

PSSA Executive Committee Meeting  
December 17, 2024  
7:00 p.m.

A virtual meeting of the PSSA Executive and Advisory Committees was held on Tuesday, December 17, 2024, at 7 p.m.

Those in attendance included:

Don Neilson, President  
Jim Hoffman, Vice President  
Zach Eshbach, Treasurer  
Cathy Parson, Secretary  
Steve Ross, Tournament Director  
Dave Fish  
Steph Kern  
Carlette Proukou  
Steve Miller  
Debbie Ohye-Neilson  
Cody Rahn  
Brett Wells

The meeting was called to order at 7:13 p.m. by Don Neilson.

A motion was made by Jim and seconded by Cathy to approve the minutes from the previous meeting. Motion carried.

**President's Report – Don**

**Winter Update Letter:** The winter update letter is posted to the website and Facebook.

**\$2K Monday:** Announcement posted. Updates and rules to follow.

**KI Gunsmith Room:** Don Schaeffer, Jr. is donating the HVAC for the room. Other donations have also been coming in to help with the cost of the room.

**PA State Skeet Championship:** A meeting with the PA Skeet committee is planned for January.

**Tournament Director Report – Steve**

**Financials:** No change.

**Program:** Steve is working on a new layout for the 2025 program. All dates are up-to-date and he is hoping to have the program uploaded to the website by March.

**Westy Hogans:** There has been a positive response to moving the Westy's back to September. Many people are still needed to run this event. A suggestion was made to give all volunteers free pre-squadding and let them work on the bank that they will be shooting on.

**Trophy Report - Debbie**

Debbie reported that Celeste and Nick Fantanarosa have agreed to pick the trophies for 2 of the shoots.

**Camping Committee – Jim, Zach, Carlette, Andy S.**

The committee will be formalizing the fees for next year from the info that has been received.

## **Fundraising – Steve Miller**

**2025 Raffle:** 1,675 tickets have been distributed to sell. Trying to get interest from youth clubs to sell the tickets.

**Jonathan Hannahoe/Scott Grossman Donations:** A suggestion was made to raffle off the 3 lens Pilla set. Details to be worked out.

The 10 flats of shells (possible \$2 option) will be awarded to **all** shooters who break 100 straight in handicap and who played the option. This option will be available for **all** 2025 PSSA shoots. In addition, Scott Grossman has also donated 10 flats for a total of 20 flats.

**PGC Grant:** We did not receive the grant this year. We will try again next year.

## **AIM/SCTP/Midway Foundation**

**Coaches Grant:** There is \$1,040 left in the coaches grant. Classes scheduled for January and February 2025.

**Midway Grant Raffle Items:** A 45-qt. cooler worth approximately \$600 and a shot tracker worth approximately \$1,500 will be raffled off. A suggestion for the youth teams to sell raffle tickets for these items with the winning numbers drawn on Sunday of the Colonial Classic.

**High School Trap/Skeet/Sporting Championships:** Still working on getting information. Trying for 2026.

## **Old Business**

**Euro-Optic Sponsorship Opportunities:** Great positive meeting with Euro-Optic. Waiting to hear back from them after the new year.

**Project '24 Wrap up:** A wrap-up post for Project '24 will be posted on the Facebook page.

**Nominating Committee:** Still looking for volunteers to serve on the nominating committee.

**EC/AC Monthly Meetings:** Monthly meetings will be held virtually at 7 p.m. the third Tuesday of every month from September through April unless there is a conflict. Informal interim meetings will be held on the second and fourth Mondays at 7 p.m. now through April. Anyone from the EC, AC and/or other committees may join in on the discussion. Steve will send an invitation via Teams.

The next meeting will be virtual on Tuesday, January 21 at 7:30 p.m. (note change of time for this meeting)

Cathy moved and Jim seconded to adjourn. Motion carried.

Respectively submitted,  
Cathy Parson, PSSA secretary