

**MINUTES OF THE
MISSOURI CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY
ANNUAL MEETING**

**MISSOURI NATURAL RESOURCES CONFERENCE--TAN-TAR-A RESORT
FEBRUARY 2, 2018**

Attendees

Tom Priesendorf, President	Kyle Winders	Chris Brooke
Greg Pitchford, Past President	Tom Boersig	Eric Rahm
Clint Hale, President- Elect	John Bruns	Paul Michaletz
Alex Prentice, Treasurer	Nicole Farless	April Sevy
Brandon Baumhoer, Secretary	Dixie Litchard	Lily Kennedy
Andrew Branson	Cheyenne Stratton	Kat Lackman
Andy Turner	Gabrella Elliot	Jenna Stiek
Jen Girondo	Jason Crites	Amy Wright
Emily Tracy-Smith	Joe McMullen	Jennifer Campbell
Vince Travnichek	Adam McDaniel	Laura Ruman
Joe G. Dillard	James Civiello	Mike Mitchell
Olivia Jackson	Sheldon Mifflin	John Lisek
Dave Michaelson	Nathan Storts	Kara Tvedt
Mike Thomas	Tom Whelan	Amy Meier
Lee Redmond	Dan Loken	Tyler Ham
Craig Paukert	Shane Bush	Josh Abner
Elisa Baebler	Moses Ong	Trenton Jones
Zach Morris	Wes Swee	Erica Parker
Bob Distefano	Nick Girondo	Jordan Heiman
Michael Moore	Dave Knuth	Zayne Aldrich
Nick Sievert	Dave Woods	Jessica Filla
Joe Chilton	Zach Ford	Brooke Widmar
Mark Zurbrick	Greg Stoner	Stephanie Sickler
Mike Gossett	Juju Wellemeyer	Jeff Williams
Jacob Westhoff	Bethany Hoster	Hope Dodd
Matt Matheney	Emily Pherigo	Mary Scott
Paul Spurgeon	Jodi Whittier	Kenda Flores
Samantha Holcomb	Brian Todd	Edward Sterling
Cory Blackwelder	Carl Romesburg	Kylie Sellers
Aaron Geheber	Ben Havens	John Fantz
Dalton Whittle	Brad Farwell	John Ackerson
Scott Voney	Kyle Case	Nathan Recktenwald
Ben Thomas	Paul Blanchard	Doug Novinger
Scott Lankford	Blake Stephens	Travis Moore
Christopher Hackaday	Scott Williams	Kathi Moore
Dan Metcalf	Brian McKeage	Paul Calvert
Michael Allen	Darby Niswonger	Bruce Drecktrah
Jason Walken	Thomas Huffmon	Craig Fuller

Andy Austin
Leann Drury
Bob Temper

Pam Lanigan
Jake Allman
Nathan McLeod

Brian Canaday
Meghan Halford

*(plus two in attendance whose names were illegible on the sign-in sheet)

Introductions and Welcome

Tom Priesendorf called the meeting to order at 1536h and it was determined there was a quorum. Tom then acknowledged the current committee chairs and the past presidents and officers of MOAFS, the North Central Division (NCD), and the American Fisheries Society (AFS).

Tom reported that the 2017 annual meeting minutes had been posted to the MOAFS website for review and called for any discussion. After no discussion, Tom made a motion to approve last year's minutes, which was seconded. The motion passed with all in favor.

Award Presentation

Joe Larscheid presented the Sport Fish Restoration Outstanding Project Award on behalf of the Fisheries Administration Section of AFS to the Missouri Department of Conservation (MDC) Discover Nature – Fishing Program. Each year, the award recognizes outstanding fisheries projects completed with Sport Fish Restoration Funds. The Discover Nature– Fishing Program is a statewide conservation science education program that provides students with an opportunity to learn about and interact with the outdoors. The award was accepted by Andrew Branson.

Treasurer's Report

Alex Prentice was pleased to report that 2017 was a great year for MOAFS and the Student Support Trust Fund (SSTF). The general checking account started with \$19,541.90 and ended with \$25,390.34. Major transactions included distributing the AFS Conference profits (\$13,111.23) to the following accounts: \$4,979.83- transferred to the SSTF buffered account, to fund the 2018 budget, \$3,771.29- transferred to Special Projects for 2017 SSTF budget, and \$4,360.11 remained in the general checking account. In addition to distributing AFS Conference profits, a general fund account increase of \$5,848.44 occurred, and is attributed to AFS Profits, investment earnings holding in Special Projects (*77) and dividends.

The SSTF also performed very well throughout 2017. Major transactions included surrendering CD-2381, and purchasing CD-2937. A profit of \$206.49 from the sale of CD-2381 was transferred to SSTF checking (*76). The SSTF mutual fund investments earned an impressive \$10,011.10 in 2017. Of the earnings, \$3,683.93 was allocated to the 2018 budget, and the remaining \$6,327.17 was allocated to the money market buffer fund. Since the inception of the investment mutual funds (April 2015), the rate of return has been 9.1%.

In summary, the general accounts in 2017 started with a balance of \$19,541.90 and ended the year with \$25,390.34 for a gain of \$5,848.44. The SSTF accounts in 2017 started with a balance of \$102,357.28 and ended with \$115,411.69 for a gain of \$13,054.41. Detailed account balances and budgets for the Treasurer's Report can be found in Attachment 1.

Finance Committee

Clint Hale presented the 2018 budget (Attachment 2). The budget is similar to 2017 with a few exceptions. The line item "Computer (Web Hosting and Software Update)" increased \$750.00

when compared to the 2017 budget. The increase was due to purchasing digital storage (~\$300.00), and a yearly subscription for Adobe Creative Suite software (~\$500.00). A line item was also added to contribute to the AFS Southern Division Paddlefish Publication (\$250.00). In addition to the line item revision and addition, Clint proposed two new events for 2018.

He first proposed MOAFS host a fishing tournament on Lake Taneycomo. The event will be on May 19th and held at Lily's Landing in Branson. There will be a \$70.00 entry fee per team, and an option to participate in a big trout pot (\$10.00 per boat). The tournament will take place from 8am-4pm. Limited boat rentals will be available. See attachment 2 for more details. All proceeds will go to the Student Support Trust Fund.

Clint also mentioned hosting another tournament at Table Rock Lake. A date for this event has not been set, and may not happen until 2019.

Lastly, Clint proposed hosting a MOAFS membership appreciation day at Lake of the Ozarks State Park, October 13-14. The event will include fishing during the day for those interested, followed by a fish fry/social event in the evening. Overnight accommodations will be available for those interested.

A motion was made to approve the 2018 budget and seconded. The motion passed all in favor.

Past-President's Report

Greg Pitchford began by reminding everyone to attend the awards banquet following the annual meeting, where the Lee Redmond Citizen's Award and John L. Funk Award of Excellence would be presented.

Greg then presented letters of recognition to the following:

- The 2018 MNRC Steering Committee was recognized for their efforts in successfully organizing and running the MNRC conference.
- Shags and Trevor Radio Show was recognized for advocating all things conservation and promoting Missouri's natural resources on their radio show. Shags thanked all resource professionals for their continued efforts.
- Janet Sternburg was recognized for her efforts to protect and improve Missouri's aquatic resources in the Mississippi River Basin.
- Francis Skalicky was recognized for continually educating and informing the public on topics related to Missouri's natural resources.
- Dan Metcalf was recognized for improving the appearance and effectiveness of the MOAFS newsletter. Dan also recognized all newsletter committee members (Emily Tracy-Smith, Hope Dodd, and Nick Sievert).
- Commercial Fishing Cooperators were recognized for supplying information and advancing knowledge for paddlefish and catfish on the Mississippi River.

Anglers with Disabilities Committee

Mary Scott reported that MOAFS will host several fishing events this year. The first event will take place at Meramec State Park on April 6th. If a rain-out occurs, the make-up date will be April 13th. The second event will take place at the Rolla Lions Club on September 15th, rain or

shine. The final event will take place at the Shepherd of the Hills Hatchery in Late April / Early May.

History Committee

Vince Travnichak began by recognizing Joe Dillard for his continued involvement within the historian committee. Vince then stated the 1st 50 years publication is in its final stages and is on pace to be published by June. Vince emphasized the importance of keeping updated records of MOAFS activities, and encouraged all members to document MOAFS activities with notes and photos. All notes and photos can be sent to Emily Tracy-Smith.

Continuing Education Committee

Andy Turner reported that he and Brad Farwell are frequently working with the NCD on continuing education workshops. Andy was also pleased to report that approximately 150 students attended the MNRC Student Job Fair. He thanked the 30-40 professionals who helped out with the event.

Information Technology Committee

Kat Lackman announced that John Fantz has stepped away from the committee, and Alex Prentice has replaced him. MOAFS is now required to purchase its digital storage. Kat estimated this will cost MOAFS around \$300.00 per year.

Legislative and Environmental Concerns Committee

Emily Tracy-Smith announced that Zach Morris and Brooke Widmar have joined the Legislative and Environmental Concerns Committee. With the help of Mark Zurbrick, the committee is working to engage MOAFS membership and keep members well informed.

Emily reported the following information concerning the 2018 legislative sessions: The 2018 legislative session began January 3rd, and bills have been proposed regarding land acquisition, composition of the conservation commission, the right to hunt and fish, and both the senate and house have proposed bills to amend the constitution to require sales tax dedicated to conservation purposes be resubmitted to the voters every 10 years. Committee members will be following these bills closely, and will attend any upcoming hearings.

The committee will participate in the Conservation Federation of Missouri Annual Convention in Jefferson City, March 9-11. Emily is serving as the Rivers, Streams, and Fisheries Committee chair with Zach Morris serving as vice chair. Other MOAFS members involved in this committee are Edward Sterling, Nick Sievert, Corey Dunn, and Greg Pitchford. The committee is seeking presentations from MOAFS members during the Rivers and Streams Committee meeting.

Emily is also working to have a MOAFS information booth for the Conservation Day at the Capitol on March 27, 7am – 3pm. Emily noted that this will be a great opportunity to highlight MOAFS activities, such as student support, continuing education, anglers with disabilities, and providing information regarding fisheries science.

Lastly, Emily stated the committee is considering two new projects. The first would be updating the “Directory of Aquatic Workers”, which was last updated in 1990. The directory would be a valuable resource that defines MOAFS expertise in fisheries and aquatic resources. Secondly, the committee is partnering with CFM, Stream Teams United, Student Chapters, and other willing organizations to create an advocacy workshop focusing on enhancing citizen’s ability to become active advocates for Missouri Streams. The advocacy workshop committee announced an upcoming webinar on February 22nd, 1pm (Eastern Time) by the Policy Director of AFS about the Support of the Recovering America’s Wildlife Act- A Guide to Grassroots Advocacy.

Membership Committee

Jennifer Campbell announced that she was stepping down as the Membership Committee chair and John Lisek will be her replacement.

Jennifer reported that MOAFS currently has 214 members (49 student and 56 life members), 166 of which have paid their dues for 2018.

MNRC Steering Committee

John Ackerson reported that 743 professionals and 168 students were in attendance for the 2018 MNRC. Of the people in attendance, 46% were AFS members, 26% were Wildlife Society members, 17% Forest Service members, and 9% were members of the Soil and Water Conservation Society.

The 2019 MNRC will be hosted by the Wildlife Society at Tan- Tar-A Resort February 5-7 (Tuesday-Thursday). John indicated the MNRC Steering Committee decided to move the 2019 conference to Tuesday-Thursday in an effort to increase participation throughout the final day of the conference.

The MNRC contract with Tan-Tar-A Resort will expire in 2019. As a result, the MNRC Steering Committee is weighing options and negotiating with Tan-Tar-A Resort to try and reach an agreement for the year 2020 and beyond.

Lastly, John announced Blake Stephens would be replacing him as the chair of the MOAFS MNRC Steering Committee in 2022. A MNRC Steering Committee contact list can be found in attachment 3.

Publicity Committee

Trish Yasger was delighted to announce the silent auction and outdoor adventure auction raised a total of \$1084.00 for MOAFS. Trish also urged all members who have not paid their MOAFS dues to do so.

Rivers and Streams Committee

Eric announced the annual Rivers and Streams Committee meeting will immediately follow the MOAFS Annual Meeting.

Student Support Committee

Jen Girondo began by presenting the 2018 Student Support Trust Fund budget (attachment 4), and noted that there were no significant changes from the 2017 budget. After the presentation of the budget, Tom Priesendorf made a motion to approve the 2018 Student Support budget. The motion was seconded, and passed all in favor.

Jen thanked those who have been involved with student support in various ways: award selection panels, presentation judges, advisors or MOAFS liaisons, leaders of student activities or field days, Student Support Committee members, and Finance Committee members. Then, Jen specially thanked all the students who have stepped into leadership roles within their societies.

Jen also reported that communications continue via email and facebook about job opportunities, relevant fisheries information, upcoming conferences, and scholarships. The Student Support webpage is updated, and the membership lists are current with membership chairs.

Jen then announced the recipients of the following student awards:

- Joan Duffy Travel Award- Michael Moore
- Student Achievement Award- Elisa Baebler
- Joe G. Dillard Outstanding Undergraduate Scholarship- Cheyenne Stratton
- MNRC Best Student Poster- Jeff Williams

Recipients for the CFM Carl Morrow and Ed Stegner scholarships are still pending, and will be presented by CFM at a later time. The MNRC Best Student Platform award will be presented once the review process is completed.

Following the student awards, Jen gave each student subunit president the opportunity to update membership of their previous year's activities.

- University of Central Missouri— Kyle Salisbury reported that the UCM subunit toured the Lost Valley Hatchery, assisted with a kid's fishing clinic, and attended an electrofishing event.
- University of Missouri— Cheyenne Stratton reported that the MU subunit hosted a biomonitoring event for students, raffle/bake sale, and visited the native fish aquarium at the Anheuser-Busch facility. Cheyenne also mentioned the subunit is planning on doing a hatchery tour sometime in the future.
- Southeast Missouri State University— Ed Sterling reported that the SEMO subunit hosted a carp cooking and eating event, assisted in Lake Sturgeon sampling, and started a Stream Team.
- Missouri State University— Brooke Widmar reported that the MSU subunit has been working with the National Parks Service, and has future clean-ups planned. The subunit is also hosting a trivia night fundraiser at a local brewery.

Newsletter Committee

Emily Tracy-Smith reported that the newsletter committee will continue to publish the newsletter twice a year (April and October), and will begin requesting information 4-6 weeks prior to publication. Emily reported on the history of the newsletters name, stating the May 1998 version was titled "MOAFS Newsletter", which was shorter than the previous title "American Fisheries

Society, Missouri Chapter Newsletter”. Membership searched for a name, and the title “The Redd” (submitted by Steve Fisher) was chosen and used on the August 1998 edition. Several years down the road (2006), Sherry Fischer proposed the newsletter name be changed from “The Redd” to something more indicative of Missouri. The name was never changed after Sherry’s suggestion in 2006, but the current Newsletter Committee wants to entertain the idea. So, the Newsletter Committee is asking MOAFS members to submit creative Missouri-centric ideas related to aquatics for a newsletter name. The winning suggestion will get a personalized caricature created by Dan Metcalf (as seen in the previous newsletter).

Eric Rahm made a motion to discuss changing the newsletter’s name, have the newsletter and executive committee’s reach out to membership for new name ideas, and select a new name at a later date. The motion was seconded and passed all in favor.

New Business

Tom Priesendorf announced that Darby Niswonger will serve as the new MOAFS Treasurer and Andy Turner is the new President-Elect.

Tom thanked membership for their efforts over the past year, and spoke about how much he enjoyed his time as MOAFS President.

Tom then handed the gavel to Clint Hale.

Clint’s first order of business was to present a certificate of appreciation to Tom Priesendorf as outgoing President. Clint also presented a certificate of appreciation to outgoing Treasurer, Alex Prentice.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made and seconded. The motion passed all in favor. The meeting adjourned at 1710h.

Attachments

1. Treasurer's Report, Alex Prentice
2. Finance Committee, Clint Hale
3. MNRC Steering Committee Contacts, John Ackerson
4. Student Support Committee Budget, Jen Girondo

MOAFS 2017 General Checking Account Balance

Account: 33970	Beg. Balance	Withdrawals	Deposits	Dividends	12/31/17 Balance
General Fund Accounts:					
Share – 00	\$8,502.11	\$12,706.49	\$12,706.49	\$25.55	\$8,527.66
Checking – 75	\$8,657.04	\$15,364.62	\$19,770.90	\$28.11	\$13,091.43
Special Projects Checking– 77	\$2,382.75	\$2,310.01	\$3,693.94	\$4.57	\$3,771.25
Total	\$19,541.90	\$30,381.12	\$36,171.33	\$58.23	\$25,390.34

2017 Student Support Trust Fund Balance

Account: 33970	Beg. Balance	Withdrawals	Deposits	Dividends/ Earnings	12/31/17 Balance
Student Support Accounts:					
Money Market – 78	\$5,015.22	\$0.00	\$10,435.03	\$27.67	\$15,477.92
Checking – 76	\$1,616.08	\$7,357.93	\$9,755.22	\$7.03	\$4,020.40
*CD – 2381 (24 mo @ 0.82%)	\$12,500.00	\$12,706.49	\$0.00	\$206.49	\$0.00
CD – 1479 (48 mo @ 1.25%)	\$12,736.38	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$160.40	\$12,896.78
CD – 2382 (48 mo @ 1.29%)	\$12,500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$162.93	\$12,662.93
CD – 2720 (48 mo @ 1.39%)	\$12,500.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$12,500.00
<i>CD – 2937 (48 mo @ 1.49%)</i>	<i>\$12,500.00</i>	<i>\$0.00</i>	<i>\$0.00</i>	<i>\$0.00</i>	<i>\$12,500.00</i>
Stock Market Index Fund	\$35,275.05	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$8,360.27	\$33,928.36
Int. Stock Market Index Fund	\$10,214.55	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$1,650.83	\$11,425.30
Total	\$102,357.28	\$20,064.42	\$20,190.25	\$10,575.62	\$115,411.69

2017 Account Balances Summary

Account	Begin 2017 Balance	End 2017 Balance	Change
General Accounts	\$19,541.90	\$25,390.34	\$5,848.44
SSTF Accounts	\$102,357.28	\$115,411.69	\$13,054.41
Total	\$121,899.18	\$140,802.03	\$18,902.85

MOAFS 2017 Budget

Income	2017 Budget	2017 Actual
MNRC Outdoor Adventures Auction	\$1,400.00	\$1,440.00
MNRC 2017 Silent Auction	\$500.00	\$293.00
Fundraiser Fish Pint Glasses and T-shirts	\$100.00	\$0.00
Membership dues	\$400.00	\$370.00
Lifetime Membership dues	\$0.00	\$0.00
Membership dues and rebates from National	\$500.00	\$745.60
Account dividends	\$30.00	\$32.09
Other income (donations)	\$100.00	\$13,346.24
Total Income	\$3,030.00	\$16,226.93
Expenses		
MNRC Raffle and Supplies	\$50.00	\$0.00
Anglers with Disabilities - equipment, fish , tackle, etc.	\$1,200.00	\$879.24
2017 Chapter Awards	\$400.00	\$984.00
Fenske award (did not contribute in 2015)	\$0.00	\$0.00
A.S. Weithman Best Paper Award contribution	\$50.00	\$0.00
Computer (Web hosting & software update)	\$500.00	\$600.00
Conservation Federation membership	\$200.00	\$224.00
Chapter Insurance	\$150.00	\$150.00
Postage, envelopes, stationary, printing, etc.	\$50.00	\$0.00
Undergraduate education initiative	\$500.00	\$0.00
Missouri Conservation Federation Liason	\$500.00	\$0.00
Other Expenses	\$0.00	\$9,699.34
Total Expenses	\$3,600.00	\$12,536.58
2017 Final	Budget	
Income	\$3,030.00	\$16,226.93
Expenses	\$3,600.00	\$12,536.58
Net	(\$570.00)	\$3,690.35
Actual Account	1/1/2017	12/31/2017
Checking Account	\$8,428.04	\$13,091.43
Savings Account	\$8,477.11	\$8,527.66
Total	\$16,905.15	\$21,619.09
Net Difference		\$4,713.94

MOAFS 2018 Budget

Income	2018 Budget
MNRC Outdoor Adventures Auction	\$1,100.00
MNRC 2018 Silent Auction	\$500.00
Fishing Tournaments (Taneycomo, Table Rock?)	\$800.00
Annual Membership Appreciation Event @ Lake of the Ozarks	\$250.00
Membership dues	\$400.00
Lifetime Membership dues	\$0.00
Membership dues and rebates from National	\$500.00
Account dividends	\$30.00
Other income (donations)	\$100.00
Total Income	\$3,680.00
Expenses	
MNRC Raffle and Supplies	\$50.00
Anglers with Disabilities - equipment, fish , tackle, etc.	\$1,200.00
2018 Chapter Awards	\$400.00
Fenske award (did not contribute in 2015)	\$0.00
Fishing Tournaments (Taneycomo, Table Rock?)- Operations	\$100.00
Annual Membership Appreciation Event- Operations	\$500.00
AFS Southern Division Paddlefish Publication	\$250.00
A.S. Weithman Best Paper Award contribution	\$50.00
Computer (Web hosting & software update)	\$800.00
Conservation Federation membership	\$200.00
Chapter Insurance	\$150.00
Postage, envelopes, stationary, printing, etc.	\$50.00
Undergraduate education initiative (travel stipend)	\$250.00
Missouri Conservation Federation Liason (travel stipend)	\$250.00
Other Expenses	\$0.00
Total Expenses	\$4,250.00
2017 Final	
Income	Budget
Income	\$3,680.00
Expenses	\$4,250.00
Net	(\$570.00)
Actual Account	
	1/1/2018
Checking Account	\$13,091.43
Savings Account	\$8,527.66
Total	\$21,619.09

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 MISSOURI CHAPTER OF THE AMERICAN FISHERIES SOCIETY
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TROUT TOURNAMENT

Saturday, May 19th, 2018

Lilleys' Landing

For more information call 417-334-6380 or 1-866-545-5397

Cash Prizes

1st place 35%
 2nd place 25%
 3rd place 10%

**Fees: \$70.00 per team (two-man team)
 \$10 for big trout (optional)**

**Start Time: 8:00 a.m.
 Weigh In: 4:00 p.m.**

Big Trout Pot (100% payout)
 1st Place.....70%
 2nd Place.....30%

Entry Deadline: May 19th - 7:45 a.m.

Rules

- Artificial baits only. No live bait is to be used anywhere during the tournament. Any Power Bait is considered live and is not allowed. All soft plastic baits are also considered live and will not be allowed.
- This is a CATCH-and-RELEASE tournament. All trout will be released unharmed at the end of the tournament.
- No more than SIX trout will be weighed in per team.
- In the case of a tie, the largest fish of the tying stringer determines the winner. All controversies will be settled by the Tournament Judge, Phil Lilley.
- All Missouri Fish & Game Laws will be enforced. Brown trout are required to be 20 inches or longer. To measure a trout legally- close the mouth and pinch the tail.
- Any brown caught, weighed in and killed negates any more browns from being counted towards that person's weight for the rest of the tournament. The only exception allowed is if the brown is a new Missouri state record.
- Contestants must fish from their boats. Contestants can leave their boats to use a bathroom or rest. Absolutely no wading.
- Each team will be required to DECLARE where they will fish, above Fall Creek or below Fall Creek. Those declaring above in the trophy area will not be allowed to weigh in any rainbows "in the slot" - between 12 and 20 inches. Those declaring below Fall Creek are not to go above Fall Creek at anytime during the tournament.
- Anyone cited for any fishing violations by the Missouri Department of Conservation during the tournament will be disqualified. In addition, anyone convicted of said violations will be barred from any future tournaments at Lilleys' Landing. Winners may be subject to a polygraph after the contest.
- A safety and tournament rules briefing will be held at 7:45 a.m. on the dock at Lilleys'. The Missouri Water Patrol may supervise the start. Life jackets must be worn at the start of the contest. Live wells will be checked at each send off.
- Teams will leave in flights if necessary. Each flight will have the same amount of fish time. Late arrivals will be penalized one ounce per minute at weigh in - no excuses. Trout must be weighed in before trailering boats.
- No chumming of any type will be tolerated. This means before, during or after the tournament.

Name (Angler 1)- _____
 Phone- _____
 Email- _____

Name (Angler 2)- _____
 Phone- _____
 Email- _____

To secure your team's spot in the lineup you must pay the entry fee when turning in your entry form. Checks can be made payable to Lilleys' Landing and mailed with your entry form to 367 River Lane, Branson, MO 65616. Or you can pay by credit card number by emailing this completed form with your cc number to office@lilleyslanding.com CC# _____ Exp _____ CVC _____

CREDIT CARD		
Date Rec.	Amount	Number

MNRC STEERING COMMITTEE (last updated April 2017)

	Chair 4th year	Vice Chair 3rd year	Secretary 2nd year	Member 1st year
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Chair Title	Chair 4 th yr AFS 2018	Vice Chair 3 rd yr TWS 2019	Secretary 2 nd yr SAF 2020	Member 1 st yr SWCS 2021
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SSTF 2017 Budget

	2017 Budget	2017 Actual
2017 Income		
Unspent money over the \$100,000 minimum from 2016 budget	-\$643.55	\$0.00
Money Market - interest	\$14.97	\$14.97
Share Certificate 2381 (\$12,500) - Matures 11/15/2017	\$0.00	\$206.49
Share Certificate 1479 (\$12,500) - Matures 5/5/2018	\$0.00	\$0.00
Share Certificate 2382 (\$12,500) - Matures 11/15/2019	\$0.00	\$0.00
Share Certificate 2720 (\$12,500) - Matures 12/6/2020	\$0.00	\$0.00
Checking 76 interest	\$10.06	\$10.06
Other income/donations	\$1,399.10	\$3,771.29
Transfer from MM Buffer to fund 2017 budget	\$1,500.00	\$0.00
Total Income	\$2,280.58	\$4,002.81
2017 Expenses		
Student Achievement Award (Grad) + AFS & Subunit Membership	\$530.00	\$530.00
MNRC Student Poster Award (MNRC reg, AFS & stud. unit memb)	\$67.00	\$67.00
MNRC Student Paper Award (MNRC reg, AFS & stud. unit memb)	\$67.00	\$67.00
Duffy Award (for 2018 Midwest)	\$230.00	\$0.00
2017 Student Colloquium contribution	\$400.00	\$250.00
J.G. Dillard "Outstanding Undergraduate Scholarship" + AFS & subunit member	\$2,530.00	\$2,530.00
Specific Request Funding (normally \$500 + \$1500 "extra")	\$175.00	\$0.00
Total Expenses	\$3,999.00	\$3,444.00
2017 Final	Budget	Actual
Income	\$2,280.58	\$4,002.81
Expenses	\$3,999.00	\$3,444.00
Net	-\$1,718.42	\$3,618.81

2018 Budget (Expenses)	
Student Achievement Award (Grad) + AFS & Subunit Membership	\$530.00
MNRC Student Poster Award (MNRC reg, AFS & stud. unit memb)	\$70.00
MNRC Student Paper Award (MNRC reg, AFS & stud. unit memb)	\$70.00
Duffy Award (for 2019 Midwest)	\$230.00
Student Colloquium contribution	\$150.00
J.G. Dillard "Outstanding Undergraduate Scholarship" + AFS & subunit member	\$2,530.00
Specific Request Funding	\$500.00
Total Expenses	\$4,080.00