



Approved As of: 27 Oct 2009

## Post 1980 Minutes – Regular Meeting – 22 Sept 2009

Call to order by Senior Vice Robby Cox  
Advancement of the Colors  
Prayer  
POW-MIA Empty Chair  
Pledge of Allegiance  
Preamble to American Legion Constitution

Welcome to members and guests (no guests)  
Roll Call

Minutes from the previous meeting approved  
Finance Statement approved

- Quite a few folks out-of-town for this meeting; notes for minutes taken by Chaplain Bob to cover for Adjutant Dave

### Committee Reports/Old Business:

- Honor Guard Activities and Lions Park flags
  - Honor Guard: Pow-Wow in Woodland Park, Sat, Sept 5<sup>th</sup> went well.
  - Lions Park flags: 9-11 Ceremony – went very well and another great turnout.
- Cruise above the Clouds Poker Run stop went well – over 100 cars and about 14 folks running our Poker Run stop. A really good time. Thanks to Nick and Annette for having folks over for beer and brats afterwards!!!
- **Turkey Shoot on Sat, Oct 17<sup>th</sup>, 10am** – Larry Marty will contact Lee Vulcan and work out the specifics; Larry will contact Bob M and confirm that all is ready to go; Larry/Lee will review the scoring procedures for the skeet shooting.
- Rod and Bob will be delivering the “Certificates of Appreciation” for donations to the pig roast.

### New Business:

- Motion made, seconded, and approved to purchase two canopies for our various events. Chuck G. will purchase from the PX and store them.

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Veterans Day activities:**
  - Bill Fisher Chairman

- Flags at Lions Park; pick-up at 7am to install; down at 5PM (NOTE: 5PM)
- Window Posters – Paul J.
- Publicity – Dave T
- Honor Guard – Robby C.
- POW/MIA Ceremony – Robby C
- Star-Spangled Banner Vocalist – Kim’s daughter
- Food Committee
  - Bill F will coordinate with Jill (Crystola cook)
  - Must determine budget
  - Need co-chairman
  - Someone to establish signs, banners, etc in various locations including the Crystola and in other locations; frames, mounts?
  - Set-up and take-down
  - Side dishes – need firm commitments
- *UPDATE: Bill will request support via e-mail; Charlene Mericle donation of \$350 to defray costs (many thanks!).*
- **Christmas Party Activities** – Veterans Hall, Tuesday, 8 December; anyone to head the committee or participate on the committee; tabled until the next meeting.

**Sickness/Illness**

- Rod will check on Jim Wolf since no one has heard from him lately and there was no answer to Bob M.’s phone calls to him.

**Robby Cox**  
**Sr. Vice Commander**

**David Turley**  
**Adjutant**  
**(notes by Bob M.)**

**Attendees:**

Robby Cox  
Kirby Laughlin

Paul James  
Larry Marty

Rod Herk  
Bob Mericle

Chuck Gardner  
Mark Manriquez