



**Vietnam Veterans of America
Chapter 331**

April 09, 2022



The April 09, 2022 the meeting was held at the GasLite – the meeting was called to order at 1:10pm by 2nd Vice Dave Roeker with the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence for our fallen and serving service members, POW/MIAs.

Minutes from March 2022 were read and accepted

The Treasury report was given by Treasurer John Telschow and accepted

ELECTIONS:

- By unanimous consent the Officers will be held over for one more year –
 - Pres – Jim Ottman
 - 1st Vice - Jim Jennings
 - 2nd Vice - Dave Roeker
 - Sec - Dave Niederer
 - Tres – John Telschow
 - Chaplin – Bill Baker

OLD BUSINESS:

- Gayle has not yet checked with the local Technical College to determine how to pay out any scholarships that we might award to Tech College Diploma scholarship winner. We have until next year to figure it out.

NEW BUSINESS:

- Ken House and Lee Meyer advised that the New Richmond VFW is expecting to have sewer, water and a foundation finished on the Freedom Park Center by the end of the summer They also advised that the VFW is a sponsor of the Memorial Day “Music in the Park” on May 30th from 2pm – 7pm at River Front Park in Hudson and invite VVA #331 to attend.
- Ken House, on behalf of VFW 10818 asked permission to add VVA #331 to the plaque outside of the New Building. There were no objections
- The Wisconsin Department of Veterans Affairs is advising that they are holding their 20th Memorial Day Ceremony at the Northern Wisconsin Veterans Memorial Cemetery in Spooner on Saturday May 28, 2022 at 1PM. They request that if the organization wishes to post their

colors for this ceremony that they RSVP to the Cemetery by May 9, 2022. No one in attendance was available to attend.

- Lee Meyer advised that the St Croix County VSO, Phil Landgraf, was trying to get a monthly Veterans Meeting going to discuss ongoing Veterans issues. Gayle will attempt to contact the VSO to see if this is going to come to fruition.
- The Minneapolis VA is now offering the 2nd Covid Booster Shot. For more information go to <https://www.va.gov/minneapolis-health-care/programs/covid-19-vaccines/>
- The Minneapolis VA is suggesting that you order your medications at least 2weeks early due to new USPS regulations. More information is available at: <https://www.myhealth.va.gov/mhv-portal-web/web/myhealthvet/ss20211021-get-your-rx-refill-on-time>

UPCOMING:

- **September 11** – The Huey will be in Glenwood City for Rustic Lore Days (1pm?)
- **Aug 12-13** – China Beach, Fireworks Friday and Saturday weather permitting. Lunch Saturday, bring dish to pass

NEXT MEETING:

May 14, 2022 at the Hootch

Respectfully Submitted
David Niederer, Secretary