

VFW POST 1037
Minutes for Nov 5 2018

JOINT MEETING WITH THE LADIES AUXILIARY:

Items that were brought up in the joint meeting are as follows:

Ringling of the Bell:

There will be a sign up sheet going around for signing up to ring the Salvation Army Bell. Sign up now to get the spots that you want.

Veterans Memorial:

All money raised needs to go into the Veterans Foundation Account. Individual donations need to write a check to the foundation and will be issued a written thank you note from the VFW.

Designer of the Memorial:

We will set up a skype meeting with the designers in Dubuque, IA. The City will paid most of the cost of the project and will work with the Designers.

Veterans Cemetery at King:

Anyone Veteran or Veteran of a spouse wishing to be buried at King needs to pick up an application at the Veterans Service Office at the Court House or contact Gretchen at King. You can also go online for the application also.

OPENING CEREMONIES:

The Commander and the Chaplain led us in the opening ceremonies. The roll call of officers showed all present.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT:

Christopher Eitland has expressed an interest to join our Post. He is a US Navy Veteran of Southwest Asia.

COMMUNICATIONS:

Thank you note from National for our donation to the *hurricane relief fund*.

Wreaths for Foreign Cemeteries:

A motion was made by Klepps to donate to the wreaths foundation and seconded by Maggio. Motion carried.

Waupaca Fire Department:

Would like a donation to support the fire safety program. Reis made the motion to donate and was seconded by Maggio. Motion carried.

Road Side Pick-up:

We could use a few more individuals to help in the road side pick up the spring.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING:

The minutes of the previous month of October were read and approved with no corrections.

QUARTERMASTERS REPORT:

Motion was made by Rollins and was seconded by Klepps. Motion carried.

READING OF THE BILLS:

Motion to pay the Bills was made by Reis and seconded by Hautman. Motion carried.

COMRADES IN DISTRESS: Gene Zienty is back in town and seems to be doing pretty good.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Rifle Squad: We top last month again had a few funerals for the month of Oct and they are as follows:

SPC/4 Lawrence Neubauer Jr. US Army, Vietnam

A1C Roy Thompson, USAF, Vietnam

Lcpl Rusty Harris, USMC, Vietnam

SPC/4 Vernon Diers, US Army, Vietnam

PVT Donald Nourse, USMC, Persian Gulf

SPC/5 James Ostrowski, US Army, Vietnam

Donald Erpenbach, US Army

SPC/4 Robert Draeger, US Army, Vietnam

PFC Ronald Kasten, USMC, Vietnam

A1C Harold Houle, USAF, Korea

Arthur Monteferrante

SPC/6 Jerome Hansen, US Army, Korea

MR3 Jack Martz, US Navy, Vietnam

SPC/4 Gerald Geisen,, US Army, Vietnam

A1C Ronald Kuether, USAF, Vietnam

SFC Louis Springborg, US Army, Korea
A2C Duran Buckley, USAF, Vietnam

AMMO:

We need to order more ammo if we are to continue with all these funerals.

Funeral Detail:

We are looking at doing every other one with the Legion at King once they get on board.

Gas Money:

Richard Morey has not received gas that we made a motion on a few months ago. A motion was made by Cook to donate more and was seconded by Turner.

Car Show Dinner:

The Commander is looking for someone to join him for the steak dinner that the Car Show puts on Nov 14. If he can't get anyone he said he would ask his wife.

Veterans In the Classroom:

Richard Morey has the schedule for those who are going to be at the school.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Looking at putting on a party in the spring when all are back from winter break for the VFW Post.

NEW BUSINESS: Nothing to report.

GOOD OF THE ORDER:

Dave Rollins has some books that have been donated from an individual on the Vietnam War and will be available in the Post Library.

Funeral Jackets:

Have been ordered.

NEXT MEETING: Will be held on Monday Dec 3, 2018

Being no further business, the CDMR led us in the closing ceremonies.
Respectfully submitted by Ron Radloff, Acting Adjutant