

## Officer's Meeting March 18, 2017 American Legion Post 246

Meeting commenced 9:02 a.m.

- Cdr Randy Reid discussed nominations for officers 2017-2018 to be in May.
- Cdr Randy Reid discussed Department of California Executive Officers Meeting March 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>.
- Cdr Randy Reid discussed 98<sup>th</sup> anniversary of American Legion and 100<sup>th</sup> in 2019.
- Vice Cdr Eric Ardell and Cdr Randy Reid to attend Area 2 meeting where Eric will talk about Americanism.
- Cdr Randy Reid announced regular April 5<sup>th</sup> meeting moved to April 7<sup>th</sup>.
- Raoul Miranda discussed February financials.
- Vice Cdr Eric Ardell discussed his ride-a-long with Chief Simpson.
- Cdr Randy Reid announced the first meeting for the April high school swearing in ceremony.
- Vice Cdr Eric Ardell discussed Eagle Scout project and initiation at April meeting. The scout's project is interviewing vets and submitting to the Library of Congress.
- Cdr Randy Reid and Vice Cdr Eric Ardell discussed membership and business cards for officers.
- Cdr Randy Reid suggested putting a table at church for recruiting new members. Other possibilities for recruiting were DVC and Los Positas College.
- Cdr Randy Reid asked for old business.
- Vice Cdr Eric Ardell discussed results of oratorical contest.
- Gary Soto proposed where to cut donations.
- Michelle Lee suggested having honorary members.
- Dick Seavey discussed "thank you" items for speakers.
- Cdr Randy Reid asked for volunteers for Mt. Diablo JROTC program to present leadership and academic awards.
- Vice Cdr Eric Ardell asked for other business.
- Vice Cdr Eric Ardell discussed 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade.
- Vice Cdr Eric Ardell to ask Kiwanis for 2019 parade to have American Legion at head of parade for 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary.
- Chaplain Dick Seavey gave update on health challenged members.

Meeting adjourned 10:20 a.m.