THE AMERICAN LEGION ROY REED POST #252 WINSIDE, NE FEBRUARY 2, 2021

Vice Commander Dan Jaeger called the meeting to order with 7 members present (Dean Mann, Dan Jaeger, Daryl Mundil, Les Schulz, Eric Vahlkamp, Stan Stenwall and Bud Neel) and led the salute to the flag. Les Schulz offered prayer. Cmdr. Jaeger led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. A moment of silence was observed for the POW/MIA's. Cmdr. Jaeger led the members in the Legion Preamble.

Bud Neel read the minutes for the December meeting as no meeting was held in January 2021. Minutes in record, approved as read.

Dean Mann offered the treasurer's report for 3 months: 11-30-20; 12-31-20; 1-31-21. **Stan Stenwall moved to approve the report, Eric Vahlkamp second, motion passed**.

Committee reports:

- --Bud Neel reported on the SONs Christmas fruit baskets being well received.
- --Bud Neel advised that 9 members of the 4-H Sharpshooter participated in the American Legion postal match. As of the SONs meeting, the Winside team was in 1st place overall. Emily was in 1st place in the individual

precision. The SONs Squadron paid \$155.00 for the targets and expenses of classes for Cmdr. Greunke.

--Bud reported the SONs are looking into items for future raffles.

Sick Call: none

PSO: none

Old business:

--Daryl Mundil built and delivered a PLINKO machine to the Veterans Home and built one for the Winside Post which is in the shed.

New Business:

- --Boy's State and Jr. Law letters are here and given to Dan Jaeger. Boy's State is June 13-19, 2021 and Jr. Law is June 21-24, 2021. Dan wasn't sure who to contact at the school, but Butch Edwards and Dan Jaeger will work on it.
- --Legion Scholarship discussion was held. Essay of 250 words on "Views of the 2020 election and voter I.D." Turn in for application is March 31, for the April meeting.
- --Question from citizens on "Is the Legion doing any fundraisers?" On February 28, 2021, from 10AM to 1 PM, the Legion will hold a Soup lunch of Chili, Chicken Noodle and Ham & Beans.
- --On Saturday, March 20, 2021, the Legion will hold their St. Patrick's card party.

- --Bud asked if we need to contact the Auxiliary for desserts for Soup lunch. Cmdr. Jaeger thought we should. Bud will handle that.
- --Daryl Mundil spoke about County Government Day. Daryl is waiting on Judge to set a date, we know it will be on a Monday. Hoping to have Senator Albrecht, Deb Finn and a NSP K-9 Officer to speak at lunch. Need to contact the Auxiliary about bars for lunch at the Armory. Bud will contact President Novak about bars.
- --Daryl spoke about National Park entry for Vet's for free and Gold Star families. How to apply for Vet's I.D. and DAV application for Lifetime Park permits. Daryl and Bud have paperwork for applications we can send to anyone.
- --Covid 19 vaccine for 75 year old and older Veterans can sign up for their shots. Check with your local state to sign up at the VA website.

Next meeting will be March 2, 2021

Les Schulz offered benediction

V-Cmdr Jaeger closed the meeting.