

Mid-County Volunteer Rescue Squad  
Minutes of Meeting General Membership  
5 September 2018

President: Jaime Packett brought meeting to order 1930.

Article will be in the paper next week. Ice machine needs to be installed. Asked everyone to sign in and put their shirt sizes so new squad shirts can be ordered. A volunteer banner is in the works, hope to have it finished soon.

Need a crew for the Edwardsville parade 8 Sept. also need a crew for football games Oct 5 and the 24<sup>th</sup>.

Suggested we change the times of our monthly meeting to: BOD meet at 5:30 and member meeting at 6:30 to include dinner. All in favor of new times.

Vice President Garfield Parker: Thanked everybody, had very good responses to calls. Special thanks to Larry, Sue and Howard. 911 system is down.

Finance Jeanne Widenmyer: Spent \$7,000 last month. Since the squad percentage rate is so low, we are looking into a BB&T financial program that can increase our interest rate to 8-12%. Jeanne has scheduled a meeting with BB&T finance officer to discuss our options and gather particulars about the program. t and Valerie Barton will also attend the meeting with the bank. All members agreed to look into this program.

December meeting/dinner date is 7 December at Indian Creek Country Club.

Vehicle Officer Charles Howard will be away for a couple of weeks.

Jamie introduced Patrick Simmon (571) and Rachael Edwards (512) from Callao. Patrick and Rachael are heading up an extensive EMS training program. The courses will be held at the Callao rescue squad to include an EVOC course 22 Sept., instructor is Steve Reynolds. They plan to have an EMT course starting some time in Oct.- Nov, specific dates and cost is TBD. This kind of training to get EMTs CE's is most needed.

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Meeting adjourned 2030

Minutes respectfully submitted by Secretary Madge Rollins