Billy Stelpflug Detachment #1064 Marine Corps League Business Meeting Minutes

Date: 04/16/2022

Location: Trinity Lutheran Church Fellowship Hall Recorded By: Rudy Vuchinich, Adjutant/Paymaster

Called to Order: 0730 by Bob Jonson, Commandant

Raffle: \$35 won by John Reichman and donated back to the Detachment

Attendance: Officers present: Robert C. Jonson, Commandant

Ron D. Russell, Senior Vice Commandant Rudy Vuchinich, Adjutant/Paymaster John J. Reichmann, Sergeant at Arms John R. Alums, Junior Past Commandant

Jim Doyle, Webmaster

Ricardo Garcia, Marine for Life

Officers absent: Harry Hooper, Judge Advocate

Michael Carreca, Junior Vice Commandant

Perry Caldwell, Chaplain

Members present: John Reichmann, Rusty Alums, Harry Waites, Ron Russell, Rudy Vuchinich, Earl Allen, Charlie Block, Ricardo Garcia, Gene Stanaland, Jim Doyle, Ed Whealdon

Paymaster Report: Current account balance is \$9454.84.

Health and Welfare: Perry Caldwell is still recovering and is engaged in rehab. Ron Russell announced that his son died since the last meeting. Johnny Baker had a mishap during eye surgery and is currently being treated in Birmingham. Bob Jonson, Ron Russell, and Mike Carreca called members who have not been attending meetings.

Food Bank: Rusty Alums reported that four Detachment members worked at the food bank on our most recent scheduled day. The Detachment still has a detail at the food bank on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. Rusty Alums will send out email reminders for these dates and hopefully increase attendance.

Officer Elections: Jim Doyle made a motion, seconded by Earl Allen, that the following slate of officers be elected by acclimation. The motion was passed unanimously.

Commandant Matt Wilson
Sr Vice Commandant Gene Stanaland
Jr Vice Commandant Mike Carreca
Judge Advocate Harry Hooper
Adjutant/Paymaster Sgt at Arms John Reichman
Chaplin Ron Russell

The officers present were sworn in by Bob Jonson. Officers during the last term were given certificates of appreciation by Bob Jonson.

Other Items: (1) Ricardo Garcia announced that Harrison Lee, an attorney specialized in VBA claims, now has an office in our area.

- (2) Ricardo Garcia announced that the Auburn University Veterans Appreciation Day will be on Saturday, November 12, 2022, during the Texas A&M game.
- (3) Ricardo Garcia announced that the Auburn Mayor's Memorial Day Breakfast will be on Monday, May 30, 2022, at 8:00. Grady Jones will be honored during the event. Matt Wilson will call the Mayor's office next week for clarification regarding tickets.
- (4) Ricardo Garcia announced that he will graduate from Auburn University later this month and will start in graduate school this summer.

Social: The next Detachment Social will be on May 17, 2022, at 5:30 at Venditori's.

Next Meeting: The May meeting will be a flag burning ceremony at Matt Wilson's place at 34 Chadwick Lane, Lot 34, gate code is 4845

Adjourned at 08:40