

AMERICAN LEGION POST 184

FEBRUARY 13, 2025 GENERAL MEETING

ADJUTANT LEAL CALLED TO ORDER AT 1800HRS

PRAYERS, POW-MIA COVER, PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE & LEGION PREAMBLE WERE COMPLETED.

ROLL CALL: ADJUTANT LEAL, BURKETT, STACHO, WHITE. (A QUORUM WAS NOT ACHIEVED)

ABSENT: COMMANDER SPERBER (EXCUSED), GIGLIOTTI (ABSENT), TURNER (EXCUSED)

SICK CALL: LARRY LYNN. PASSING OF CMDR SCRUGGS.

GUESTS: JOE CZARSKI (SALS ADJUTANT – CANTEEN MANAGER), JOHN HAMLING (MEMBER), RACHEL DEURLOO (MEMBER)

APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM JANUARY 9, 2025, PREVIOUSLY EMAILED TO ALL OFFICERS APPROVED.

FINANCE REPORT BY JIM STACHO (ATTACHED TO MEETING MINUTES)

CANTEEN FINANCE REPORT BY JOE CZARSKI (ATTACHED TO MEETING MINUTES) THE BAR STAFF HAS BEEN VERY DILLIGENT TO ASK THE MEMBERS FOR THEIR MEMBERSHIP CARDS AS REQUIRED BY THE DISTRICT COMMANDER & ABC REGULATIONS.

SAL'S REPORT BY ADJUTANT CZARSKI: IN THE PLANNING MODE FOR RIBFEST TO BE HELD SOMETIME IN JULY. THE SALS WILL BE SUPPORTING THE MEMORIAL DAY BBQ IN THE MONTH OF MAY. THE MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL IS AT 85%.

1ST VICE REPORT: NONE

ADJUTANTS REPORT: MEMBERSHIP IS AT 344 MEMBERS. MEMBERS PAID AT 295 MEMBERS (80%). MEMBERS NOT IN GOOD STANDING AT 47 UNPAID.

OLD BUSINESS: GEORGE WHITE LOOKING INTO T-SHIRTS FOR CLUB DD-214.

NEW BUSINESS: EAGLE SCOUT OF THE YEAR NOMINATION PER GEORGE WHITE. CONTACT LEE LICHAULTER.

GOOD OF THE LEGION: NEED TO START RECRUITING FOR NEW OFFICERS WHICH WE LACK. NEED TO GET THE WORD OUT TO SEE ABOUT COVERING THESE POSITIONS (COMMANDER, 1ST & 2ND VICE, ADJUTANT, ASSISTANT ADJUTANT, SGT AT ARMS, ASSISTANT SGT AT ARMS, EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBERS. 1ST NOMINATIONS IN MARCH, THEN IN APRIL ARE SECOND NOMINATIONS. IN THE MONTH OF MAY IS ELECTION TIME WHEREAS LEGION MEMBERS VOTE FOR WHO THEY WANT IN OFFICE FOR COMMANDER. IN THE MONTH OF JUNE THERE WOULD BE A CEREMONY TO SWEAR IN THE ELECTED INDIVIDUAL BY THE DISTRICT 19 COMMANDER AND THE LEGION MEMBERS WOULD BE INVITED TO ATTEND.

IT WAS SUGGESTED TO POSSIBLY CHANGE THE DAY OF OUR GENERAL MEETINGS TO THE WEEKEND TO MAKE IT MORE CONVIENT FOR MEMBERS TO ATTEND INSTEAD OF DURING THE WEEKDAY. THE MOTION WAS TABLED FOR NOW.

THE KOREAN VETERANS DAY CELEBRATION FOR JULY 27TH WOULD BE DONE BY THE LEGION AND WOULD BE ASKING FOR ASSISTANCE FROM THE SALS & AUXILLARY AS FOR ANY SIDE DISHES TO HELP OUT. IN ADDITION, ANY DONATIONS COLLECTED WOULD BE SHARED WITH OUR SALS & AUXILLARY TO COMPENSATE THEM FOR THEIR TIME. THIS WILL BE BROUGHT UP TO THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

WITH NO FURTHER BUSINESS, ADJUTANT LEAL HELD CLOSING PRAYER, REMOVAL OF THE POW-MIA COVER AND MEETING GAVELED ADJORNED WITH CLOSING REMARKS FROM ADUTANT LEAL AT 1833HRS.