

Blackduck Area Chamber of Commerce Regular Meeting –The Senior Center September 16th, 2025 12:00pm

Meeting Call to Order: 12:06

<u>Introductions:</u> Nicci Ronchetti, Kayla Smischney, Georgia Lundberg, Shirley Ferrell, Misty Frenzel, Max Gullette, John Winnett, Tara Klaers

<u>Approval of Minutes- August 20th 2025 – Moved by Frenzel and seconded by Winnett to approve August's minutes, motion passed unanimously</u>

<u>Approval of Treasurer's Report- August 2025</u> – Moved by Frenzel and seconded by Winnett to approve August's Treasurer's report, motion passed unanimously

Visitors-

Old Business:

- 1. <u>Chamber Golf Scramble-</u> Thank you, thank you! Huge success and its such a huge help/support was greatly appreciated golf course. Discussion for changes for next year of considering a committee to help Jennifer with planning, June was a good time of year and making a note that sponsorships will be due at time of sign up, not the day of.
- 2. Welcome Wagon—Will do Hero's Rise at their Grand Opening
- 3. <u>Duck Update-</u> No update. Fire department has been moving forward with their updates, will table for now until more is happening.
- 4. <u>The Shade Store-</u>Quilt shop open through September, could be up for sale after that, but it's a little bit of a moving target as things shift and change.
- 5. <u>Chamber Donation to BGC Blackduck Bonanza-</u> Chamber donating tickets to chamber members for the event, email Tara Klaers if you're interested, it should be a fun night with great prizes!
- 6. Chamber Vests- Misty will continue to research this
- 7. <u>Thanksgiving and Christmas Dinners</u> We will provide two dinners for each holiday, locations for entering will be Blackduck Floral, Leevers Family Foods, Northwoods Lumber, Choice Therapy and Deerwood Bank. We will draw the Friday before the holiday's.
- 8. <u>BGC Golf Scramble</u> First ever was held on 8/29/2025, it was a huge success, 54 golfers, raised over \$8000, learned a lot and will make a few changes for next year, but it was great to see the community support. Thank you!
- 9. <u>Glow in the Snow</u> This will need a new committee for it to continue, posted on social media if there are any volunteers to see if anyone wants to take it over, please reach out to the Chamber board if they're interested, otherwise this will not continue.
- 10. <u>Backwoods Bash Recap</u> Overall numbers were down a little, however still went well

New Business:

1. Operation Round Up



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- 2. <u>5:00pm meeting next month</u> –
- 3. <u>Chamber Bingo dates Third</u> or Fourth Sunday, will decide once the Pond determines what's best
- 4. New Officer Elections
 - a. Coming up in November
- 5. Other
 - a. Blackduck American- Last issue is 9/26, can still submit to the Pioneer for community updates

Upcoming Events-

Dinner Giveaways for Thanksgiving and Christmas

Adjournment – Winnett motioned to adjourn, Frenzel seconded, meeting adjourned at 1:06pm.

Next meeting October 15th, 2025 at Choice Therapy

Blackduck Area Chamber of Commerce updates respectively submitted by Tara Klaers.