

Erik V Dickson American Legion Post 1980

Meeting Minutes

October 26th, 2021

Regular meeting call to order at 7PM by Commander Williams

Opening Ceremony

Welcome to members and guests

Members Present Dan Williams, Cindy Meyer, John Gomes, Bob Lowry, Mike Seaver, Bruce Taylor, Rod Herk, Paul James, Al Pickup, Paul Eberhardt, Sonny Litchfield, Lance Pearcey, Lee Vulcan, Norm Steen, Vern Wilson, Yvonne Wilson, John Schafer

Minutes from the September 2021 meeting Lee Vulcan made a motion to approve, seconded by Robert Lowry. Motion carried.

Finance Statement Lee Vulcan made a motion to approve, Robert Lowry seconded. Motion carried.

Committee Reports/Old Business:

- Membership: Cindy Meyer
 - Still problems with the MyLegion.org
- Boys State/Scholarship/Oratorical: Chuck Gardner
 - Nov 1st we need to apply for the marquis
 - Chuck unable to attend tonight due to personal issues
- Membership/Ticket booths: Paul James
 - o One more booth set up on Nov 6th at the Tractor Supply
 - Ticket sales are good

New Business

- ❖ Veterans Day Dinner Lee Vulcan
 - o 250 people
 - Murph at the UTE will cook the meat for us for a price
 - Signup sheets for Pot Luck
 - Cake from City Market
 - o Rod is taking care of the signs
 - Open doors at Noon for the set up
 - o Perhaps a big screen video presentation
 - o Flags up at 7 am and down at 4 pm
 - o WP High School Veterans Program at 9:30

- Auxiliary members will serve
- ❖ VSO Report: Bob Lowry
 - Medicare Open Season
 - o COVID 19 Booster
 - o Loan Forgiveness
 - o Pay Raise for VA retirees & dependents
 - VA Records overhaul
 - VA hires new claims processors
 - o COVID Testing is still available in Divide

Auxiliary Update:

It's a busy time of the year getting everything ready for the holidays for the families we donate to

Keith and Anita have invited us to have our Christmas Party at their new home on December 11th

Correspondence: Commander read a thank you note from Mrs. Peck

Sickness/Illness:

Good of the Legion: Norm Steen shared a thank you from the family of Harold Arhendt for the birthday recognition

Next hall clean up will be December 4th – we'll clean and decorate for Christmas

Next post meeting: November 23rd, 2021 Lance Pearcey made a motion to change our November meeting to November 16th, Norm Steen seconded. Motion carried.

Adjourn 7:53 pm