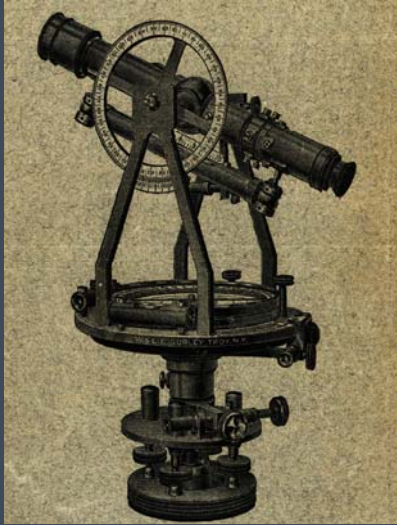


# R E C O R D E D A S . . .

The Northeast Wisconsin Chapter of the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors



## CHAPTER MEETING

Thursday

April 11, 2019, 6:00PM

Susters Arcade

Denmark, WI 54208

Visit us on the web: [www.wsls-nec.org](http://www.wsls-nec.org)



Travis Stuck from Davel Engineering and Environmental, Inc. will discuss changes in wetland regulations due to the new wetland laws.

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**2018 MEETINGS, SCHEDULE & LOCATION**

Winter General Meeting

Swan Club in De Pere

January 10, 2019 5:00pm Social 6:00 pm Dinner/Mtg

Winter Board Meeting

Nicky’s in De Pere

February 21, 2019 6pm Social 6:45pm Dinner/Mtg

Spring General Meeting

Susters Arcade in Denmark

April 11, 2019 6pm Social 6:45 pm Dinner/Mtg

Spring Board Meeting

The Skyview Club in Kaukauna

May 16, 2019 6pm Social 6:45 pm Dinner/Mtg

Summer Golf/Trap Outing

Mid Vallee Golf Course in Lawrence

July 18, 2019 5pm Social 5:45 pm Dinner/Mtg

Summer Board Meeting

Mackinaws Grill & Spirits in Green Bay

August 15, 2019 6 pm Social 6:45 pm Dinner/Mtg

Fall General Meeting

Liberty Hall in Kimberly

October 17, 2019 6pm Social 6:45pm Dinner/Mtg

Fall Board Meeting

Out-O-Town Supper Club in Kaukauna

November 14, 2019 6pm Social 6:45pm Dinner/Mtg

Winter General Meeting

The Ravine Pub, Grill & Banquet Hall in Green Bay

January 9, 2020 5:00pm Social 5:30pm Dinner/Mtg

**Newsletter  
Online?**

**Chapter newsletter online  
update.....**

The electronic version of the newsletter has been working great. Please let me know if any questions arise.

The website is up and in working order. Currently we have 99% of our members receiving the newsletter by e-mail . If you would like to sign up for the electronic newsletter email me at

bostedtj@ayresassociates.com

Visit us at - www.wsls-nec.org

Jill Bostedt - Newsletter Editor

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**2019 WSLs OFFICERS:**

- Terry Van Hout  
President
- Lisa Van Horn  
NSPS President Elect
- Jim Sehloff  
WSLS Representative

**2019 Chapter Representatives**

President - Ryan Duckart - 920-448-4493

President Elect - Brad Nelson - 920-467-2655

Director - Howard Herrild III - 920-498-5674

Past President - Andy Cleveland - 920-639-6908

Secretary\Treasurer - Tom Leslie - 920-448-4495

Newsletter Editor - Jill Bostedt - 920-327-7853

**2019 NE CHAPTER COMMITTEES**

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Larry Miller

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Paul Nordwig  
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**PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE**

Chair: Aaron Ballast (680-8261)

John Sleik  
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**SEMINAR COMMITTEE**

Chair: Terry Van Hout (448-6224)

Jeff DeZeeuw  
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**TRIG-STAR COMMITTEE**

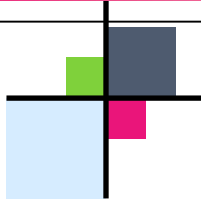
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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Presidents Message:

Greetings Fellow Surveyors,

I am humbled to be writing my first President's Message to you. I would like to start by saying thank you to the Northeast Chapter for the opportunity to serve as your President.

After talking to many of you and based on the number of Certified Survey Maps, Subdivision Plats and Condominium Plats that have been coming in for review here at Brown County, most people appear to be off to a busy start in 2019. With that being said, we still had 46 people attend our Spring Seminar held on March 22<sup>nd</sup> at The Rock Garden. I would like to thank the Seminar Committee for setting everything up. Also, a special thanks to Jerry Mahun on his presentation on Ethics, Conflict Resolution and Boundary Issues. He did a great job keeping everyone engaged in the presentation. Thank you to those who attended, and hopefully you all feel you learned some valuable information.

For those of you that are WISCORS users, there will be a public hearing in Madison on April 11<sup>th</sup> regarding the possibility of the WDOT charging a fee to use the system. The Wisconsin Legislator will also be accepting written comments until April 18<sup>th</sup>. There is a link available if anyone would like to comment on this online whether you are in favor or against the possibility of the WDOT charging a fee. Here is the link which also includes the WDOT documents filed explaining their justification for charging a fee. [https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/chr/all/cr\\_19\\_006](https://docs.legis.wisconsin.gov/code/chr/all/cr_19_006)

I encourage everyone to find a way to be involved in the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors, whether it be at the State level or in our Northeast Chapter. Thank you to those who have served on the board in the past. You certainly have set a precedence with high standards. Thank you to all who have served as a committee chair. I know everyone is busy, and it can be hard to find time to volunteer, but it can also be very rewarding. When I became the chair of the Trig-Star Committee a few years ago I had no idea what I was doing. Some may argue that I still don't know what I am doing. There are plenty of resources within our chapter and at the state level to bounce ideas off of and to get help if needed.

A Day In The Life at the Railroad Museum is coming up May 7<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>. If you are not familiar with this it is an opportunity to show kids in grades 3-8 how surveyors helped shape America. We usually have the students look through the scope of a level and try to put another student online with a prism pole and a pacing exercise for them to get a feel for surveying. In recent years we have also had the sand box from NWTC to show them how moving the sand around changes the contours and creates lakes in the low areas. We are also looking for volunteers to help the Boy Scouts get their Merit Badge in Surveying on Saturday, May 18<sup>th</sup>, at High Cliff State Park in Sherwood. Please contact Aaron Ballast at (920) 680-8261 to sign up for volunteering for either one of these learning opportunities for kids.

Lastly, I look forward to seeing all of you at our next meeting on April 11<sup>th</sup> at Susters in Denmark. Thank you to all who have donated student meals. It has definitely encouraged students to attend the meetings. I hope you all have a safe and prosperous year!

Sincerely,

*Ryan L. Duckart*

Ryan L. Duckart, PLS  
President, Northeast Wisconsin Chapter of WLS

~ GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING ~

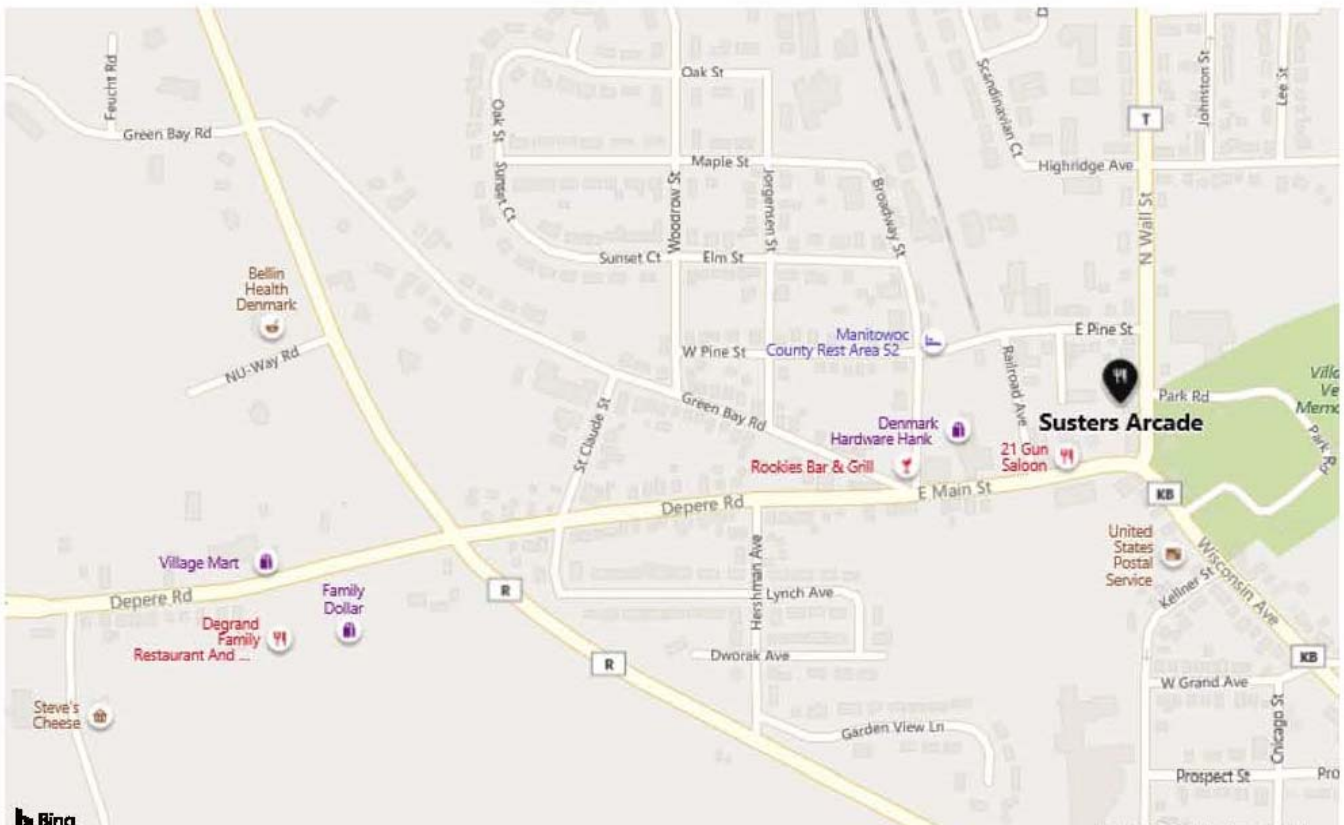
**The Northeast Wisconsin Chapter of the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors**

**Attitude adjustment is at 6:00 pm and Dinner is at 6:45 pm. Dinner will cost \$20.00.**

If you plan on attending the meeting please RSVP so we can get an accurate count for the meal.

Tom Leslie Secretary/Treasurer (920) 448-4495 Leslie\_TL@co.brown.wi.us

Ryan Duckart President (920) 448-4493 Ryan.Duckart@browncountywi.gov



Susters Arcade

117 N Wall Street Denmark, WI



# Northeast Wisconsin Chapter OF THE Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors



## General Meeting Agenda

4/11/2019 | 6:00pm | Meeting location: *Susters – Denmark*

|                     |                |
|---------------------|----------------|
| President           | Ryan Duckart   |
| President Elect     | Brad Nelson    |
| Past President      | Andy Cleveland |
| Director            | Howard Herrild |
| Secretary/Treasurer | Tom Leslie     |
| NE Chapter Rep      | Jim Sehloff    |

### AGENDA TOPICS

|   |               |
|---|---------------|
| CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER                                 |               |
| ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA                                   |               |
| APPROVE THE MINUTES FROM THE JANUARY 2019 GENERAL MEETING |               |
| APPROVE THE TREASURER’S REPORT                            | Tom Leslie    |
| NEWSLETTER EDITOR’S REPORT                                | Jill Bostedt  |
| WLS REPORT  | Jim Sehloff   |
| NSPS REPORT   | Lisa Van Horn |

### COMMITTEE REPORTS

|                                       |                     |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>Auditing Committee</b>             | Terry Van Hout      |
| Business:                             |                     |
| <b>CST Committee</b>                  | Justin Smith-Herter |
| Business:                             |                     |
| <b>Ethics and Practices Committee</b> | Tom Leslie          |
| Business:                             |                     |
| <b>Land Records Committee</b>         | Jason Bolz          |
| Business:                             |                     |
| <b>Legislative Committee</b>          | Jim Sehloff         |
| Business:                             |                     |

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**

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|                                   |                 |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|
| <b>Membership Committee</b>       | Ryan Duckart    |
| Business:                         |                 |
| <b>Nominating Committee</b>       | Joel Wald       |
| Business:                         |                 |
| <b>Program Committee</b>          | Andy Cleveland  |
| Business:                         |                 |
| <b>Public Relations Committee</b> | Aaron Ballast   |
| Business:                         |                 |
| <b>Scholarship Committee</b>      | Joe Lett        |
| Business:                         |                 |
| <b>Seminar Committee</b>          | Terry Van Hout  |
| Business:                         |                 |
| <b>Student Chapter Committee</b>  | Austin Guiliani |
| Business:                         |                 |
| <b>Trig-Star Committee</b>        | Ryan Duckart    |
| Business:                         |                 |

**OLD BUSINESS**

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- A Day In The Life
- Boy Scout Merit Badge
- 45/90 Donation Check

**NEW BUSINESS**

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- WISCORS User Fee Hearing
  - Life Membership Awards
  - Student Meal Update
  - Change NE Chapter Scholarship to Mark Teuteberg
  - Utility Locate Issues
  - 703 Condominiums
  - 2019 Bill
  - Any other new business?
- Administrative Rule A-E 7
  - Committee Changes - State

**Adjourn**



# Northeast Wisconsin Chapter of WSLs

## 2019 WINTER GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

### January 10, 2019 – Swan Club in De Pere, WI

The 2019 Winter General Meeting was held on January 10, 2019 at the Swan Club in De Pere, WI. There were 34 members present, including 2 students, when Chapter President Andy Cleveland introduced:

#### Presentation

**Lisa Van Horn**, Brown County, updated the membership on the latest NSPS happenings, including:

- Changes are coming – more organized meetings, more membership involvement, more public outreach – things to get organization up-to-date
- Executive Committee will be attending the Annual Institute in January – talk to them!
- BeASurveyor.com, started in North Carolina, has been obtained by NSPS – more geared towards making young students/schools aware of profession
- Student Competition will be held in Washington DC this year – several changes to the format
- Wisconsin took 9 total 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> Place awards at the National Map Contest
- Getting more involved in Government affairs (Capitol Hill Day, increased lobbying efforts)
- Kids Surveying posters are available for a minimal cost for ALL to use in any outreach program
- NSPS Insurance is a great deal – more people should check it out – well worth your time
- CST is continuing to gather steam nationally
- National Surveyor Week coming up in March
- Made another \$5k donation to Disaster Relief
- Increased dues by \$10 (now \$50)

President Cleveland thanked Lisa for her informative presentation and CONGRATS on President status!

President Cleveland then called the General Meeting to order at 7:07 pm

The following reports were given (\* by email):

#### Newsletter Editors Report (Jill Bostedt)\*

- No report at this time – all is going well

#### WSLS Report (Jim Sehloff)

- December 2 meeting for discussion on proposed 703 changes was attended by many associations: Realtors, Counties, State Bar, Title, and WSLs. Very good

discussion, all leading to a draft proposal to be dispersed soon to association memberships

- Looking for Webmaster to take over the website and two more team sponsors for Bucky's Challenge student teams
- Meeting with Digger's Hotline did not go well
- Dues are increased by \$10 (See presentation notes)

#### NSPS Report (Lisa Van Horn)

- See "Presentation" notes

#### Auditing Committee (Terry Van Hout)

- Secretary will drop off packet to committee

#### CST Committee (Zach Solberg)\*

- No report at this time

#### Ethics and Practices (Tom Leslie)

- No report at this time

#### Land Records (Jason Bolz)

- No report at this time

#### Legislative (Ed Harvey)\*

- No report at this time

#### Membership (Scott DeBaker)\*

- Students introduced themselves
- Total Membership: just getting started on 2019

#### Nominating Committee (Joel Wald)

- No report at this time

#### Program Committee (Andy Cleveland)

- Thank you again to Lisa Van Horn for her NSPS update

#### Public Relations (Aaron Ballast)

- Boy Scout Surveying badge info discussed – Chapter involvement (see sign-up sheet going around). There are usually 40-60 kids in attendance (middle school and above). Blurb will be added to Chapter website. Contact Bob Reider @ Carow for more info



**Scholarship Committee** (Tom Leslie)

- Chapter Scholarships presentation was held, each winner collecting \$750, as follows:

*Don Rhode Leadership Scholarship*  
*Justin Smith-Herter*

*Don Rhode Leadership Scholarship*  
*Skylar Adamski*

And Terry Lueschow from Seiler Instruments awarded a \$1000 scholarship

*SEILER Northeast Chapter Scholarship*  
*Phillippe Kollar*

**Seminar Committee** (Terry Van Hout)

- Jerry Mahun will be the presenter at this year's Spring Seminar to be held on Friday, March 22, 2019 at Comfort Suites – flyer will be distributed soon

**Student Representative** (Justin Smith-Herter)

- Students are returning to the next NSPS Team Competition, with Chapter support!
- Students are on winter break right now

**Trig-Star** (Ryan Duckart)

- Quiet time of the year right now but it appears that 3-4 schools will participate in the event
- Anyone interested in helping sponsor at a particular school, please contact Ryan and he can get you started

**Old Business**

- No "Old Business"

**New Business**

- Day in the Life is coming in May – let Tom, Lisa or Aaron know if you are interested. Email request will be going out soon – hope you can volunteer!
- Committee Sign-up sheet is being passed around – please consider volunteering your time and expertise
- ***A motion was made, seconded and approved to donate \$1000 to WSLs Foundation***
- ***A motion was made, seconded and approved to donate \$250 for NE Chapter Buck's Challenge team***
- It was determined that the above two motions are no longer needed as both are part of the annual budget

Being no further business, *a motion was made, seconded and approved* to adjourn at 7:50pm.

Respectively Submitted,

**Thomas Leslie**  
Secretary/Treasurer

*Chapter Free Meal: Larry Miller (donated to Student meals)*

The Northeast Chapter of the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors

2019 Sponsor A Student Meal Program

Sponsorships are for a free meal at any of the 4 Quarterly Northeast Chapter General Meetings. Any student or person interested in the profession is eligible. If you have someone that would like to participate, please bring him or her along to the next meeting.

**Thank you to all who participated in the past 12 years, it has been a HUGE success!**

*We are again asking for your support in sponsoring student meals in 2018 and beyond. Your donation will encourage students (and potential employees) to take an interest in the surveying industry and perhaps Chapter involvement.*

*-- Please fill out form below as you would like to be acknowledged for your free meal donation --*

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (W) \_\_\_\_\_ (Fax) \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Sponsorship Fee: \$20.00 per meal**

- I/We would like to sponsor \_\_\_\_\_ student meals (meals x \$20.00)... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable to: The Northeast Chapter of WSLS**  
**Return to: Tom Leslie - Secretary/Treasurer**  
**1951 Andraya Lane**  
**De Pere, WI 54115**

# 2019 Northeast Wisconsin Chapter of WSLs MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Registration Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Place of Work: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ OK to Publish? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## **MEMBERSHIP DUES**

- ( ) **Professional Member** \$40.00 Any person currently registered as a Land Surveyor in the State of Wisconsin
- ( ) **Affiliate Member** \$20.00 Any person not registered, who is interested in land surveying
- ( ) **Life Member** No dues Any person having reached the age of 65, retired from practice, having been a member for two years prior to the date of retirement, having been recommended by a member and application approved by the Board of Directors
- ( ) **Student Member** \$10.00 Any person currently enrolled in a surveying curriculum
- ( ) **Sustaining Member** Any commercial or professional institution or individuals interested or affiliated with the surveying profession
  - \$80.00 \_\_\_\_\_ Membership includes a display of their business card in Quarterly newsletter and on website
  - \$120.00 \_\_\_\_\_ Membership includes a **full** page ad, display of their business card in quarterly newsletter and on the website

**MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: "THE NORTHEAST CHAPTER OF WSLs"**

Return application and dues to: Tom Leslie 1951 Andraya Lane De Pere, WI 54115

# Northeast Wisconsin Chapter OF THE Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors

## TREASURER'S REPORT April 11, 2019

### Checking Account

|   |                |                |                   |
|---|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| <b>Starting Balance</b>   | 1-1-19         |                | <b>14,280.53*</b> |
| <b><u>Deposits</u></b>  |                |                |                   |
| 2-13-19   | Winter Gen Mtg | 2020.00        |                   |
| 3-27-19   | Dues           | 1870.00        |                   |
| 3-27-19   | Seminar        | <u>3730.00</u> |                   |
|   |                |                | + 7,620.00        |
| <b><u>Checks</u></b>  |                |                |                   |
| VOID (Lost 45/90 check)   | 2491           | 0.00           |                   |
| WSLS Foundation (CST donation)                                      | 2506           | 450.00         |                   |
| NWTC NSPS Team Competition  | 2515           | 1,000.00       |                   |
| Liberty Hall – Fall General Mtg                                     | 2516           | 1,376.77       |                   |
| Chapter Scholarship (Smith-Herter)                                  | 2517           | 750.00         |                   |
| Chapter Scholarship (Adamski)                                       | 2518           | 750.00         |                   |
| Newsletter Fee (Bostedt)  | 2519           | 400.00         |                   |
| Secretary/Treasurer Fee (Leslie)                                    | 2520           | 600.00         |                   |
| Legends – Winter General meeting                                    | 2521           | 721.58         |                   |
| WSLS Foundation donation  | 2522           | 1,000.00       |                   |
| WSLS Foundation - Bucky's Team                                      | 2523           | 250.00         |                   |
| Marathon County 45/90 donation                                      | 2524           | 2,000.00       |                   |
| WSLS Foundation – CST donation                                      | 2525           | 450.00         |                   |
| Appleton Trophy – Past President plq                                | 2526           | 78.75          |                   |
| 1951 West – seminar presenter dinner                                | 2527           | 66.00          |                   |
| Service Charge  |                | <u>9.80</u>    |                   |
|   |                |                | -9,902.90         |
| <b>Chapter Checking Acct:</b>                                       |                |                | <b>*11,997.63</b> |
| <i>(* - Checking Acct contains \$620 for donated student meals)</i> |                |                | <u>- 620.00</u>   |
| <b>Available Chapter Funds:</b>                                     |                |                | <b>11,377.63</b>  |

### 6-Month Certificate of Deposit

|                               |                            |  |                 |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------|--|-----------------|
| Last Maturity Balance         | 11-5-18                    |  | <b>2,233.41</b> |
| Current Interest Rate (0.90%) | Next Maturity Date: 5-7-19 |  |                 |

Spring 2019 General Meeting  
Tom Leslie -Northeast Chapter Treasurer

**TOTAL ASSETS:      \$13,611.04**

thank  
you

WSLS NE CHAPTER,  
I JUST WANT TO SAY THANK YOU FOR INVESTING  
IN MY EDUCATION. I AM TRULY HONORED TO  
HAVE RECEIVED YOUR SCHOLARSHIP, AND I AM  
EXCITED TO GRADUATE THIS MAY AS A TECHNICIAN.  
IT HAS BEEN A PLEASURE TO WORK WITH THE CHAPTER  
THUS FAR AND I LOOK FORWARD TO FUTURE  
OPPORTUNITIES.

THANKS AGAIN,  
Suzanne Chikowski



## Northeast Wisconsin Chapter OF THE Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors



### 2018 AUDITING COMMITTEE REPORT


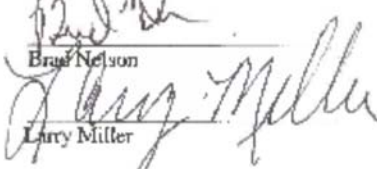
The Auditing Committee met February 9, 2019 to review the financial records of the Northeast Chapter of the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors for the year 2018.

We have examined the receipts, bank statements, ledger and other pertinent records. The Auditing Committee reports that the financial records appear to be in good order, and submit the following:

|  |             |              |
|--|-------------|--------------|
| Opening Checkbook Balance as of 01-01-2018                   |             | \$13,457.53  |
| <u>Deposits</u>  |             |              |
| Dues and Miscellaneous Receipts                              | \$11,065.00 |              |
| Total Deposits   | \$11,065.00 |              |
| Sub Total  |             | \$24,522.53  |
| <u>Expenditures</u>  |             |              |
| Checks Returned (17)   | \$10,232.90 |              |
| Total Checks Written (72)                                    | \$13,059.67 |              |
| <small>(Checks #2495 and #2505 Voided)</small>               |             |              |
| <small>(Checks #2506, #2515, and #2516 Not Returned)</small> |             |              |
| <small>(2491 NOT RETURNED) 2017</small>                      |             |              |
| Service Charge   | \$ 9.10     |              |
| Total Expenditures   |             | \$ 10,242.00 |
| Checkbook balance as of 12-31-2018                           |             | \$ 14,280.53 |
| Certificate of Deposit (will mature on 05-07-2019)           |             | \$ 2,233.41  |
| Total Chapter Assets   |             | \$16,513.94  |

Respectfully Submitted:

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Terry Van Hout    Chair

  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Brad Nelson  
  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Larry Miller

# **A DAY IN THE LIFE**

**May 7 thru May 10, 2019**  
**National Railroad Museum**



*Looking for Volunteers to help teach young children (grades 3-8) about surveying & how surveyors help shaped America. There may be a few changes to the program to ensure everyone gets a chance to participate in our exercises*

Please consider volunteering your time for any of the dates.  
There are two shifts per day, 8:15-11:30am and 11:30-2:30pm, with three (3) people per shift.

*Lunch is provided by the Museum*

Please contact Aaron Ballast @ 406-1477 or  
[tnt-pls@tntsurveyors.com](mailto:tnt-pls@tntsurveyors.com)  
if interested in volunteering for any shift(s)

**THANK YOU!**

## 2019 Door County Pond Hockey Tournament

**Ryan Duckart and Brian Frisque staked out 16 rinks on  
Kangaroo Lake on February 2, 2019**



**And Ryan played in the tournament, along with fellow surveyors  
Joe Lett, John Sleik and Kelly Demeny**





**2019**  
**WSLS Bucky's Challenge**  
**~ BEST DRESSED ~**

***"NEWS Brothers"***

***Northeast Chapter Team***



**Left to Right:**

**Jim Sehloff, Dale Raisleger, Cheryl Berken, Nicole Hoepner**

**Ryan Duckart, Larry Miller**

## **March 2019 Seminar Report**

### **“Ethics, Boundary Issues & Conflict Resolution”**

|  |          |                 |
|--|----------|-----------------|
| Chapter/WLSL Members                           | 38       | 2850.00         |
| <u>Non-Chapter Members</u>                     |          |                 |
| Surveying                                      | 3        | 300.00          |
| Title Companies                                | 2        | 200.00          |
| Government                                     | 1        | 100.00          |
| <u>Student</u>                                 | <u>1</u> | <u>20.00</u>    |
| TOTAL  | 45       | 3,470.00        |
| <u>Seminar Costs</u>                           |          |                 |
| Venue  |          | 966.88          |
| (Continental Breakfast, Lunch, Service Charge) |          |                 |
| Presenter Costs                                |          | <u>653.00</u>   |
| TOTAL SEMINAR PROFIT                           |          | <b>1,850.12</b> |

### ***Seminar Survey via Survey Monkey – 32 responses***

***100% Positive on seminar meeting expectations***

***90% Positive feedback for venue accommodations (speaker microphone, bigger screen)***

***93% rated meal as Excellent or Good***

*Several suggestions: Legal descriptions, Boundary Law, Town road r/w, water boundary issues, case law for surveying, emerging technology, construction surveying, FEMA issues, Section subdivision, easements, easements, easements*



Ryan Duckart introducing Jerry Mahun



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| <b>PROFESSIONAL</b> | <b>82</b>        |
| <b>AFFILIATE</b>    | <b>28</b>        |
| <b>STUDENT</b>      | <b>30</b>        |
| <b>SUSTAINING</b>   | <b>2</b>         |
| <b>LIFETIME</b>     | <b><u>28</u></b> |
| <b>TOTAL</b>        | <b>170</b>       |



# Northeast Wisconsin Chapter of WSLs

## 2019 WINTER BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

### February 21, 2019 – Nicky's in De Pere, WI

There were 9 members present when President Andy Cleveland called the meeting to order at 6:14 pm

A motion was *made, seconded and approved* to accept the Board meeting minutes from November 15, 2018

Treasurer's Report was accepted as presented

The following reports were given: (\*via email)

#### NEWSLETTER EDITOR REPORT (Jill Bostedt)\*

- No report at this time

#### WSLS REPORT (Jim Schloff)

- 2019 Institute had 971 participants
- Discussion on utility locates noted this is not just a Wisconsin problem but a *national problem*. Plans are to bring this topic to NSPS
- 2019 Bucky's Challenge raised almost \$16,000
- WSLs has hired a webmaster
- Next Meeting is Saturday, March 2

#### NSPS REPORT (Lisa Van Horn)\*

- Lisa is currently in Montana for NSPS

#### AUDITING (Terry Van Hout)\*

- 2018 Audit was presented and placed on file. A copy will be put in the next newsletter

#### CST (Justin Smith-Herter)

- 18 students are planning to take the upcoming CST Exam at NWTC on April 6. A check from the Chapter for \$450 was handed to Howard Herrild to help lower student test costs

#### ETHICS AND PRACTICE (Tom Leslie)

- Has there been any progress on AE-7 revision? There is a draft but has not been distributed. Time is running out (timetable in place)
- Will draft a letter to Manitowoc County to express Chapter's dismay of NOT requiring a PLS for the new County Surveyor position ^

#### LAND RECORDS (Jason Bolz)\*

- Manitowoc County has created a new County Surveyor position. The closing date for applications is now open until position filled. See county website for more details (see above^)

#### LEGISLATIVE (Jim Schloff)

- Discussed possible changes to condominium Statutes
- AE-6 changed to requiring 5 POSITIVE references
- Committee Chair will also join the State Committee

#### MEMBERSHIP (Ryan Duckart)

- There are **106** paid members as of this meeting

#### NOMINATING (Joel Wald)\*

- Several names were mentioned as possible Lifetime members

#### PROGRAM (Andy Cleveland)

- Working on getting Travis from Davel Engineering to present on the recent changes to wetland laws

#### PUBLIC RELATIONS (Aaron Ballast)

- "Day in the Life" is coming up in May – volunteers will be needed – look for emails and sign-up sheet!
- Boy Scout Merit badge request was discussed. The volunteer list is getting filled nicely (see Bob Reider email for details)
- Ryan Duckart discussed Door County Pond Hockey held back in February. A few chapter members formed a team (Don's Cherries) and scored a couple goals along the way!

#### SCHOLARSHIP (Joe Lett)

- Tom L will forward the scholarship info to new Chair

#### SEMINAR (Terry Van Hout)\*

- March 22, 2019 at Comfort Suites in Green Bay

#### STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE (Austin Guiliana)

- Students just returning from winter break

#### TRIG\*STAR COMMITTEE (Ryan Duckart)

- Denmark, Two Rivers and Bay Port are ready to participate in 2019

#### OLD BUSINESS

- No "Old Business" to discuss

#### NEW BUSINESS

- Aaron Ballast brought up the idea of the Chapter purchasing their own laptop, projector and other related items. A *motion was made, seconded and approved* to purchase a Chapter laptop, projector and any other related items. Board members will start

looking and forward any info to Tom L for possible purchase

- *A motion was made, seconded and approved* to accept the 2019 proposed budget
- General Meeting meal costs were discussed. Tom L will watch the costs closely this year and see if there is justification to raise meal cost (so Chapter doesn't lose money)
- There are 31 student meals right now – will need more if the students attend like last year. Howard discussed having “full classes” coming up in the next semesters, so more student meals will definitely be needed
- Changed Summer Board meeting venue to Rosati's
- Changed Winter General meeting venue to Comfort Suites
- *A motion was made, seconded and approved* to change the name of the Northeast Chapter Scholarship to “Mark Tueteberg Honorary Scholarship”

Being no further business *a motion was made, seconded and approved* to adjourn at 7:58 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Leslie - Secretary  
Winter Board Meeting

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