

THE AMERICAN LEGION
ROY REED POST #252
WINSIDE, NE
OCTOBER 6, 2015

Daryl Mundil called the meeting to order with 11 members present (Dean Mann, Ray Jacobsen, Ray Roberts, Bud Neel, Gerald Kennedy, Earl Fuoss, Butch Edwards, Gene Barg, Stan Stenwall, Dave Bloomfield and Marcus Janssen) and led the salute to the flag. Earl Fuoss offered prayer. D. Mundil led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. With the POW/MIA flag in place a moment of silence was observed. All members recited the Legion Preamble.

Bud Neel read the minutes of the September 1, 2015 meeting. Minutes stand approved as read.

Dean Mann gave the treasurer report. **Dave Bloomfield moved to accept the report, Earl Fuoss seconded, motion passed.**

Committee Reports:

--Membership—we have about 9 members to renew. Discussion to pay for them to get 100% and attempt to collect. Table to next meeting as December 7 is Pearl Harbor renewal date for awards.

--Legion picnic—Good report from Virgil as he rode back on the bus. Veterans really enjoyed themselves. They like the interaction with members.

--Daryl reported on 52 Gun raffle

--Color Guard on October 16 at 3 PM, Earl Fuoss, Daryl Mundil

--State Fair parade—we had jeep, trailer and 6 members in parade. Tires & rims are still a subject to talk with Brady Frahm and Darin Schellenberg.

Sick Call: NONE

PSO: Nothing

Unfinished business:

--Flag poles, Ray Jacobsen checked with Bomgaars. If we take 24 poles we can get for \$76.00 each. Dave Bloomfield moved to get 40 poles at \$76.00

if we can, Gerald Kennedy seconded. Discussion: sell old poles for \$10.00 if we can. Bud would buy the old poles for \$10.00 each. **Dave Bloomfield amended motion to order 42 poles and Dave Bloomfield will pay for 2 poles for Immanuel Cemetery, Gerald Kennedy seconded the amended motion, motion passed.**

New Business:

--Dave Bloomfield moved to replace the old refrigerator in the back room with a new refrigerator and look into getting an upright freezer and rubber mats in the kitchen, no seconded, motion died.

--**Dave Bloomfield moved to replace the old refrigerator in the back room, Butch Edwards seconded. Discussion: Butch and Ray will be on committee to look at Daryl's 2 refrigerators, if they don't want either one, get prices on new frig, motion passed.**

--Dave Bloomfield moved to purchase an upright freezer for back room as we can make room for it if we take down some shelves. Motion died due to lack of second. Ray and Butch will check refrigerators at Daryl's for the freezer, should be enough extra storage.

--**Dave Bloomfield moved to buy rubber mats for the kitchen, Stan Stenwall seconded, Discussion: Ray Jacobsen will look into mats and check prices, motion passed.**

--Bud Neel reported on membership dues. National passed to raise dues \$5.00 beginning January 1, 2016. Department talked about it but has not made a decision to raise dues. The discussion was from \$2.00-\$5.00 increase. Bud advised they just about have to raise the dues to help pay for the 5500 permanent member's dues. **Ray Jacobsen moved to raise Post #252 membership dues \$10.00 beginning January 1, 2016, Marcus Janssen seconded, motion passed with 1 nay.**

--Guest, Trisha North was in attendance at the SAL meeting on 9-29-15 to talk about the school scoreboard. SAL Squadron moved to donate \$1000.00 if Legion Post will match. **Earl Fuoss moved to donate \$1000.00 to School scoreboard, Marcus Janssen seconded. Discussion: If they wanted money, they should have someone attend a meeting to ask or answer questions. Could not have football home game unless they had scoreboard. We need some information from someone. Motion FAILED. Marcus Janssen will talk to principal about attending a Legion meeting.**

--Daryl reported on Gold Star Kids Honor Flight in Nebraska. It will be November 7th during night UNL football game with Michigan State. Jeff True, from Tilden, asked Daryl about helping with this endeavor. Sponsorship for widow and kids is \$500.00 and sponsor for kids only is \$250.00.

--Bud reported on Jennifer Salak asking about centennial information for the Post. Bud had given her the website for Post #252 and she will work on it.

--Veteran's Day program at school is November 11 at 8:15 AM. Brian Greunke will be home at that time. Daryl will talk with Lenell Quinn and Pam Greunke to see if Brian would like to speak. Will need a color guard, at least 2 members.

--SAL will have Root Beer floats at the Norfolk Veterans Home on November 15 at 2PM. Legion members welcome to attend or assist.

Next meeting will be November 3, 2015.

Gifts for Yanks donation \$30.00

Earl Fuoss offered benediction.

Daryl Mundil closed the meeting