

THE AMERICAN LEGION  
ROY REED POST #252  
WINSIDE, NE  
JANUARY 8, 2019

Commander Mark Bloomfield called the meeting to order with 10 members present (Mark Bloomfield, Bud Neel, Ray Jacobsen, Les Schulz, Dave Bloomfield, Dean Mann, Gene Barg, Stan Stenwall, Sandra Hansen and Butch Edwards). Cmdr. Bloomfield led the salute to the flag. Dave Bloomfield offered prayer. A moment of silence was observed for the POW/MIA's. Cmdr. Bloomfield led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance and the Legion Preamble.

Bud Neel read the minutes of the December 2018 meeting. Corrections were made as the minutes were read. **Sandra Hansen moved to approve the corrected minutes, Dave Bloomfield second, motion passed.**

Dean Mann offered the treasurer's report as of December 31, 2018: **Ray Jacobsen moved to approve the report, Stan Stenwall second, motion passed.**

**Committee reports:**

--Sandra Hansen advised members of a Supreme Court ruling on non-profit organizations have to pay sales tax starting 1-1-19. Sandra will research this further.

Alrighty, to clarify, and stand corrected, please add to the minutes. Sales tax is NOT on memberships, but IS on items purchased from the American Legion. The Supreme Court ruling is 2018 Wayfair. I received this information after the meeting.

--Omelet Feed in December was very good. Expenses were not totaled at this time.

--Bud obtain or borrowed a book on our Jeep to attempt to find seals for transmission and gear box.

--Legion Soup lunch will be Sunday, January 27, 2019.

**Sick call:**

--Daryl Mundil

- Janice Mundil
- Tanner Westerhaus
- Virgil Rohlf
- Earl Fuoss
- Ray Jacobsen, upcoming surgery

### **Unfinished business:**

- Question on Wifi that was discussed about a year ago. The phone wires were cut when electrical for storage shed was trenched, and phone wire would have to be replaced at a cost. No interest at this time to do the repairs.
- Bud advised this weeks' Sons Gun Raffle winner may not be able to retrieve his prize as he was arrested for a felony after purchasing a ticket. We may get a prize back after 90 days.
- Boys State and Jr. Law. Need someone to go to the school to talk about it. Cmdr. Bloomfield is available on Friday afternoon.
- Dave Bloomfield moved to buy 4 rolls of stamps due to the price increase this month, Sandra Hansen second.** Discussion was held. We just as well save some costs on stamps as they are going up \$.05 per stamp. **Motion passed.** Dean Mann will purchase the stamps.

### **New Business:**

- Thank you's were read
- Department newsletter was read.
- District 3 needs nominees for District Citizenship Award. Dave Bloomfield moved to nominate Daryl Mundil, Gene Barg second, motion passed.
- Vet's Day at State Capital in Warner Room is February 8, at 8 AM to register.
- Boy's State date is June 2-8 and cost is \$375.00
- Jr. Law is June 10-13 and classes are combined again. Cost remains at \$150.00
- Eagle Scout of the Year nominations are due. Winside does not have any. Sandra Hansen advised there might be 2 Eagle scouts in Wayne. We don't want to intrude on Wayne if they sponsor a Scout. Need to talk with them first. Winside would sponsor if Wayne doesn't. Sandra will look into Eagle Scouts and talk with Wayne Legion.
- Bud reminded everyone about Consolidated Post Report information. Need to start gathering information and turn in by March 31.

--Dean Mann advised he received a request for us to enter into a level payment plan for our Natural Gas bill. We are not getting into a level rate.

--Bud provided a soup supply list for Dan Jaeger to purchase. Stan Stenwall will cook the chicken. Make soup on Friday, January 25 at 6:30 PM. (Date was changed to Saturday, January 26 at 9 AM). We have to go containers with lids.

Dave Bloomfield gave benediction.

Next meeting will be February 5, 2019

Cmdr. Bloomfield closed the meeting.