January 10, 2021 General Meeting 1:12 p.m. start time and 1:59 pm end time

Placing of the POA flag on the chair followed by Prayer lead by April Moss.

Roll Call of Officers

President: Aaron Guritz -Present Vice President: Jill Ray – Present Secretary: Stacey Goulet - Present Sergeant at Arms: Bill Long – Present Corporal at Arms: Dean Moulis -Present

Treasure: Bob Carfango - Present Road Captain: Bert Hemerley- Present Membership: April Moss – Present Chaplain – Michelle Chapman -Excused

April Moss - Present

Historian Michelle Guritz-Present Past President: Kirk Affolder- Present

Gear Garage – April Moss and Debra Acker- Present

Reading and approval of last meeting minutes. Bert H. made a motion to skip the reading of the minutes, the motion was seconded by April. No discussion. They are posted on our rider page if you want to read them.

Voting on new Members:

Dan and Angela were voted in.

Committee Reports:

Treasurer report- Bob distributed Nov & Dec Financial statements. Jacob motioned to approve report, seconded by Kirk and approved.

Vice Pres- Kilt run will be March 20, 2021 we need to start planning

Sgt. At Arms- 43 members present \$161 raffle Most hours donated April Moss, Most dollars donated Loren and Most miles riden Rick Curry.

Road Captain- Next Sunday ride to Circle S. KSU 10:30 at Road Runner **Membership-** Patches \$70, New application from Everet "Skip" Johnson

Historian: Nothing

Communications Nothing Past President- Nothing.
Chaplin – Nothing
Road LTS – Nothing

Gear Garage- Masks available.

UNFINISHED OLD BUSINESS

- a) Veterans Day Celebration Thank you to everyone that came out and volunteered to set up and assist with the celebration.
- b) Nov 14th Huns Steak Fry had a few of us attend.
- c) Nov 14th Cheech's Kids for Christmas Bike Night We had a few attend this.
- d) Nov 15th ride to Post 24 for Kenny's Memorial- We had a great turn out and the family was happy to see 109.
- e) Nov 28th VFW Post 549 Thanksgiving Poker Run We had a dozen or so riders that came out and supported this event.
- f) Son's Christmas ride 5th of December We had 67 riders
- g) Dec 13th Sun Riders Annual Toy Parade unsure if we had any 109 riders
- h) Jon Upchurch asked for donations for a 40&8 raffle he was working on for POW/MIA children. Individual members can donate gift cards. Donations need to be received by June.
- i) December raffle of booze and ice chest Tickets sold out quickly and Rick Curry won the cooler on his birthday.

NEW BUSINESS

- a) Unsure of the number of riders due to it being a new membership year
- b) Time for 2021 dues, you must pay your entity dues first
- c) Ace has asked that we be responsible for the area out back by the fire pit and the patio area. We need to keep it clean.
- d) Rick Curry made a motion to have his dog, Haze become a supporter. It was seconded by Michelle G. and the motion was approved.

GOOD OF THE RIDERS

- a) Post Kitchen remains closed. However, there is talk of letting entities use it in connection with a busy event.
- b) Traveling Trophy remains at Post 66- suspended due to Covid 19- no new information on when steal will resume.
- c) ALR Slingo today from 3-5, Volunteers needed- Sign up sheet
- d) Next ALR meeting and Slingo is February 14th, General Meeting at 1pm, E-Board meeting at 11:30am.
- e) Kilt Run is March 20th we need volunteers for organizing the event as well as running the event.
- f) Riders and SAL are going to be combining their meetings possibly as soon as February.
- g) Remind all riders to attend and support their entity.
- h) Anything else for the good of the Riders?
- i) Closing- Is there any other business to come before the membership?
- j) Raffle Drawing -\$161won by Kenny
- k) Please Stand and Uncover, SGT at Arms please retire the POW/MIA flag
- 1) Remain uncovered as the Chaplain leads us into our closing prayer
- m) Hand Salute the colors

n) I now declare this meeting of Post 109 American Legion Riders adjourned

Next Dinner –TBD

Next Meeting & Slingo– February 14th
Raffle Winner: \$161 won by Kenny
Meeting finished 1:59pm