SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION ROY REED SQUADRON #252 WINSIDE, NE JUNE 25, 2024

Commander Darin Greunke called the meeting to order with 5 members present (Darin Greunke, Bud Neel, Kevin Andersen, David Greunke and Arlin Kittle) and led the salute to the flag. Arlin Kittle offered prayer. A moment of silence was observed for a fathers, forefathers and the POW/MIA's. Commander Greunke led the membership in the Pledge of Allegiance and the SONs preamble.

Bud Neel read the minutes of the May 2024 meeting. Arlin moved to approve with the meeting date correction, David Greunke second, motion passed.

Kevin Andersen offered the treasurer' report as of June 25, 2024:

<u>General checking</u>: Arlin Kittle moved to approve the report, David Greunke second, motion passed.

<u>Benevolent Checking</u> And <u>Benevolent Saving accounts</u>: David Greunke moved to approve the benevolent reports, Arlin Kittle second, motion passed.

Committee reports:

--Hog raffle report by Kevin-sold 280 tickets of 500. Deposited \$2800.00. Tickets were paid for by donation, hogs were donated by Mr. & Mrs. Dale Hansen along with the processing costs by the Hansen family. Shopper ad on winners was \$75.00 donated by Darin Greunke. Thank you from Becky Hauf an Gary Wooten.

--Proceeds from the raffle with be divided for scholarships: Tim Voss \$992.00; Jr. Law \$950.00; SAL \$500.00. NSP K-9 \$358.00. Kevin Andersen moved to approved the distribution of funds, Arlin Kittle second, motion passed.

--Bud advised all the resolutions passed the Detachment and Department DEC at the convention.

--Color Guard in Hoskins for Q125 is June 29 at 9 am. Parade is 6 blocks long. Volunteers are Darin & David Greunke, Bud, Rich Behmer, Dan Jaeger, Auxiliary, Jeep driver (James Neel), Pete Keiser and Kevin Andersen.

--Color Guard for Thursday, July 25 at the County Fair at 7:15 pm. Darin & David Greunke, Kevin Andersen and Bud Neel. Kevin will take the jeep to the fair and sell tickets.

--Legion Color Guard is Friday, July 26 at 5:45 pm

--Nothing yet on Football game color guard

--Bud advised the American Legion Riders have fully funded the Legacy Scholarship according to the IRS. They are now working on the V&CF (Veterans & children fund).

Sick call:

--Mr. Tonniges is home

--Dwight Oberle passed away, father-in-law of Daniel Reinhardt

Unfinished business—NONE New business: --Raffle at the County Fair or July raffle. Suggested discussion included: cash, fishing trip or tools. Kevin Andersen moved to do a cash raffle at \$5.00/ticket, prizes will be \$200.00, \$100.00 and \$50.00. Raffle will start July 12 and end August 11 with drawing on July 13. David Greunke second, motion passed. Kevin will order tickets online and be a yellow ticket.

--Discussion on our fish fry. Kevin moved to schedule the fish fry for Sunday, October 6, 2024 from 10am to 1pm, Arlin second, motion passed. David Greunke will make tartar sauce. Need ice cream supplies and potato salad, coleslaw and baked beans. Need to get a Thrivent card. Proceeds go to the Vet's Home.

--Bud presented the 20 yr. certificate to the Winside Squadron from Detachment.

--Cmdr. Greunke presented the Volunteer certificate from the Veteran's Home for the Squadron

--Legion family picnic will be Sunday, September 8. If Legion approves. (2nd Sunday).

--Detachment newsletter was read.

--Elections—need to get it into Detachment.

--Note on Monday September 2???

Next meeting will be July 30 at 7 pm Arlin Kittle offered benediction Cmdr. Greunke closed the meeting.