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**BELL JAR**

Bell Jar paid the following invoices:  
**Nora Barie Wolf,**  
**National Grid,**  
**Beichner Wasste**  
**Vicky Fay,**  
**NYSEG,**  
**Austin Locksmith,**  
**Catt Co Health Dept,**  
**USA Gaming**

**POST ACCOUNTS**

Account read by R. Wenzel – L. Kohl motion to approve, 2nd by N. Wolf, approved by majority vote.

**CLUB ACCOUNT**

Shannon Barie gave the report, per bank statement

Empire Girls State: Material has been sent to Dept. Congratulations to our alternate, Caroline Kaffka, she will be attending for Hinsdale Post S.A.L 1434; as one of their selections did not want to attend.

Legislation – No activity.

Poppies have been delivered. There will be cans at the club, please donate to this worthy cause which is used for Veterans and Children & Youth programs. For your information, the poppies are made by our Disabled Veterans; they earn \$ .10 a piece for each one they make. This little bit of money they earn helps supplement their incomes. So please get your poppy and wear them proudly.

VA&R & Historian: Up-to-date on history book and nothing to report on VA&R.

Communications – Received letters from Allegany Engine Company regarding the parade during Old Home Week and Olean Area Exceptional Track & Field.

Unfinished Business – The cleaning of the stove is almost done.

New Business – Motion was made by Cathy Lippert, 2nd by Shirley Papasergi to donate to Olean Area Exceptional Track & Field, motion carried. Motion made by Betty Lou Amore, 2nd by Shannon Barie to donate to the Allegany Engine Company for the parade, motion carried. Also there was a motion made by Jo-Jo Lippert, 2nd by Shirley Papasergi to do a budget for next year, motion carried. Gloria Foster stated that boys stocking hats were needed for the Christmas stockings, if anyone sees any on sale, please pick them up and you will be paid for them, just remember a receipt is needed to be reimbursed. 50/50 was won by Shirley Papasergi. Josephine Lippert made a motion, 2nd by Margaret Stady to buy new American Legion Auxiliary Unit Guide Books, motion carried. Christina Hackett made a motion, 2nd by Maggie Stady to buy new t-shirts with our Blue and Gold emblem, motion carried. Also if any Auxiliary member wants to order one, please see Shannon Barie with your size and payment. County meeting will be held in Gowanda, on Wednesday, April 8, 2015 starting at 7:00 p.m.

Nominations were held for the 2015-2016 year as follows: Anita Wesley nominated Cathy Lippert for President, motion carried. Jo Lippert nominated Anita Wesley for 1st Vice and Membership. Diana Rzepka nominated for Patsy Wesley for 2nd Vice and Secretary, motion carried. Diana Rzepka nominated Christina Hackett for Chaplain, motion carried. Gloria Foster nominated Josephine Lippert for Treasurer; Helen Monroe nominated Anita Wesley for Treasurer. There was a paper vote and Josephine Lippert is the newly elected Treasurer. Josephine Lippert nominated Gloria Foster for Historian, motion carried. Anita Wesley nominated Shannon Barie for Sgt@ Arms, motion carried. Installation will be held, on Wednesday, April 15, 2015.

Chaplain Jo Lippert gave the prayer for Peace and President Patricia Wesley closed the meeting at 8:15 p.m.

For God, country and the American Legion Auxiliary  
Secretary, Cathy Lippert



**March 31, 2015**  
**POST MEETING MINUTES**

Meeting called to order by CDR Phillips with 13 members present.

Guests Jocelyn Decker and parents were introduced. Jocelyn addressed members on her quest to participate in the National American Miss contest. Motion approved to donate to her cause.

Previous meeting minutes were read and approved.

**Post report**

was read and approved.

Motion to allow Mazza Sheet Metal to evaluate our H-Vac system and give recommendations was made and approved.

**Club Reports**

was given by Club Mgr and approved.

Discussion on club hours ensued and will be finalized at Trustee's meeting.

Report on monthly breakfast and dinner given by R. Wenzel.

L. Kohl reported on Queen of Hearts status as being inactive.

A. Nudd reported membership at 250 and 10 more members needed to reach 100%.

Baseball was reported by A. Nudd citing \$200 needed for registration fees and up to \$2000 needed for umpires.

Boys State interviews will be on 9th of April at 9 AM at high school. Cost of \$385 per attendee at Boys State.

Scouting report by R. Wenzel cited dinner and moving up ceremony was a success.

County Mtg report given by R. Wenzel with highlights that county endorsed R. Wenzel for DONY Vice CDR and J. Sampson for DONY CDR. County planning benefit for svc dogs at our post.

Memorial Report given by J. Wesley. \$800 rec'd for memorial bricks, \$3,276.67 in savings acct and CDs valued over \$15,000.

Scholarship report given by D. Lippert. Scholarship applications available at Post, Library and Town Hall. They are due NLT May 4th.

**Good of the Legion**

L. Kohl reported ROTC Knife award made on March 28th.

'Hometown Heros' fund transferred to legion scholarship acct.

No bids received on old safe. Motion made to donate safe to Stayer Greenhouse for services rendered to the post. Approved.

Requests for Head Start, Burdick, Camp in Angola were tabled.

Thank you's received from Archbishop Walsh, Warming House and Girl Scouts.

Olean Oilers baseball team requested donation and use of BBQ pit.

Motion approved to donate \$50 and use of pit.

Motion made and approved to pay Duggan & Duggan for repairs to entrance.

Motion made and approved to pay L. Kohl for snow removal.

Great American Ins Gp says more money due. N. Wolf will check on.

Motion to pay workers comp made and approved.

Motion to remove trees bordering post and Stayer's Greenhouse business made and approved.

Motion to have Bell Jar pay monthly bills made and approved.

Meeting adjourned at 9:30.

50-50 won by Bill Moore. Donated back to post.

**Sal Squadron 892 Minutes March 25, 2015**

The meeting with 11 members present was called to order at 7:00 PM by Commander John Keim. Salute to the flag, reciting of the SAL preamble and a prayer was said by Chaplin Wood.

The previous minutes were read and a motion to accept was made by Matt Lippert and seconded by Mike Mooney and approved by vote of those members present.

A financial report was given by the Finance officer. Motion to accept by Archie Wood and seconded by Matt Lippert and approved by vote of those present.

Membership report. As of today's date we have 141 paid up members for 2015, which is the highest paidup membership we have ever had. Congratulations!

**Old Business:**

The clambake tickets have sold out. We are going to try a couple different things at the clambake this time. Clam openers be here by 8 AM, setup people by 10 or 10:30.

The Texas holdem dinner went well with about 40 to 45 attending.

Come nice weather we are still hoping to get the drainage lines in for the horseshoe pits.

The Boy Scout spaghetti dinner went very well. The Boy Scouts stated this was the best they had ever done. Thanks to those Sons who helped.

Our annual Sons get-together is scheduled for April 11. 6PM cocktails, 7PM snacks. All Sons and spouses are welcome.

**New Business:**

It was asked of us an proposed by Tom Lippert that we provide a chicken BBQ dinner for Tom Threadgill's 50th anniversary dinner to be held sometime in June. Seconded by Joe Crowley and approved by vote.

The Scholarship applications are now out in the community. Packets of Legion, Sons, and Richard Straub applications have been placed in the Town hall, Library, and at the Post. So if you know of any Allegany/Limestone Senior who would like to apply for a scholarship let them know.

An officer nominating committee was appointed by the commander, they consist of Archie Wood, Tom Lippert and Lynn Lippert.

If anyone would like to serve our squadron in any of the officer positions (most are just ceremonial) please contact Archie, Tom, or Lynn. We would like to get some of the newer members involved in our operation to get some fresh input. Come to our Monthly meeting, you can spare an hour for us.

Sometime in the future we will have to schedule a time to clean out the remains of the old kitchen walkin to ready it for dry storage.

**Correspondence/ Donations:**

Request from Jocelyn Decker to support her going to American Miss pageant. Motion made by Tom Lippert to donate \$50, seconded by Mike Mooney approved by vote.

Motion made by Mike Mooney to donate \$500 to the VA Van fund. Seconded by Lynn Lippert approved by vote.

Motion by Lynn Lippert to pay the Boy Scout trailer inspection license fee. Seconded by Mike Mooney approved by vote.

Next meeting will be April 22, 2015



**CHARLES HARBEL AUXILIARY UNIT 892 MEETING WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 2015**

President Patricia Wesley called the meeting to order at 7:13 p.m. Chaplain Jo Lippert offered prayer. All recited the Pledge of Allegiance, Preamble to the Constitution of the American Legion Auxiliary. Roll call of officers and members was taken with 14 present

Secretary's report from January 21, 2015 was read by Cathy Lippert, motion made by Betty Lou Amore, 2nd by Margaret Stady, to accept as read, motion carried.

Diana Rzepka Treasurer read the treasurer's report this will be sent to the auditing committee.

**Committee Reports:**

Americanism: Ten members flew flags daily, 14 members said the Pledge of Allegiance, Five Members bought Flag stamps; members also wore patriotic jewelry and Unit 892 shirts. 1 member donated blood.

Cancer: 1 member had a mammogram.

Chaplain: acting Chaplain Cathy Lippert sent sympathy cards to Don Benson in the death of his mother, Evelyn Benson and to Bill Clark in the death of his wife Shirley Clark. Jo Lippert will be sending get-well cards to Nellie Caruso and Pat Foster. Open and closed our meeting with prayer.

Children & Youth – One member went shopping 1 hour for Knights' kids Christmas party and volunteered 2 hours at the Knights' kids Christmas party. One member is shopping for Children's Christmas gifts.

Community Service – Many members have volunteered their time working breakfast and dinners at the Legion (187 hours). One member also worked at the Bridge (9 hrs), and Meals on Wheels. 13 members volunteered their time working dinners at the Fire hall. Five members worked at the Fire Departments election dinner for a combined total of 15 hours One member donated 2 boxes bags of children's clothing to The Bridge.

Membership - Anita Wesley gave the membership report we have 193 members paid. If you have not paid your 2015 dues please do so as soon as possible make your checks payable to Charles Harbel Unit 892 and earmark membership, you can send directly to Anita Wesley, 89 N. 1st Street, Allegany, New York 14706.

Education: Scholarships for Dept. of NY were sent in.

*Allegany American Legion  
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*April 2015*

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Wing Night 6-8pm	2 Euchre & Line Dancing Classes	3	4 Live Music Jack Ellis 7-11pm
5 EASTER Post Closed	6	7 Joint Post/Aux.Sons Meeting 7 PM	8 Wing Night 6-8pm	9 Euchre & Line Dancing Classes	10 Live Music Dave Dorson 6-9 pm	11 SAL Membership Dinner
12 Angel Lycett Benefit noon - 8pm	13	14 Trustees Meeting 7:30 PM	15 Wing Night 6-8pm Aux. Meeting 7 PM	16 Euchre & Line Dancing Classes	17 Live Music John Grey 7-10 pm	18
19 Breakfast 8:30 to 11:30 AM	20	21	22 Wing Night 6-8pm	23 Euchre & Line Dancing Classes	24 Live Music Jack Ellis 7-11pm	25 Angela Richter Benefit 2-8 PM
26	27	28 Monthly Dinner 5-7 PM Post Meeting 8 PM	29 Wing Night 6-8pm SAL Meeting 7 PM	30 Euchre & Line Dancing Classes		

**April 2015 Schedule of Events:**  
 Wing Night every Wednesday 6-8pm  
 Euchre & Line Dancing held every Thursday night  
 April 4 Live Music-Jack Ellis 7-11pm  
 April 5 CLOSED on Easter  
 April 7 Joint Post/Aux/SAL Meeting 7pm  
 April 10 Live Music-Dave Dorson 6-9pm  
 April 11 SAL Membership Dinner  
 April 12 Angel Lycett Benefit noon-8pm  
 April 14 Trustees Meeting  
 April 15 Auxiliary Meeting  
 April 17 Live Music-John Grey 7-10pm  
 April 19 Monthly Breakfast  
 April 24 Live Music-Jack Ellis 7-11pm  
 April 25 Angela Richter Benefit 2-8pm  
 April 28 Monthly Dinner 5-7pm & Post Meeting  
 April 29 SAL Meeting  
 Happy Hour available Monday-Friday 5-7pm  
 featuring \$2 Can beers, 50 cents off Well Drinks,  
 \$3 Margaritas, Pina Coladas & Daiquiries plus 25  
 cents off all Top Shelf Drinks!  
 Monthly Drink Special: \$2.00 "Root Beer Float"  
 featuring Bols Root Beer Schnapps & Vodka  
 Weekly Drink Specials: All weekly drink specials  
 only \$2.50!