



FLAGLER POST 115
Executive Committee Meeting Minutes
27 SEPT 2021
1800 hrs.

IHOP Restaurant Meeting Room, Palm Coast

Call to Order: Cdr. Pepin - 1800hrs

Opening Prayer: Chap. Boone

Roll Call: Adjutant Owens

Excused: Werner, Mangels, Young

Minutes of Previous Meetings:

Adjutant Owens – 23 AUG Exec. and 13 SEP General meeting minutes presented for recommendation of submission to general membership. Motion, 2nd, no discussion, unanimous approval for submission to membership.

Committee Reports:

- Cdr. Pepin
 - Discussion of Pot Luck Dinners, recommended and decided to delay next Pot Luck dinner meeting to 10 Jan. 2022
 - Christmas Dinner – we need to decide on a venue and date for our 2021 Christmas Dinner. Possible sites – VFW, African American Cultural Society, Saint Elizabeth Ann Seaton Church – possible caterer
 - Spaghetti Dinner – March 2022 – VFW? or?
- 1st VC Thorpe –
 - Longevity Award night to be 8 Nov 2021 meeting
 - Photos of Post 115 Officers 8 Nov 2021 1700hrs
 - 11 Oct meeting dress blue polo
- 3rd VC Leahy –
 - Boys State – currently reaching out to local high schools and St Joseph Academy
 - AUX / Post rummage sale 2 Oct. @ VFW outdoor pavilion
 - set-up help needed 0700
 - AUX Unit 115 will be holding a jewelry sale 1100 – 1300hrs at their 6 Oct meeting @ VFW Post 8696
 - 2021/2022 PROGRAMS / COMMITTEES for Post 115 sponsorship
 - Blood Donor – Gary Owens
 - Boys State – Joe Leahy
 - ROTC / Junior Shooting Sports – Tom Piekarski

- Law & Order – Ophelia Beier
- POW/MIA Remembrance – Ron Dean
- Vet Relief – Gary Owens
- Scholarships – ALR Chap. 115
- Special Olympics – Joe Pepin
- Youth Law Cadet – Gary Owens
- School Medals – more research needed
- Fundraising Update
 - 9 & 10 OCT Special Olympics Fundraising weekend
 - Lollipop Drive: Jim Boyd Captain
 - October 16/17: Publix Island Walk
 - October 23/24: Publix Belle Terre
- Golf Tourney Update
 - Golf Tournament: October 11th, Grand Haven Golf Club
 - 114 players registered to date
 - \$4600 profit to date before raffles and auctions
- Finance Officer Ophelia Beier
 - No Report– full report to be presented @ 11. OCT meeting
- J.A. Smith
 - Recommended verbiage to be corrected and law info added to gun raffle flyer
- Chaplain Boone
 - Post Everlasting – Paul Mager and Fred Galloway to be mentioned next meeting
 - Sick Call – Paul Werner, Sandy Ausbrooks, Dino Perez, Thomas Edmunds, Mike Gyorkos, Lenora Dean, Joe Licata, Ray Work (mother passed)
- Service Officer Lydon
 - Mentioned the Observer newspaper now doing a “Veteran of the Month”
 - Mentioned a veteran’s family need for help – Adj. Owens will follow up with Post 115 Relief Committee
 - Veterans Day 2021 event 11/11/21 @ Flagler Co. Admin Bldg. 1000hrs
- Sgt/Arms Edward Beier
 - Honor Guard attended 26 SEPT Westside Baptist Church, Bunnell – Gold Star Luminary Service
 - Rifle Squad @ Santa Maria Del Mar Church Flagler Beach November for Veterans Day Service 13 Nov 2021
 - 14 Nov 2021 service @ Christ Lutheran Church Bunnell
 - 19 Nov 2021 Funeral for veteran with ALR Chap. 115 escort and Honor Guard
 - 2 Oct 2021 – attending to Barker Family memorial service
- Historian Boyd
 - Please pass along photos, news articles, etc. to Jim Boyd for inclusion in Post 115 Scrapbook – please include description of photos with names if possible

- ALR Chapter 115 Director Dean
 - Planning 2022 Gold Star Family Event for 9 May 2022 meeting
- SAL - seven (7) new members so far
 - helping with Golf Tournament and Gun Raffle
- Member @ Large McNamara
 - No VA events taking place
- Member @ Large Whitaker
 - WAA – 18 DEC 2021 1200hrs – 2021 Theme: Live Up to Their Legacy
 - 51 wreaths needed for Espanola Cemetery – DAR will help to fund
 - 26 wreaths needed for the Masonic Cemetery
 - Masonic Cemetery ceremony to be 1400hrs
 - WEBSITE
 - Please pass along photos etc. to Tanya for inclusion on Post 115 website

Old Business:

- SAT 25 SEPT - PALM COAST TOWN CENTER EVENT RECAP
 - Members and Aux. manned the tent
 - 1 new member and 1 transfer plus about 10 more applications passed out
 - 4 rifle raffle ticket sales
 - New Tent looks great!
 - Great exposure with lots of interaction
- EMAIL BLAST AVAILABILITY?
 - WE NEED TO LET MEMBERS KNOW WHAT WE ARE DOING
- 11 OCT meeting
 - 11 OCT meeting – no potluck
 - Tenure awards – Moved to 8 NOV meeting
 - Continue Pot Luck?
 - Notice included in KRIER

New Business:

- MARINE CORPS LEAGUE asking for a donation for their dinner brochure
 - Motion and 2nd made for a \$100 advertisement donation, no discussion, unanimous approval.
- GRACE COMMUNITY FOOD PANTRY – Thanksgiving Event donation request
 - Motion and 2nd to donate \$100, no discussion, unanimous approval
- DEPT. OF FL. LEGION COLLEGE
 - Adj. Owens nominated Asst. J.A. Middleton as our FALC student
 - Guy Middleton has a schedule conflict and cannot attend
- SONNY'S BBQ – Now offering 10% nights – Adj. Owens has us signed up and we will look at possible night of??
- DEPT OF FL FALL CONFERENCE

5-7 NOV 2021 Renaissance Orlando at SeaWorld
Hotel reservation available 407-351-5555 or 800-266-9432
Group Rates closes 10/9 – see www.floridalegion.org
Adj. Owens has a reservation

For the Good of The Order:

Closing Prayer: Chaplain Boone

Adjournment @ 1925hrs – Respectfully Submitted, Gary M Owens, Adjutant