



**MINUTES**  
**Suring Sportsman's Club**  
**Wednesday, January 28, 2026**

1. The meeting was called to order by President Josh Arndt.
  
2. Josh A. called for the minutes of the October 29, 2025, meeting to be read. Vice President Tony Gauthier read the minutes. The secretary was present, but not feeling well. Gary Hischke made a correction on the plowing of our road. The change is to plow when there's 2" of accumulated snow, instead of 4". Josh A. called for a motion to accept the minutes as corrected. Bill Madison made the motion and Gary Hischke seconded. Josh called for a vote and the motion carried.
  
3. Josh A. called for the Treasurer's report to be read. Vice Pres. Tony Gauthier read the Treasurer's report because Treasurer Kurt Bruegl was absent. Josh A. called for a motion to accept the treasurer's report as read. Gary H. made the motion and Bill M. seconded. Josh called for a vote and the motion carried.
  
4. Old Business:
  - Josh A. made a motion for the final reading of the bylaws and discussion of them to be tabled until the March 2026 meeting. Chris Jonet made the motion to do so, and
  
  - The weather prevented us from attending the Oconto County Sportsman's Alliance meeting, so we weren't able to present Mr. Hubert Nett's children's book, "Rob the Raccoon and Friends", to them. However, we will acquire 3 copies to be donated to:
    - St. John's Lutheran School – 1 copy; Suring School, 1 copy for each library part (2 copies).
    - The copy he presented to the club will be donated to the Suring Area Public Library.
  
  - We had a bit of snow and icing on the club road, but it was taken care of.
  
  - We have 10 full length poles for our fence project, so we should have enough for now.
  
5. New Business:
  - We need to talk about getting a catcher/cover done for the pistol range to take care of some probable safety issues.
  
  - We discussed some of the calibers that can be fired on the range and tabled it until the March 2026 meeting.

- The flag needs to be repaired sometime this spring and our Spring cleanup day is to be determined.
- St. John's @ Hayes sent us a Thank You note for the club's donation.
- We need a new location to put/store the deer hides for donation. The club has learned that the hides were mistakenly thrown into the trash dumpster and were disposed of.

6. Jay Tousey made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Tony G. seconded. Josh A called for a vote and the motion carried.