## FRANK E. MALONE POST 113 AMERICAN LEGION 102 South 3<sup>rd</sup> Street P.O. Box 211 Mount Horeb, WI 53572



## Minutes of The American Legion, Department of Wisconsin

Attendance: 19 11 Apr 2019

Time Convened: 6:31 pm

Handed out March 2019 membership and April Executive meeting minutes. Motion passed and accepted as posted.

Thanking past Commanders of Post 113 present, Vaughn Ableman, and Keith Bakken.

## **Committee Reports:**

#### **Finance Committee: (Larry)**

- Accounts Total: \$43,376.22 Total minus restricted funds: \$31,807.48

Savings: \$3,431.50 - IRS 990 Submitted

#### **Membership Committee: (Mike)**

- National has us at 121 Members, 1 to process
- Please continue to talk to others about renewing and or, joining our Legion Family

## Jr. Shooting Sports Committee: (Craig)

- Chuck and Jennifer Essential Shooting Sports donated certificates
- Sam took 6th place for his age group
- No end of year party this year

#### **Scholarship Committee: (Commander Jerry)**

- Stuart Woller and Ashley Lange
- Recognizing three individuals for going into the service as well Stuart Woller, Grant Schult, and KJ Kalscheur

## **Youth and Family Committee: (Commander Jerry)**

- Buddy Check Completed, but it is always good to reach out
- Chili Supper Great turnout, great time spent with friends and family, the Pass the Helmet raised over \$100 for the National Commander's Children and Youth Program
- Abby Donaldson not going to Badger Girls State Rheanna Thompson going in her place

## **House Committee: (Rebecca)**

- NSTR

#### **Memorial Committee: (Tim)**

- Flag Holiday Update
  - Hard Cut Off Date 12 May
  - https://mohoflags.com to subscribe online

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- Sign up for flag installation teams
- 251 flags
- MHVMA update
  - Paver Enrollment Forms out, please help us get them turned in
  - Pavilion Paver Form out for businesses to support Veterans Memorial
  - More than \$277K in the raised over \$100,000 more pledged
  - Legion Steak Feeds at the VFW 1st Saturday May (Sign up)

#### **Fundraising Committee: (Scott)**

- Culvers Share Day went great, thank you to everyone that came out
  - Thank you Rebecca and thank you to everyone that bussed food
- Brats in the Lot 29 June and 27 July
- Mount Horeb Frolic 6-9 June (Raffle Tickets, Beer Ticket sales, etc...)
- Golf Outing 10 August at Norsk
  - Looking for event sponsors. Let Craig, Rebecca, Scott, Brandon or Mike know if you have anyone interested in being an event or hole sponsor.
  - Need someone to go around to area businesses to see if they will sign up as hole sponsors
  - Craig working on donations

#### **Visitation Committee: (John, Jim)**

- Ingleside and Inglewood visit was well received
- Visited Ralph

#### **Honor Guard Committee: (Joe)**

- Joint Honor Guard for LCpl Terrence Millar, thank you to our Honor Guard

#### **Sick Call, Relief, and Employment:** (keep these and all veterans in your thoughts and prayers)

- Ralph Buechner, Ray Cunneen, Ken Miller, Lawrence Hefty, and Wilbert Hefty

#### **Unfinished Business:**

- MH American Legion 100th Anniversary Questionnaires
- 100th Anniversary Program
- Our building survey requirements and what is out there?
  - Proposal was presented and was unanimously rejected Commander Jerry will not sign the proposal's letter of intent.

## **New Business and Correspondence:**

- Should we purchase a Legion Coin Set or two to raffle off?
- Dog tag idea for 100th Anniversary
- \$50 Donation from Rose Klir
- 3rd District Meeting Dodgeville HS 27 April

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- Frolic Beer Ticket Sales 7-9 June
- Badger Honor Flight Bus 18 May leaving from the VFW rsvp vfw9511@gmail.com
- Memorial Day Program William Keithley Projector maybe Hearts & Hands
  - Memorial Day will be the last day anyone is in the school until next fall
- Nominations of Officers

### For the Good of the American Legion:

- July 17th approx.. 1-2 PM the Legion Riders are coming through town and will help us break ground at the MH Veterans Memorial, the Department Commander Frank Kostka will be on the ride and they may have the National Commander Brett Reistad along
- If you volunteer anywhere please let me know the number of hours you volunteer (includes Legion meetings, events, etc...) Possibly create a tracking device
- 15 April to 15 May drive to get Legion Members to fill out their paver forms, anyone that gets them in will receive an American Legion 100 year patch.
  - Paver engraving wording will need to be submitted by November, the engravings are going to be done over the winter.

#### **Positives from March 2019:**

- Newspaper Articles Chili Supper / 100th Anniversary, Vietnam Veterans Recognition Day, What is the American Legion, Auxiliary and Sons of the American Legion
- Visit with Ralph Buechner
- Visit to Ingleside went great
- Chili Supper / 100th Anniversary of the National American Legion MAR 15
- Culvers Share Day great turnout and fantastic work
- Had our third 100th Anniversary Meeting with the Historium
- MHVMA continues to work with individuals and businesses
- \$50 Donation from Rose Klir
- Assisted Marian Beghin with VA Plaque Paperwork
- An individual paid for breakfast at Spring Garden
- Commander purchased and donated the Fallen Soldier Table Settings

#### **Upcoming Events:**

- 11 APR Member Meeting Nominations for Officers 6:30 PM
- 16 APR Auxiliary and Sons of the American Legion Info Meeting 6:30 PM Legion
- 19 APR Ingleside / Inglewood Visit 5 PM
- 20 APR Badger Honor Flight Jack Frame will be on this flight
- 25 APR Dane County Council Meeting Waunakee Legion Meeting starts at 7:15
- 27 APR 3rd District Spring Conference Dodgeville HS 9 AM 3 PM
- 1 MAY MHHS Senior Awards Night 6:45 PM
- 4 MAY Legion hosted Steak Feed VFW 4:30 8 PM
- 5 MAY Local Orientation Badger Boys and Girls State Legion 5 PM
- 18 May Badger Honor Flight Bus Departs from the VFW
- 23 June Veterans BBQ at the VFW

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Next Meeting: 13 June 2019 at 6:30 pm Time Adjourned: 7:50 PM

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