

AMERICAN LEGION POST 98  
EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

October 23, 2019

1. Meeting was called to order at 1900 hours. There were 21 Legionnaires present. A Quorum was present.
2. Ed English offered the opening and closing prayers.
3. The Cdr informed the group that our Post was the only American Legion body represented at Fort Lauderdale Airport to welcome home a Honor Flight of 73 participants. The Post donated 73 flags and challenge coins.
4. Dick Renick thanked the Post for flowers during his injury recovery and stated the Pinecrest Veterans Day celebration would begin at 1000 hours, Nov 11<sup>th</sup>.
5. On 16 Nov the Post will also participate in a Veteran appreciation event at the USCG Station in Opalocka, starting at 1000 hours.
6. Saturday, 7 Dec at 1300 is a Post work day. The Post will decorated for the holidays.
7. The holiday party will be at 1800, 11 Dec. Each participant is to bring a \$10.00 unwrapped toy for the Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots program. In lieu of a toy a \$10.00 donation is acceptable.
8. The Adj. thanked Daisy Baez for her work initiating Congressional action on the Gold Star National Resolution to assist children of deceased service members.
9. The Cdr announced that there will be no E-Board meetings in November or December.
10. Joe Medina will attend the Fall Conference for training as the VetRelief POC for the Post.
11. Art Angelica mentioned that the DAV will be collecting donations at the Florida City Golden Coral in the evenings of 1-11 Nov. Members in uniform are encouraged to join the DAV. Contact Al Hernandez 305-322-7068 for more information.
12. Alec Rosen reminded the group that today was the anniversary of the Beirut Bombing which took the lives of 243 Marines and Navy personnel in 1983.
13. Joe Pigg informed the E-Board that he will ask for a \$200.- donation at the Nov meeting to help fund holiday gift bags for the VA Hospital in-patients to be presented on Dec 16<sup>th</sup>.
14. The Commander adjourned the meeting at 1938 hours.

Respectfully submitted:

Paul Kruger, Adjutant