

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

Vice Commander Dan Jaeger called the meeting to order with 11 members present and led the salute to the flag (Dan Jaeger, Dean Mann, Bud Neel, Daryl Mundil, Les Schulz, Earl Fuoss, Butch Edwards, Gene Barg, Sandra Hansen, Stan Stenwall and Dave Bloomfield). Earl Fuoss offered prayer. VCmdr. Jaeger asked for a moment of silence for the POW/MIA's. VCmdr. Jaeger led the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance and the Legion Preamble.

Bud Neel read the minutes of the February 2, 2021 meeting. **Stan Stenwall moved to approve the minutes, Butch Edwards second, motion passed.**

Dean Mann advised the bank statement had not arrived, no financial report. There were deposits of \$714.00 from Soup Lunch on 2-28-21 and \$25.00 donation from Verneal Marotz. Expenses for Soup Lunch was Winside store bill of \$300.00 and Dan Jaeger \$40.00. Report will be in detail at the April meeting.

Committee reports:

--VCmdr. Jaeger reported on soup lunch. Attendance was down but donations were up.

--Butch reported on Jr. Law. Had one applicant, Aubrey Edwards. Jr. Law has been cancelled. Boy's State applicant, Tyler Carlson, if it is in person. Will need a biography from Tyler. Discussion on the scholarship was held. **Butch Edwards moved to give the scholarship to Tyler Carlson, Sandra Hansen second. Discussion was we did the same last year. Call for the question, motion passed.**

--Daryl Mundil reported on County Government Day. The County Judge will not allow us to hold in courtroom. Winside High School will attend the program on April 19 at the Wayne Armory, 9am -1 pm. There will be approximately 32 kids with juniors and seniors and 40 total with the volunteers. Agenda includes Senator Joni Albrecht, guest speaker, voting packet from County Clerk Deb Finn, US Marshall Task Force Dale Fellin, Army National Guard Recruiter SFC Dustin Scholte with HUMVEE, NSP K-9 Officer, trivia games, Wayne County Sheriff's office and car. List of other possible speakers and items needed were included. Ask the Auxiliary to provide bars for dessert. Sandra asked if the NSP Chaplain was invited. Daryl will look into it. Armory has a TV but no DVD player.

--Dean Mann suggested the St. Patrick's Pitch tournament date moved to March 27th, 1 PM, as the hall is rented March 20. **Sandra Hansen moved to schedule the Pitch tournament for March 27th at 1 PM, Dave Bloomfield second, motion passed.** Will get hamburger from Winside Store for Taverns and Hot Dogs. Sandra will do fliers. We have chips on the back.

Sick Call: NONE

Old Business: NONE

New business:

--Question about Memorial Day schedule. Members want to hold the program in person. Dave Bloomfield suggested Hal Daub would might still be eligible to speak. Dave will provide phone number to contact Mr. Daub. Need to check on the Band and Choir.

--Dean Mann advised Butch had checked on flag box prices. Hobby Lobby price was \$50.00. Dave Bloomfield advised he would check with the Hobby Lobby manager. He normally will let us know when they go on sale and give us the sale price.

--Butch Edwards reported on hands free towels and toilet paper dispensers from Floor maintenance and they would install. **Sandra Hansen moved to get 3 towel dispensers only at this time for bathrooms and kitchen, Gene Barg second, motion passed.**

--Sandra Hansen brought the name plate for Gilbert Thies to the meeting. Need a picture of Gilbert Thies also. Still need flags and pictures for Leon Koch, Orville Lage, Ray Jacobsen and Virgil Rohlf.

--Will need to order 25 new 3X5 flags and check prices on casket flags. We have 6 casket flags on hand.

--**Dave Bloomfield moved to approve the resolution #1-2021 against NASCAR sponsorship by the American Legion, Les Schulz second, motion passed.**

--**Dave Bloomfield moved to support the resolution No. 3 as read by Bud Neel from Department of Nebraska on Support for Voter ID, Earl Fuoss second, motion passed.**

--Operation School Talk flyer from newsletter package was given. Volunteers are Sandra Hansen (after April 15), Daryl Mundil, Dave Bloomfield and Earl Fuoss.

--It was suggested we use the website to advertise our fundraisers. If you receive it, pass it along to your friends. Website is **www.winsideamericanlegion252.com**

--Dean Mann advised we had received a letter from Mutual of Omaha on a liability that occurred in the Legion Hall. Brian Bowers has the letter and will look into it. It occurred in the Legion Hall, a granddaughter of Rose Janke falling inside the building.

Earl Fuoss offered benediction.

Next meeting will be on April 6 at 7 PM.

VCmdr Jaeger closed the meeting.