

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



Minutes of The American Legion, Department of Wisconsin

Attendance: 19

13 Sept 2018

Time Convened: 6:38pm

Thanking past Commanders of Post 113 present, Vaughn Ableman and Craig Mortvedt
Reading of the last meeting's minutes: Handed out July 2018 membership meeting minutes.
Motion passed and accepted as posted.

Committee Reports:

Finance Committee: (Larry)

Accounts Total: 40,228.40 Total minus restricted funds: 28,961.21 Savings: 3,430.50

Membership Committee: (Mike)

- We have 79 2019 Renewals already
- Please continue to talk to others about joining our Legion Family

Jr. Shooting Sports Committee: (Craig)

-NSTR

Scholarship Committee: (Commander Jerry)

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Youth and Family Committee: (Commander Jerry)

- Thank you to everyone that made the Legion Picnic a huge success
- Contacted all Service Organizations about supporting Badger Boys and Girls State 2019
 - Received a check for \$275 from the Optimist Club already, Lions said they will send a check for \$400

House Committee: (Rebecca)

-Thank you Stan and Paul for staining the deck

Memorial Committee: (Joe)

- Labor Day Flag Holiday thank you to everyone that assisted
 - We need someone to coordinate this awesome Program next year
- MHVMA update
 - Paver Enrollment Forms out, please help us get them in
 - Started meeting with Major Donor over the last several weeks
 - We have over 72K in the bank pledges for follow on years take us over \$120K, we have done a lot of work, but there is much more to do.

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Fundraising Committee: (Scott)

- Golf Outing – 15 Sept at Edelweiss, please sign up to play and or eat supper
- Received a check for \$1,700 for the Frolic. Thank you to everyone that worked to help us earn that.
- Post 113 steak feed at the VFW supporting the MHVMA Saturday 1/1/19 and 5/1/19

Visitation Committee: (John, Jim)

- Visited Ray Cunneen
- Talked to Nancy Oleson
- Provided support to Paul Hodgson's son Scott after the fire

Honor Guard Committee: (Paul)

- Lyle Huseth, Sylvester Sutter, and Arnie Schoville's Funerals went great
- 9-11 Commemoration went great, thank you to everyone that came out

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

- Ralph Buechner, Al Bendickson, Neal Fargo, Ray Cunneen, and Lawrence Hefty, Scott Hodgson, Max Oleson

Unfinished Business:

- Flag Retirement Ceremony at the VFW 20 SEP at 7 PM
- Dane County Council Meeting 27 Sep @ 6:30 PM, United Methodist Church

New Business and Correspondence:

- Purchasing Veteran Flagholders
- Operation Stand Down 27 October at the Salvation Army on East Washington
- How many people would join or know of others if we formed a SAL Squadron
- Present the colors at the Homecoming Game 28 SEP, we have 6 volunteers let Jerry know if you'd also like to attend, Summer Honor Guard is the uniform

For the Good of the American Legion:

- Jerry Hook attended the 100th National Convention in Minneapolis
- Operation Stand Down 27 Oct
- Memorials WWI and Desert Shield Desert Storm
- US Army Museum – Submit stories of your service
- Jerry to extend invite to Past National Commander Denise Rohan for Saturday coffe

Positives from March/April 2018:

- Newspaper Articles – Annual Picnic, Quilts of Valor, Thank You to Diego Camacho, We Shall Never Forget Article on Ken Miller, 100th National Convention, Veterans Thank Diego
- Legion Picnic
- Visit to Ray Cunneen

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- Springdale Lutheran Car Show
- Received a \$500 donation from Max Oleson
- Received a Thank you for \$100 donated to Camp American Legion at the Department Convention on behalf of the MH American Legion
- Commander attended the 100th National Convention of the American Legion
- Honor Guards for Lyle Huseth, Sylvester Sutter, and Arnie Schoville
- Flag Holiday – Labor Day – Completed this year’s Flag Holiday Program
- Over 75 Members have renewed already
- Veterans Paver Enrollment Forms turned in
- 9-11 Commemoration with the Fire Department
- Thank you sent for Badger Honor Flight Honorees
- Members donated over \$200 to Quilts of Valor – presented to QOV

Upcoming Events:

- 15 SEP – MH American Legion Annual Golf Outing at Edelweiss Chalet Golf Course
- 20 SEP - Flag Retirement Ceremony at the VFW with the Boy Scouts
- 22 SEP – Badger Honor Flight
- 25 SEP – 3rd District Meeting in Barneveld
- 27 SEP - 6:30 Dinner - Dane County Council Meeting -United Methodist Church
- 28 SEP – MHHS Homecoming game – present the colors
- 13 OCT – Badger Honor Flight
- 27 OCT – Operation Stand Down(assisting Homeless Veterans) Salvation Army
- 2 NOV – Thrivent Gala
- 3 NOV – 3rd District Conference in Darlington
- 3 NOV – Badger Honor Flight

Next Meeting: 11 October 2018 at 6:30pm
Time Adjourned: 7:27 PM

Minutes Compiled by:
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Adjutant

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