

**COOKS CREEK WATERSHED ASSOCIATION  
ANNUAL MEETING  
April 24, 2025**

**Introductions** – Scott, Jim, Travis, Lois, Sarah in attendance.

**Review of Agenda Items**

**Minutes approval** – The March 2025 minutes were approved, Jim/Scott, 5-0.

**Mail Call** – None.

**Treasurer's Report** –No Treasurer's report.

**Pay Bills** – None.

**Administrative Issues**

**Spring Newsletter** – Deadline is May 1 for articles.

**Membership/Dues** – No report.

**Major Accomplishments of FY 2024 – (April 1, 2024 to March 31, 2025)**

**50<sup>th</sup> celebration – Creek and River Festival** – Celebrated on July 13, 2024 at Silver Creek AA.

**Ongoing stream gauging** –

**Fry's Run Workshop (Sept 21)** – was on the benthic invertebrates held at Fry's Run Park; presented by Travis.

**2024 Roadside Cleanups** –

**2024 Mini monsters** –

**Final draft of Critter Book** – Cost of \$10.80 per book and 200 is \$2700. Or, do we order 100 books?

**Signs up at Rod & Gun Club and Peppermint Park and Durham Green** – CCWA maps are in place and verbiage will be added about the local Native American population.

**Goals for FY 2025**

**Outreach** – Steve's signs, website, Instagram, others? Perhaps we can have more of an involvement in schools such as the Palisades Watershed Inclusion Program (WIP) of which we were involved with at the beginning and also the Waldorf School.

**Membership** – Let's come up with a list of ideas for getting new members perhaps utilizing social media.

**Finish up the Watershed Conservation Plan (CCWCP)** – Princeton Hydro will be finishing up the work and present it to CCWA, the EAC's and the public.

## **Projects for 2025**

**Minnow Study** – Studies will be conducted twice per month culminating in November. Perhaps a book?

## **Events**

**2025 Mini Monster Mayhem (June 14)** – Scott will hold the Mini Monster Mayhem but will need help that morning.

**Plant Workshop** – Will there be a plant workshop as Scott cannot do the workshop?

**“Round up at the Register” at Kimberton – Month of August**

**Fry’s Run Workshop (Sept. ??)**

**2025 Community Days (Durham is Oct. 11, 1-4pm)**

**Fall 2025 Dinner (Saturday, Oct 4)** – David Winston will be our speaker and the schedule will be earlier: social will begin at 4 to 5pm, 5pm is David Winston, 6 pm is dinner.

**Walk in Penn’s Woods (Sunday, Oct 5)** –

**2025 Cleanup (November 8)** – This is a clean-up of our adopt-a-road section.

**Lower Delaware Wild & Scenic** – CCWA will be attending these meeting; Lois is a representative at the meetings being held virtually.

**Watershed Coalition of the Lehigh Valley** – CCWA will attend these meetings. There is a Conference on Tuesday, October 14 about “Prairies”.

Annual board meeting minutes respectfully submitted by Lois.

Next Board Meeting is May 22, 6:30 pm at Firehouse