

VFW POST 1037

Minutes for Dec 3, 2018

JOINT MEETING WITH THE LADIES AUXILIARY:

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

OPENING CEREMONIES:

The Commander and the Chaplain led us in the opening ceremonies.

Quilt Raffle at The Highground:

The Highground is sponsoring a quilt raffle and if anyone would want a ticket they are to contact the Highground.

Vietnam Veterans Pictures:

The Waupaca Library has all the pictures of the Vietnam Veterans who were killed in action in the State of Wisconsin that will held now through Dec 12, 2018.

Iola Car Show:

Open house will be held on Dec 12, 2018 at the

VFW Calendars:

All calendars need to be turned in ASAP.

IOLA CAR SHOW:

The Iola Car Show is scheduled for July 11,12 & 13, 2019,

CHRISTMAS IN JULY:

The VFW is looking at having a party (Christmas in July) sometime in July.

VETERANS MEMORIAL:

The City of Waupaca has been dragging their feet on this project and it now seems they have a buyer for the property that we have been looking at. So now everything is on hold. We will start looking at other properties in the area to see what is available. We have inquired on a few properties and the prices are way out of our reach.

LAMBEAU FIELD:

RING THE BELL:

Ringling the bell for the last two weekends has brought in \$10,000.00 so far. We are in need of more bell ringers as we have had some empty spots.

MILITARY CARE PACKAGES:

What are we doing for the Soldiers who are deployed? Pre-paid phone cards, Care packages? After a lengthy discussion we decided on phone cards and care packages. Pat Radloff will handle the addresses of all who are deployed or soon to be. Get the names and address to her.

MEETING ADJOURNED**ROLL CALL OF OFFICERS:**

The roll call of officers showed all present.

MEMBERSHIP REPORT:

Christopher Eitland was installed as a member of our Post. Welcome aboard Chris.

COMMUNICATIONS:

We received a thank you note from the MDA for our donation for sending kids to the summer camp.

WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA:

They are looking for donations to help in the cost of purchasing wreath for the cemeteries for Veterans at Christmas time. They are looking for volunteers to help put wreath on graves at King on Dec 15th starting at 09:00 hrs. Motion was made by Warner to donate and was seconded by Chris Eitland. Motion carried.

ARMED FORCES INSURANCE AGENCY:

They would like to come in and give us a quote on insuring our building. We have had them in the past and they were very expensive. We will not proceed in getting a quote.

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING:

The minutes of the previous month of November were read with no corrections.

QUARTERMASTERS REPORT:

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

READING OF THE BILLS:

Motion to pay the Bills was made by Klepps and seconder by Chris Eitland.

COMRADES IN DISTRESS:

Theodore (Ted) Bouressa family. Ted was a member of our Post and passed away November 15, 2018.

Gene Zienty is back home and seems to be fine.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Rifle Squad:

We are way down on the numbers from last month and it seems pretty good.

EM2 Herman Joseph Hoehl Jr. Vietnam Veteran of the US Navy.

PFC David A Stockman, Korea war Veteran of the US Army.

Steven Alexander Weigel, Vietnam Veteran with the USAF.

SFC Patrick Elia Minenna, Vietnam Veteran with the US Army.

Thomas Partick Courtney, Vietnam Veteran with the US Army.

SPC/3 Eugene W Schoenhofen, Peace time with the US Army.

BROCHURES:

Dave Rollins has some informational brochures that he will be passing around from the Portage County Veterans Office that we may want to look at and make copies to place in difference business in Waupaca to help veterans that would like additional information and help if needed. These brochures are made for the Vietnam, Korea, Gulf War Veterans.

CAR SHOW:

The Car Show shrunk this year as to vendors, but we increased our take in money and cars in the car corral.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Nothing to report.

NEW BUSINESS:

Nothing to report.

GOOD OF THE ORDER:

Nothing to report.

NEXT MEETING: Will be held on Monday January 7, 2019.

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