## Winter Lakes Alliance

## **Meeting Minutes**

## August 5, 2017

- 1. Meeting was called to order by Deb at 10:00
- 2. Our speaker for the day was Christian Cold (DNR Wildlife Tech) His presentation was awesome.... his owl calls so real and anyone who wanted could hold the snake.... (No one did).... Not a rattlesnake.... a fox snake which is commonly misidentified as a pine snake... Mr. Cold's presentation was done through life experiences and many slides and pictures.. His stories and knowledge was really impressive and all wished he had more time to talk.... next time try to be there if you couldn't make it ... He is worth the effort to listen to.
- 3. Received a thank-you card for our scholarship award.... \$250 sponsored by WLA.
- 4. Picnic to be on SATURDAY August 26th at noon at Doc Smith Park.... no charge for members and their families... please bring a dish to pass.

Brats, Chicken, burgers, Cowboy beans and beverages will be provided.... Raffle tickets will be available.... Drawing will be on Sunday AM

- 5. Fish stocking to take place in October.... If you'd like to watch it's well worth it.... dates and time to come later.
- 6. Barber Lake landing is not done yet. No word on completion date.
- 7. School open house on August 30th from 4:30 to 7:00.... The public is invited. Dinner is provided. Yes JERRY and JUDI will have a booth and represent WLA thanks guys!!!
- 8. Next meeting is Saturday Sept. 9th at 10:00 at the town hall.... Our speaker will be Tom Heisler (DNR warden)
- 9. Have a safe Labor Day Weekend.... See you at the picnic!!

Respectfully submitted
Rick Hasselquist, Secretary