



TENNESSEE TRAILS ASSOCIATION

INC.

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MINUTES THIRD QUARTER BOARD MEETING September 10, 1983

The meeting was held at the restaurant building at Cumberland Mountain State Park.

Present: David Stidham
Bertha Chrietzberg
Dot Lingerfelt
Evelyn Tretter
Grimes Slaughter
Vic Canada
Arthur Yates
Everett Kidder

Absent: Sharen Patterson
George Minnigh
Sam Powell
Jill Norvell

Also Present: Pat Anderson
Evan Means Howard Ray Duncan
Ruth Slusher Max Thomas
Diane Davidson

The vice president, Bertha Chrietzberg, asked that all chapters have their 1984 hike schedules ready for coordinating at the annual meeting in October.

A motion was passed to deposit the interest on the association's savings account in the operating account, and to reinvest \$1000 in an 18-month savings certificate.

A motion was passed to require 24 hours of work on the Cumberland Trail to obtain a patch. The green and yellow patches already being awarded will be used.

It was agreed to designate the ^{4th} Saturday in ^{months that have 5} June and September ~~each year~~ for the chapters to promote work trips on the Cumberland Trail.

Evelyn Tretter was appointed chairman of a nominating committee to select a slate of officers for 1984, to be voted on at the annual meeting. Nominations may be made from the floor also.

Volunteers to man the TTA exhibit at the TVA barge in Nashville September 14-17, 1983, were asked to call Vic Canada, chairman for this project.

Arthur Yates had been appointed TTA chairman for Hike Day at Land Between the Lakes on Oct. 1, which TTA will co-sponsor. Mr. Yates is appointing teachers for several outdoor workshops, including camping equipment, trail etiquette, safety, outdoor cooking, etc.

Evan Means reported that his book, Tennessee Trails, is going into second printing. He is revising to update. Mr. Means has donated his royalties to TTA.

Objective: To promote, construct, and maintain a state-wide system of hiking trails, and to work for the conservation of natural resources inherent to this objective.

Sponsor for the Cumberland Trail

A recipient was chosen for the annual TTA Award, to be announced at the annual meeting in October.

Diane Davidson, Adopt-a-Trail chairman, said a good number of trails have been adopted but few have been reported on. She suggested the chapters pursue this matter, perhaps getting in touch with Boy Scouts and other organizations and school groups. Ms. Davidson suggested a coordinator might be appointed in each chapter and the name of such people be given to her.

David Stidham, chairman of the Cumberland Trail committee, reported that meetings had been held with officials of Bowaters Paper Company, who have allowed the trail to cross their company's land, and that the work is going forward.

Evelyn Tretter
Recording Secretary