U. S. Coast Guard

Chief Petty Officer Association

Grand Haven Chapter

**September 16, 2021**

**General Membership Meeting Minutes**

Minutes

1. Meeting called to order at 1831.
2. Members in attendance: BMCM Beatty, BMC Karpin, MSTC O’Neil, HCPO Niemiec, ETC Locklear, BMC Lauters, BMC Cucovatz, BMC Huffstutler, BMCM Moore, MKC Light, MKC Jordan, CWO Yoder, BMC Parkinson, and ETC Peterson.

Guests in attendance: None

1. Minutes: Previous meeting minutes reviewed and accepted with change to treasurer report balance.
2. Treasurer Report: HCPO Niemiec submitted treasurer report. Reported balance as of 9/16/2021 is $27406.35. Statement submitted to state for the raffle. Est. Raffle profit as of report is $2973.00. Report accepted.
3. Communications:

* Nothing to pass.

1. Committee Reports

a. Community Service: Nothing to pass.

Merchandise: BMC Fiore reported that he received 100 challenge coins.

* + 1. Burger Night: HCPO Niemiec that email will go out for OCT burger night.

ii. Adopt a Highway Report: BMC Lauters reported that next clean-up is 30SEP.

BMC Cucovatz coordinating.

* 1. Membership: Nothing to pass.
  2. Finance, Budget & Investments: Nothing to pass.
  3. Publication & Public Relations: Nothing to pass.

i. Facebook Page and Website: Nothing to pass.

* 1. Standing Rules and Regulations: Nothing to pass.
  2. Fundraising
     1. Water Tent Committee: Nothing to pass.
     2. Golf Committee Report: BMC Lauters reported that the golf tournament was a success. Location refunded money due to the early rainout. Will be looking for a new location for next year and open to ideas. Remaining thank you letters will be sent to sponsors.
  3. Activities:

i. Visiting Chiefs Picnic: Looking for new Chair for next year.

ii. Chapter Scholarship Program: Nothing to pass.

1. Old Business:

a. Nothing to pass.

1. New Business

a. Social Dinner: Postponed until local COVID rates decrease.

b. Motion brought by MSTC O’Neil and seconded by MKC Light to increase Turkey Time funds to from $600 to the original $2400 due to increase in Chapter funds. Motion passed.

c. Budget Proposals – Submit budget requests for upcoming CY22 budget meeting.

d. MKC Light brought up potential for sponsoring school sports teams. Tabled for next budget meeting.

1. Good of the Order:

a. Nothing to pass.

1. Moment of Silence observed for those who have gone before us
2. Next Meeting: **21 OCT 2021, 1830hrs**
3. Meeting Adjourned 1908.