



Winchester Chapter of the Izaak Walton League of America Membership Meeting October 21, 2021

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. Twenty five members attended the meeting. Members stood and recited the Pledge of Allegiance and the IWLA pledge. The meeting was preceded by a pizza dinner, suggested by Ray Palladino and supported through member donations.

Muley Fanatics: Dave Kavanah, representing the only chapter of the Muley Fanatics Foundation east of the Mississippi River, spoke about the Foundation's mission to ensure the conservation of mule deer and their habitat. He announced that the chapter's fundraising efforts included a \$2,000.00 contribution to the Winchester Chapter of IWLA. Dave invited members who are interested in the Foundation's mission to contact him or visit the Foundation's website at www.muleyfanatic.org.

Treasurer's Report: Chapter Treasurer Paul Sattler reported that renewal notices have been sent via email to all members who included an email address in their original applications, and that as of the date of the meeting 95 members have paid their 2022 dues. Those members for whom the chapter does not have an email address on record will have their renewal invoices mailed to them via USPS. The full Treasurer's report is posted on the chapter bulletin board.

Approval of Minutes: The minutes of the September Membership meeting were approved.

Membership Report: Chapter Membership Director Peg Sattler reported that the Winchester Chapter now has 899 paid members, with another 32 pending attendance at the New Member Orientation.

Speaker: Appearing for the second time in two months, attorney and chapter member Greg Porter presented part 2 of his class on Virginia firearms law.

Adjournment: The meeting adjourned at 9:15 pm. The next Membership Meeting will be November 18, 2021.

Guest Speaker: Attorney and Chapter member Greg Porter presented an informative class on current Virginia law governing firearms, including concealed carry. The class was once again well received, and Mr. Porter was invited to present a follow-on class at a future membership meeting.

/s/J F Sherry

J. F. Sherry, Secretary