

**SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION
ROY REED SQUADRON #252
WINSIDE, NE
OCTOBER 26, 2022**

Vice Commander Arlin Kittle called the meeting to order with 5 members (Arlin Kittle, Darin Greunke, David Greunke, Kevin Andersen and Bud Neel) present and led the salute to the flag. Prayer by PSC Darin Greunke. Moment of silence for our comrades and the POW/MIA's. VC Kittle led the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance and the SONS Preamble.

Bud Neel read the minutes for the 9/27/22 meeting. **David Greunke moved to approve, Darin Greunke second, motion passed.**

Kevin Andersen offered the treasurer reports as of 10-25-22 **Darin Greunke moved to approve the report, David Greunke second, motion passed.**

Benevolent checking account report: and Benevolent savings account report **David Greunke moved to approve the benevolent reports, Darin Greunke second, motion passed.**

Committee Reports:

--Report on fish fry by Kevin Andersen. Deposited \$844.00. Expenses of \$600.00 Thies Locker; Winside store \$48.55. Profit \$195.45 and 40# of fish plus oil left over. Need to send out Thank You to Pac n Save (P. salad and coleslaw), Casen Quinn (3 gal. Milk and 2 gal. beans), Nancy Jensen (P. salad), Winside Auxiliary (desserts), Arlin Kittle (ice and overage on Thrivent card), David Greunke (Tartar sauce) and Jim Rabe (eggs). Was not expecting the extra expense of the fish.

Sick Call:

--Nancy Jensen, back and knee surgery

Unfinished business:

--Mary Andersen scholarship donation of \$2500.00. Darin Greunke moved to donate \$2500.00 to the Mary Andersen Endowment, David Greunke second, motion passed.

--Norfolk Veteran's Home root beer floats scheduled for Sunday, November 20th at 2 PM. (CANCELLED DUE TO HOME BEING COLSED DOWN FOR COVID)

--Flag pole for the Nebraska flag, need to order pole and accessories.

--Kevin asked about moving monies from the General account to benevolent savings. Question about naming a committee to distribute raffle funds. Committee meeting on Monday, November 28th at 7 PM. Arlin, Darin, Kevin, David and Bud. Need to invite other members.

New business:

--Vet's Day program is Thursday, Nov 10 at 9 AM in the east gym. Guest speaker is Kerry Otte. Quilts of Valor will be presented.

--Darin has 6 members to compete in the American Legion Postal match if they qualify.

Kevin Andersen moved to cover the expenses for the 4-H sharpshooters competition, David Greunke second, motion passed.

--Bud offered a report on the District 3 Soup & sandwich fundraiser in Burt County, Tekamah. It went over well with very little soup left over, silent auction, live auction and bake sale. The Jr. Auxiliary had a split the pot that netted \$54.00 for the Norfolk Vet's Home Activities fund. It was a very good fundraiser.

--Thank you was received from Reece Rethwisch for our sponsorship of the Sr. horsemanship at the County Fair.

--Detachment newsletter was read. Mid-Year Conference will be at the Norfolk lodge with training for the SONS.

--Sunday, November 6 at 1:30 will be the District Oratorical contest in South Sioux City Post #307.

--Information about the 1919 Society was given and reminder of LIT insurance is available to all Legion Family members. Just sign up at LIT.com

--Next meeting will be November 29 at 7 PM

--Darin Greunke offered benediction

--VC Kittle closed the meeting.