

SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

ROY REED SQUADRON #252

WINSIDE, NE

OCTOBER 27, 2020

Commander Darin Greunke called the meeting to order with 5 member present (Kevin Andersen, Bud Neel, Darin Greunke, David Greunke and Gene Jensen) and led the salute to the flag. Gene Jensen offered prayer. A moment of silence was observed for our forefathers and the POW/MIA's. Cmdr. Greunke led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance and the SON's Preamble.

Bud Neel read the minutes of the September 27, 2020 meeting. **Gene Jensen moved to approve the minutes, Kevin Andersen second, motion passed.**

Kevin Andersen offered the treasurer's report **General Checking Account** as of October 24, 2020. **David Greunke moved to approve the report, Gene Jensen second, motion passed.**

Benevolent checking account as of 10-24-20.

Benevolent saving account as of 10-24-20. **Gene Jensen moved to approve the benevolent accounts report, David Greunke second, motion passed.**

Committee Reports:

--Fish fry report-the 3 cases of egg mix left over was donated to the Norfolk Veteran's Home. Each case cost \$70.98 totaling \$212.92 donation. The potato salad (Gene & Nancy Jensen), coleslaw (Beverly Neel) and tartar sauce (David Greunke) were donated, also. Not a successful fundraiser. Need to remember to apply for a Thrivent card for next fundraiser. Might have a delivery available if scheduled during harvest.

--Remington Rifle raffle-we have 36 books left not sold or distributed. Sales are not going well. Some are not interested in the rifle, already have one, price of tickets could have been reduced or too soon after another raffle. There are still tickets at the store if anyone needs anymore.

--Cmdr. Greunke still has 4-H kids interested in shooting in the Legion Postal match. Cmdr. Greunke has completed the required training. Sharp Shooters are asking sons to sponsor the match costs. **Kevin Andersen moved to sponsor the 4-H Sharpshooters for the Legion Postal match and donate \$200.00 for 10-11 kids, if prices increase, we will revisit the costs. David Greunke second, motion passed.**

--52 Gun prizes have not been picked up by the required time after several phone calls, letters or personal visits. We should have two more prizes for raffle in the future.

--For future raffles, we need to order tickets well in advance to advertise. Also, we need to decide on other prizes we might purchase for raffles.

Sick Call:

--Glenn Kietzmann had knee surgery. Card sent.

Unfinished business:

--Cmdr. Darin and Kevin did color guard on Oct 9 for football game at 3 PM.

New Business:

--Winside School Veteran's Program will be at 9 AM in the High School on November 11th. Public is invited and masks are required. Need a color guard, Bud will not be available.

--Remington rifle raffle drawing to be held on Wednesday, November 11 at 7 PM. Need to meet on Sunday, November 8 at 7 PM, to verify the tickets, depending on the weather.

--Reminder to move clocks back 1 hour on Saturday night, November 28.

--Saturday night, November 14 is Legion movie night. Need to be there by 5:00 PM.

--Thank you card from the Norfolk Veteran's Home for egg donation.

--October 2020 SONs newsletter was read. Mid-Year Conference will be in Columbus at the former Ramada Inn.

--Flag burning still not scheduled.

--Dispersing of monies needs to be done before the end of the year.

--Gene Jensen moved to donate \$500.00 to the Gifts for Yanks, Kevin Andersen second, motion passed.

Gene Jensen offered benediction

Next meeting will be November 24, 2020.

Cmdr. Greunke closed the meeting.