

IWINR Board Meeting at Lime Creek Nature Center in Mason City
November 6, 2007 (not an official meeting not enough for a quorum)

Present: Theresa Shay, Karen Osterkamp, Amber O'Neill, Lori Eberhard, Renee Bartling
and Joli Vollers

Great Strides into the Future IWINR Conference at Lime Creek Nature Center February
9, 2007

- Confirmed speakers: Mary Skopec—Water Quality—Clear Lake. Karen Findley—Dog Training, Dr. Bill Franklin—A Sojourn to Andes and Patagonia of South America, Karen & Theresa—ice fishing and ice safety
- Todd VonEhwegan would do snow shoes/nature hike if needed and Guy Zenner was suggested for Fly Zone if needed.
- Nikki Schlitter—ISU student speaker, Terri's HCC students—How many will you have? Renee was going to check with NIACC, they have students that have been doing prairie restoration
- Karen is checking on Wendy Winterstein—ISU dean of Ag for keynote speaker and Pam Thiel or Louse Mauldin from US Fish and Wildlife
- Newsletter articles due to Jackie by Nov. 20th.
 - Lori—Black Hawk Deer Management
 - Theresa—Habitat
 - Renee—Member profile
 - Jackie—Kids pages
 - Amber—recipes
 - Lori/Amber Conference Info
- Elections---Jackie and Theresa are off this year.
 - Nominees: Andera Evelsizer, Nicole Cannon and Renee Bartling. Any other please send to Lori.
- Lori is contacting Liz Christianson and Beth Chipp in Accounting about the upcoming conference and how to handle for staff to attend.
- OJ—Still trying to find a place for a third camp. Looking for a place closer to eastern Iowa—Lori Checking on Pine Bluff 4-H camp near Decorah. I also heard about a possible Girl Scout camp near Decorah as well I am checking on. Joli is checking with Jennifer Lancaster on a few places by Edgewood/Colesburg. We will schedule a little time at the conference to talk about OJ.
- We proposed to add having a committee for OJ in the by laws of IWINR. It was sent by email because of not having enough board members present. If it passes by the board it will be added to the election ballot at the conference. Anyone wanting to be part of this can contact Joli Vollers.