

#### **WHERE:** VFW Easton Ma

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called meeting to order at 19:10 hrs calling upon Sergeant-at-Arms to secure the building for the start of the meeting.

Sergeant-at-Arms secured the quarters and announced he was satisfied all that were present were authorized to be there.

Pledge of Allegiance was then recited by the Detachment Marines.

There were 9 Marines Present for the meeting.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called for Chaplain Roger Hoffman to recite the opening prayer.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called for Sergeant-at-Arms to declare the meeting open for conduct of official business.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called roll call of the detachment's officers:

Position	Name	Present	Excused
Commandant	JJ Mcgrath	X	
Sr Vice Commandant	Rik Coffman	Х	
Jr Vice commandant	Patrick Ballinger	X	
Judge Advocate	Fred Williams	Х	
Adjutant	Acting Rik Coffman	X	
Paymaster	Ron Hill	X	
Chaplain	Roger Hoffman	X	
Sergeant at Arms	Will Fishkins		X
Quartermaster	Fred Williams	Х	
Webmaster			X
Honor Guard Captain	JJ McGrath	х	
Past Commandant	Rik Coffman	Х	

# New Members

• No new member.

### **REPORTS:**

- Correspondence to report:
  - o Lauren Kuplast thank you General Holcomb picture returned to family
- Commandant JJ Mcgrath asked for any sickness or distressed members or family members. May Williams
- Motion to accept the minutes from the last meeting posted on the website. Seconded and carried.
- Paymaster report made, motion made to accept, seconded and carried.

#### **OLD BUSINESS: Standing committees:**

#### HONOR GUARD

• Report made by Chaplain Roger Hoffman on wakes and activities.

#### QUARTERNASTER

• Need stuff

#### Birthday Ball

- Event to be at Sharon Community ballroom Layfette ready, license and insurance all set.
- Raffle items needed.

#### <u>Golf</u>

• Cancelled

#### Scholarship

• None

#### <u>OCYM</u>

• Nothing new to report

#### Fund Raiser

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• November 10 9-1 Easton, November 4 9-1 Mansfield

#### Road Race

• Nothing new to report.

#### **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

• Marine of the year voted

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

• Facebook and web page discussed

## **GOOD OF THE LEAGUE**

• NA

Next Meeting is Wednesday November 7, 2018.

• The start time for the meeting will be at 19:00.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called for moment of silence for deceased members.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called for Sergeant-at-arms to retire the colors.

Sergeant-at-Arms called for hand salute.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath call for Chaplain Roger Hoffman to lead the closing prayer, Chaplain Roger Hoffman read closing prayer.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath called for Sergeant-at-Arms to officially close the meeting

Sergeant-at-Arms declared the meeting officially over.

Commandant JJ Mcgrath ended meeting at 2008 hrs with 1 rap of the gavel.

Respectfully submitted Rik Coffman Acting Adjutant