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June 30, 2015 POST MEETING MINUTES

Meeting was called to order by Cdr. Phillips. Following the Pledge of allegiance and reciting the Constitution of the American Legion, the opening prayer was given by Jim Rockey, Chaplain. We have a quorum.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read. Motion to accept the minutes was made by Harvey Hartburg, seconded by Jim Rockey, motion carried.

Bob Wenzel, past County Commander, was contacted by phone since he was at Boys State. He oversaw the installation of new officers and their swearing in.

Post Report - none.

Bell Jar - No report, but a motion to pay bills was made by Bob Phillips, seconded by Harvey Hartburg, motion carried.

Committee Reports-

The Trustee Meeting minutes were read. A motion to accept the minutes was made by Bob Phillips, seconded by Ron Wetherby, motion carried.

Membership - 263 members, 101% of goal.

Americanism - Members participated in June 1th Flag Day at ALCS, retiring the old flag and installing a new one. On June 14th, flags were burned at the Post.

Bowling - No report.

Boys State - Bob Wenzel is with the boys at Boys State.

Baseball - more money is needed to support the baseball team. Our post is the only one supporting the team monetarily. Frank DeFiore suggested that a spreadsheet be made that shows the breakdown on what the costs are. Since Olean and Portville are the only other posts who have team members, the cost should be evenly split with them. A motion was made by Frank DeFiore to send a letter to all county posts asking for monetary support with an outline of cost needed to support the team. They may or may not send a donation. Also send Olean and Portville each a letter asking them to share in the cost. Seconded by Jim Rockey, motion carried.

A motion was made by Nora Wolf to pay all the bills for the baseball team from the Bell Jar account. Seconded by Bob Phillips, motion carried.

County Meeting - No report, but will be held July 8. County Commander George Fillgrove reports a County Adjutant is needed.

Service Office - No report.

Historian - No report.

Golf - No report.

ROTC - No report.

Deceased Vets - No report.

Honor Guard - Attended 6 funerals with \$192 donations. They also participated in the Flag Day ceremony at ALCS, and burning the flags on the 14th.

Cuba Memorial Hospital is in need of a new flag. Bob Phillips mad a motion to purchase a replacement flag, and have a color guard install it. Seconded by Nora Wolf, motion carried.

Ham and Turkey - Nora Wolf reported from a training session she attended that using a wheel to determine winners is illegal. The proper and legal way is to sell double-sided tickets, put them in a cylinder and roate it, picking a winner, and removing all the tickets and starting over.

Unfinished Business-

Donation letters went out. She has received some money, and asked members to help write thank you cards to them.

Correspondence - Milburn Cunningham, a decorated WW2 vet, wrote a letter stating that since Cattaraugus County is now a Purple Heart County, he would like our help in starting a chapter locally.

BELL JAR

Paid the following: Vicky Fay, Austin Security, NYSEG, Allegany Amer. Legion Post 892, Duggan & Duggan, ALES PTO, Biechner Waste, Great Amer. Ins. Group, Staples, Chudy Paper Co., Catt. Co. Health Dept., Janitors Supply Inc., Assoc. Former NYS Troopers, SAL Legion Post 892, National Grid, Argnetieri Bro. Inc., Magara Refrigeration and Bernard Anderson Fundraising.

POST ACCOUNTS

None.

CLUB ACCOUNT

Given by Shannon Baire. Motion to accept by Bob Phillips, seconded by Larry Kohl, motion carried.



Letters asking for donations to organizations out of our area are tabled.

Rick Straub Gold Memorial Benefit - A motion was made by Bob Phillips to donate, seconded by Harvey Hartburg, motion carried.

Ronald McDonald House - A motion was made by Bob Phillips to donate to them, seconded by Ron Wetherby, motion carried.

A motion was made by Bob Phillips to donate to St. Jude's Hospital, seconded by Harvey Hartburg, motion carried.

A motion was made by Bob Phillips to donate to the Rehabilitation Foundation, seconded by Harvey Hartburg, motion carried.

A motion was made by Bob Phillips to donate to the Allegany Historical Society, seconded by Larry Kohl, motion carried.

New Business-

John LaFever, the finance officer for the joint mobile VA van, asked to be allowed to use the parking lot and hall in the fall for flu shots. The date will be coordinated with the Club Manager, Shannon Baire.

Good of the Legion

Nora Wolf made a motion to donate the hall rental fee for the VA van when it is here in the fall giving flue shots. Seconded by Matt Lippert, motion carried.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Bob Phillips, seconded by Larry Kohl, motion carried. Adjourned at 9:20 PM.



Sal Squadron 892 Minutes June 24, 2015

Prior to our meeting we presented our Sons and Richard Straub Scholarship Awards to our 2015 winners in the presence of their families.

They are: Sons scholarship Edward Dennis, Sons scholarship Zachrey Colburn and Richard Straub scholarship to Joshua Lippert.

The meeting with 11 members present was then called to order at 7:15 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 Jim Kupiec and seconded by Archie Wood and approved by vote of those members present.

A financial report was given by the Finance officer. Motion to accept by Mike Mooney and seconded by Jim Kupiec and approved by vote of those present.

Membership report. As of today's date we have 158 paid up members for 2015, which is the highest paid up membership we have ever had.

Old Business:

The Threadgill party went very well.

The horseshoe pits are being worked on.

Permits have been obtained and the beaver dams are going to be removed.

We are still waiting on the Post to inform us as to the roof replacement schedule.

New Business:

The golf tournament was discussed in length. We will have to order 110 steaks for the tournament.

Since Tom and John have prior commitments Hans will represent the Sons at the Eagle dinner on Tuesday evening July 7th.

Correspondence:

A thank you letter was received from the Allegany Historical Society for our recent donation.

Next meeting will be on July 22 just before the Golf Tournament.

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July 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 Wing Night 6-8pm	2 Line Dancing Classes	3	4
5	6	7	8 Wing Night 6-8pm	9 Line Dancing Classes	10	11 Jack Ellis Show 7 PM
12	13	14 Trustees Meeting 7:30 PM	15 Wing Night 6-8pm	16 Line Dancing Classes	17	18
19	20	21	22 Wing Night 6-8pm SAL Meeting 7 PM	23 Line Dancing Classes	24 Jack Ellis Show 7 PM	25
26 Richard Straub Memorial Golf Tournament	27 Red Cross Blood Drive 1pm	28 Monthly Dinner 5-7 PM Post Meeting 8 PM	29 Wing Night 6-8pm	30 Line Dancing Classes	31	

Schedule of Events:

- *Wing Night held every Wednesday 6:00-8:00pm
- *Line dancing classes held every Thursday night 6:30pm
- *July 11- Jack Ellis Show 7:00-11:00pm
- *July 14- Trustee Meeting 7:30pm
- *July 15- NO Auxiliary Meeting
- *July 19- NO Breakfast in July & August
- *July 24- Jack Ellis Show 7:00-11:00pm
- *July 26- Richard Straub Memorial Golf Tournament
- *July 27- Red Cross Blood Drive 1:00-6:00pm
- *July 28- Monthly Dinner 5:00-7:00pm & Post Meeting 8:00pm
- Monthly Drink Special: Margarita, Pina Colada or Strawberry Daiquiri for only \$2.00!
- Weekly Drink Specials: All weekly drink specials only \$2.50!