

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 1776

General Meeting Minutes of

November 19, 2024 – 7p

1. Call to Order - 7p
2. Opening Prayer by Chaplain -
3. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag
4. Preamble to the Constitution of the American Legion Auxiliary
5. Roll Call of Officers
6. Reading of the Minutes of Last Meeting – Approved with Correction
7. Treasurer’s Report – Approved and filed for Audit
8. President’s Report

Family Christmas – Armory –Added another family from Dakota County. \$500.00 approved for purchases . Motion by Cheryl H, seconded by Peggy L. Motion Carried by Voice vote

Beyond Yellow Ribbon – Nov. 21, 5p. donated dessert, 80 veterans attended dinner. Two potential members given membership flyers at dinner.

Invitation to Tamara Thayer –Invited District President to be guest at May meeting. Awaiting confirmation of visit.

St. Cloud department conference attended by Maryalyce and Janet T. Janet gave update regarding updates from various committees. We donated hygiene products for women’s clinic at VA. National President gave keynote speech regarding push for membership across the state and county.

9. 1st Vice President – no report
10. 2nd Vice President – Reminder of Craft and Bake Sale on December 14.

Notice to be sent out in email, Facebook and website.

11. Operations Committee Report –Joan. Remodeling of Bathrooms ongoing.

Men are to use outdoor facilities. Some concerns about safety.

12. Committee Report

Legion Christmas Party – Dec. 5 from 5-8p –Cheryl and Mary Will report in January.

Membership - Jan - currently at 171 or 54.53% of paid members

VAR- Hastings Home – VA update – Janet – donated \$200.00 to food shelf

For Can openers. Janet looking for 32 inch TV, which was requested

Gift Shop- Janet – We will give Christmas Gift Cards. Janet will report in at January meeting.

Garage Sale – Media/FB/Website – Megan – Garage Sale profit was \$628.00.

Future Fundraising – Cheryl , Mary, Megan – December 28 horseracing and meat raffle, Craft and Bake Sale on December 14. Report in January.

13. Newsletter – Torrey - no report

14. Old Business - none

15. New Business – Janet updated that Gorda is ill at home and Torrey is having surgery. Card were sent.

16. Next Meeting – January 21, 2025

6p exec. Board; 7p General meeting

17. Number of Attendees – 13 attended

18. Closing Prayer

19. Adjournment at 8:05pm