MINUTES OF TRACKS GENERAL MEETING Saturday, February 11, 2023 at Darbi's Cafe

- 1. Meeting called to order by Lynn Krigbaum at 8 AM. Approximately 23 members were present.
- 2. Guests were: Paul and Raylene Pavlicek, Robert Johnson, Harry R. Pederson, Mark G. Cockson, and Sheila Dawson.
- 3. Minutes of Jan. 14th meeting were reviewed. Motion made by Jim Snitzer to accept; seconded by Kathy S. All in favor.
- 4. Announcements:
 - a) Ramp Gates Lynn told members that12 gates are to be installed in April. All 43 should be installed before the Tour of the White Mountains bike race the 1st weekend of October.
 - b) Lynn spoke of the "Leave No Trace" event that will take place the same weekend as National Trails Day, which is June 3. "Leave No Trace" will host events, programs from June 2 to June 5th. On June 3rd Joya Szwalinski, the Recreational supervisor for the Lakeside Ranger District of the Forest Service, will have a workshop in the AM from 8 to 11. Our usual Potluck will be in late afternoon at the Nature Center on Woodland Road. More information will be forthcoming for these days June 2nd to 5th. There will be an organizational meeting of the LNT Committee March 25th.
 - c) The Regional Science Fair is March 4th at the Northland Pioneer College Performing Arts Center in Snowflake. Judges are needed for this event.
 - d) Mreen Helm spoke to members regarding her mission to perpetuate the interest and enjoyment and education re: forming horseback riders and to organize a group with this specific interest. She is seeking support from various organizations. They would form a Back Country Horseman's Group. She has 43 people interested. She still needs to complete the organization and details.
 - e) Jim Snitzer spoke of the Eagle Fest at the Nature Center February 25th at 9AM. There will be a presentation with a live eagle at the Nature Center at 9AM and then field trip at Rainbow Lake at 11AM.

Next General Meeting will be March 11th at Darbi's Cafe.

Meeting adjourned at 8:15AM.

Submitted by Kay Alderton, Sec'y/Board Member