available.

IV. New Business

A. Bob Abraham and Rich Atkins volunteered to be the nominating committee for the October election. Jack, Frank, Karen, Jane and Marcelle were nominated for their current positions. Open positions are Vice President and Secretary.

B. Jane suggested a pirate theme for the November Meeting. Jan Abraham was recruited to conduct Scuba bingo. Larry Dufour suggested we also play a "walk the plank" form of "hangman". There will be no meeting in December. We will meet again in January 2019.

C. Dive Talk-The following members participated in dive talk: Frank Miller, Jack Hinz, Rich Atkins, Jane Howard

D. Guest Speaker: Victor Mastone Topic: 17th Century Mishoonohs in Lake Qunsigamond.

V. Adjournment

No 50/50 raffle held; the next meeting is scheduled for October at 6:30 pm at Slattery's Fitchburg; Meeting adjourned at 9 pm.

Submitted by: Jane Howard