Williamson Conservation and Sporting Club 6786 Pound Road Williamson, NY 14589

Meeting Minutes for Tuesday November 4, 2025

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by President Tim Montondo at 7:00 PM immediately following the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

<u>Members in Attendance:</u> Dan Sperr, Ron Nearing, Luis Rivera, Bruce Sodervick, Ted Watts, Bob Crombach, Ed Summers, Jeremy Bryant, Eric Giebner, Dave Samuelson, Tim Montondo, Jeff Kunzer and Bill Jolliff.

Officers Reports:

- Minutes for the October 7th meeting were read and approved.
- Club Treasurer Jeff Kunzer gave his report for October. His report was approved. Jeff reported there were 539 paid members as of October 31, 2025.
- Sporting Clay's Report: Jeff Kunzer reported the next Hunter's Tour event here at WCSC will be January 24th and 25th, 2026.

Old Business:

- Club insurance has been taken care of.
- The Spooky Shoot held on Thursday evening, October 30th, went very well. Despite the rainy weather, there were 23 shooters including some youth shooters. Will do it again this coming Thursday, November 6th beginning around 5:30 PM and can continue until 9:00 PM. Briefly, it is a 5 stand setup on the Skeet field. A shooter will shoot 5 shots from 5 stations for 25 shots. There will be one single bird and then two sets of report pairs at each station shooting at all 5 targets. In addition to the high and low house, 3 other traps are used: a rabbit, and two other traps, a right and a left, past the high and low house. Cost to shoot is \$8.00. No shot size larger than #7 ½ may be used. Be aware this is a night time shoot under black lights and rain apparently doesn't faze some shooters.
- Charlie Schweigerts all you can eat perch and walleye fry on Saturday October 18th went very well with lots of good food. Almost \$700 was donated to the club's Youth Fund thanks to Charlie and his helpers and all those that brought in food to share.
- The person renting the clubs trailer has died and effort is under way to completely vacate the building and contents.
- The club's snow blower will be sold via sealed bids similar to the 4 wheeler. Those interested should check it over when the barn next to the club house is open.
- The Camillus Sportsman's Club's outdoor gun range has been temporarily closed following a cease-and-desist letter issued to them from Town of Camillus. Some stray bullets were found in nearby houses that may have come from the club's shooting range. Reminder to all shooters to be extremely careful when shooting to be sure each round goes into the berm behind the target holders.

New Business:

- The club dues for 2026 will increase slightly to help offset higher costs: \$70 for regular member; \$40 for senior member; \$700 life member and \$400 for senior life member.
- Club member Bill Haley's reloading equipment and components have been given to the club to be sold with the money going into the Youth Fund. All on display on the back porch.
- Likewise, Russ Darrow is getting out of duck hunting and would like to sell his decoys, boat and other stuff. A list is available in the back porch also.
- A Club Manager is still being pursued. Meanwhile, help is needed throughout the day on Thursday's. If you have some time and would like to help out, just come in on Thursday's.
- If you would like to learn the basics of how the club's trap's function, Sunday mornings would be a good time to stop in and learn the basics from Jeff. He can use some help keeping them running.
- Jeremy Bryant has 9 youngsters interested in shooting with 2 more showing interest. If you know of any kids, boy or girl, that has an interest in shooting, contact Jeremy or show up at the club on Saturday mornings. Director Eric Giebner can also be contacted.

Wayne County SCOPE Report:

• Nothing to report.

Upcoming events

- Thursday November 27 is Thanksgiving Day. The club house will be closed.
- Tuesday December 2nd at 7:00PM. Next WCSC monthly meeting.

Adjournment

• The meeting was adjourned at 7:30 PM.

Respectfully Submitted by Bill Jolliff, Secretary