

VFW POST 9601 Castro Valley

Meeting Minutes

July 10, 2018

Call to Order- 18:28

Prayer/ Pledge of Allegiance- Mickey

Introduction of Guests – Roll Call – 18 members / 4 guests

*Peter received a Medal of Honor from French for his service in France during WWII

Review /Approval of Minutes-Mickey/Mike M.

Service Officer Report -Jim Uhlik and Ethel - Available by appointment only. They need the Veteran to directly contact them to start the paper work.

Quartermaster Financial Report - B Yale, Mickey/Peter

Quartermaster Expense Report - B Yale, Mickey/Peter

Committee Reports:

Honor Guard:Patrick/Earl Flag Retirement/ Quilt of Valor

Discussion on Flag retirement and Collection – Only do it on Flag Day?

Citizens Recognition Awards: Hank Progress

Voice of Democracy: Hank Progress

Castro Valley Veterans Memorial: J Uhlik, Donation coming in since News article

Membership: Able -It is all of our job is to help recruit new members.

Chaplin: No Report

Old Business:

- **Old CV library Petition and Web site. Saveouroldcvlibrary.org** – No Update – Meeting Tomorrow
- Golf Tournament – CVVM Received Check - Voted to give half to CVVM – Earl R. / Rick M.
- Shelving for our storage space -Job well done by Earl – Thank You.
- Bocce Tournament – Sal did a fantastic job—Thank You. Do 50/50 Raffle?

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New Business:

- Veterans in Need with in our area (**Castro Valley, Hayward & San Lorenzo**)

- Sign up for Root beer float Social – VA Livermore
- Fall Festival – Fund Raiser/Attraction/Promotional items- \$400.00
- Holiday Flag for CVVM 5X8 Earl and Big Jim to take care of it.
- Need setup and take down help for East Bay Stand Down Sept 13 – 17 Start of set up on Sept 10 Take Down Sept 17-Open for volunteer sign up July 16. ? See Ethel

Good of the Order:

- Oakland Vet Center Homless Outreach – No Report
- Items needed for CVVM time capsule – See Bob Pirone
- Rolland – Merge Auxiliary and Post calendars on web site. Voted for fund to upgrade our Web site security Post and CVVM (SSL lock) – Mike M./Bill Rogers
- Navy Seal Foundation – Voted to donate \$450.00 Steve W./Mike M.
- Quilt of Honor for Rick and Bill R. – Very emotional moment
- Mike M. Chiropractic West to open a remote office/clinic@Hayward Veterans Memorial Bldg.

Upcoming Events for VFW Post 9601 Castro Valley: On separate sheet for 2018

July 22 Sunday AL Breakfast 08:00 – 11:00 @ San Leandro 1105 Bancroft Ave San Leandro
\$5.00 for Veteran /\$7.00 for non Vet

July 29 Sunday Veterans Picnic @CVVM 10:00

July 29 Sunday Root Beer Float Social – VA Livermore @14:00

Prayer, TAPS and Adjournment 19:40