



MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING
AGENDA OF THE AMERICAN LEGION
POST NO. 66 DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA

COMPILED BY Ramona Hedges, Post Adjutant

December 6, 2022

OPENED: 1830

OFFICERS: Yvonne Hampton, Ramona Hedges, Janice Somers

MEMBERS: Greg Somers (Dist. 16 Commander, Nora O'Donnell, Bobby Evenson, David Glidden, and Mario Perez

TOTAL: 8

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APPROVED BY Yvonne Hampton, Post Commander

Commander Yvonne Hampton

Invocation: Janice Somers

Moment of Silence: For Post Everlasting, POW/MIA's, and those serving our County

Pledge of Allegiance

Legion Preamble

Opening Statement: Yvonne Hampton

Officers Roll

APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Monthly Membership meeting of November 2, 2022 as distributed via email

Motion: js/dg to approve.....approved

INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS

None

OFFICER'S REPORTS

1st Vice Commander

David Glidden nominates Nora O'Donnell for 1st Vice Commander. Mario Perez Seconds. Motion approved unanimously.

David Glidden nominates Mario Perez to be on the Executive Committee. Seconded by Maggie Glidden. Motion unanimously approved.

2nd Vice Commander

No report.

Junior Past Commander

Nora O'Donnell reports Don Morris joined Post Everlasting.

Adjutant (Ramona Hedges)

Assigned Membership: Post currently has a total of 252 members, 170 paid, 82 unpaid.

New Members: 1 - Chuck Roeder

Reactivated Members: 0

Motion to approve the New Members by Mario Perez. Seconded by Janice Somers. Motion unanimously approved.

Communications

Yvonne Hampton reads a Citation for appreciation from the US Navel Sea Cadet Corps Central Coast Division.

Sick Call

Chuck Emery, Randy, Peter, John Archuleta, Jeff Pillars, Rick Pushies, and John Buckley.

Post Everlasting

Marty Craven – 1937-2022 – US Army – Vietnam

Don Morris

Finance Officer (Maggie Glidden)

Checking: Final Balance 19,362.08

Savings: Final Balance: 44,153.31

Motion to approve Finance Report: Greg Somers. Seconded by David Glidden. Motion unanimously approved.

Finance Investment Committee

David Glidden reports.

CORE VALUE AREA REPORTS

Youth Leadership: No report.

Boys & Girls State: Greg Somers reports on District 16 meeting Boys and Girls State discussion.

Community Outreach: David Glidden reports on progress for the move for Tyrone Killigrew. Mr. Killigrew has also joined the Legion as a new member. A “Go Fund Me” page for Mr. Killigrew discussed. **MOTION** to start go fund me page for Mr. Killigrew: Mario Perez. Seconded by: Nora O'Donnell. Discussion ensues regarding other agencies lobbied for donations. Motion passed unanimously.

Yvonne Hampton: reports Crissy Hepner is requesting resources for her move and has received numerous donations.

Scouting Report: No report.

Capital Improvement Committee

David Glidden reports meeting with Salud Carbahol's assistance in regard to our remodel and zoning change clarification.

LEGION FAMILY REPORTS

Auxiliary: Janice Somers reports on second reading of Auxiliary bylaws and approval action taken. Reports \$4400.00 made on the annual fundraiser.

Sons: Bobby Evenson reports there are 19 paid members and 6 active members. Next meeting in September in Palos Verdes. Funding for Retreat being explored.

OLD BUSINESS

Second Reading of the Bylaws.

MOTION to approve Post 66 Bylaws as presented last meeting and posted and distributed: David Glidden. Seconded by: Janice Somers. Motion passed unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Finance would like all food receipts turned in the week of expenditures.

MOTION by Nora O'Donnell made to turn in receipts within 2 weeks of expenditures, otherwise no payments will be disbursed. Seconded by David Glidden. Motion passed unanimously.

2. Food expenditures – we need to be aware of what items are in the kitchen prior to purchases. Please check kitchen pantry and refrigerators before buying.
3. Discussion on rental of building for the Native Sons meeting once a month, second Tuesday of every month. A group service organization was discussed in terms of illegal use of alcohol jeopardizing our license. Discussion of charging rental fees for group service organizations.

MOTION by: David Glidden to charge group service organizations a rental fee of \$50.00 per hour, with a cleaning deposit of fee of \$135.00, and to meet current ABC compliance laws. Seconded by: Greg Somers. Motion passed unanimously.

TABLED ITEMS

None

For The Good and Welfare of the Legion

Mario Perez discusses the Reindeer Run 5K run at Mitchell Park Saturday at 0830. For Post 66 exposure, suggests tee shirts be ordered for Post 66 for such events in the future for members to wear in these events. Would like to plan to have a speaker come to the Post to make a presentation to our service organizations in terms of suicide prevention.

ANNOUNCEMENTS / UPCOMING EVENTS

12/7/22 Pearl Harbor Day new display being showcased at the Veteran's Museum – A Night at the Museum – tentative event 6:00pm Speaker coming in.

12/15/22-1/1/23 Post 66 CLOSED including rentals

12/14/22 Wednesday General Membership BBQ will be the Post 66 and this will be our Christmas party.

12/17/22 Wreaths Across America ceremonies being held at 3 different cemeteries.
Saturday 1/7/23 Membership meeting 1000 hrs followed by Leadership training.
1/27/23 Auxiliary is starting "Movie Night" Patti Hahn spearheading it.
1/28/23 Membership Phone-a-Thon being held from 0900-1200 at Post 66 hosting 5 other posts with representatives from those posts participating.
3/25/23 Tentative – Veteran's Museum hosting a Veterans BBQ luncheon.
5/5/23 at 1700 hrs Department will host American Legion Riders at Post 66 (35 riders already signed up).
5/29/23 Memorial Day – Veteran's Museum Open House.
5/1-5/31/23 - May is Poppy Month
5/19 & 20 Post 66 Car show and Pancake breakfast.

Benediction: Janice Somers

Adjourned: 2019