Missouri Master Naturalist
Boone’s Lick Chapter
January 12, 2012 meeting notes

Attending:
Becky Bohlmeyer Jackie Harris
Katrina Thomas David Silvey
Jamie Scott-Pillen Vanessa Silvey
Emily Wilson Chris Egbert
Susan Hazelwood Carolyn Doyle
Nancy Bowles Lea Langdon
Sally Swanson Stacy Barr
Kay Conklin John Roberts
Susan Litton Dan Gomez-Palacio
Laura Hillman Linda Karns
Phil Knocke Suzanne Wright
Mary Ann Williamson Ken Leija
Gail White

8pm - Business Mtg called to order by Becky Bohlmeyer

I. Old Business

Reminder: Make sure to turn in time sheets for 2011.

Idea for 10 most common “tenner list” of trees, birds, fish, mammals, etc. in
groups gives us a chance to work together. Training is not going to happen this
year as in prior years in our chapter but we are wanting to build our group up and
get those people that have not been as active involved in work such as turtle
trapping survey project, bee survey, etc. How do we get our people more
involved? We can have advanced training more available to reactivate people
that may have fallen out. We can build bonds and working relationships within
the group. The participation goes up and down.

II. New Business

Extension Center has an updated website.

Becky read a recommendation from Jane Fore recommending the Boone’s Lick
chapter pay $250.00 per year to University Extension for the use of their building
for our meetings/training classes. We have about $4600.00 in the training class
account, and since the training class occupies the building the most, it seems
appropriate to use the monies from that account. Suzanne Wright made a
motion that we accept the recommendation, seconded by Carolyn Doyle, starting
with $250.00 for last year and $250 for the current year, $500.00 total to be paid now, and $250.00 each year thereafter. Motion passed.

Earth Day April 22\textsuperscript{nd} in Columbia booth space for $20.00 in need of some people to organize the booth and the DNR is going to also be there with a booth. Calling for volunteers for earth day booth! Get involved. We will announce in every meeting.

New form to approve advanced training on website.

Next meeting is the awards ceremony for those that have completed their hours. Report has been completed and turned in so we can get people their recognition. Summary of partners and hours donated from Boone’s Lick Master Naturalist is being compiled. 2012 activity sheets are on the website, please get them so you can start tracking your hours for the year. The new people to the program: you are required to complete 8 hours of advanced training from May to May in addition to your class hours you have completed. This will get you certified for the year and every year after you will need 8 advanced training hours.

Announcements: December meeting we had photos running during the breaks and would like people to talk about the pictures when it’s played at another meeting.

Meeting adjourned: 8:41pm-Secretary, Ken Leija