

SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION
WINSIDE, NE
FEBRUARY 28, 2017

Commander Kittle called the meeting to order with 6 members present (Arlin Kittle, Bud Neel, Darin Greunke, Daryl Mundil, Kevin Andersen and Jim Rabe). Cmdr. Kittle led the salute to the flag. Darin Greunke was asked to offer prayer. A moment of silence for our forefathers and POW/MIA's. Cmdr. Kittle led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance and the Sons of the American Legion Preamble.

Bud Neel read the minutes of the January 2017 meeting. Minutes were approved as read.

Kevin Andersen offered General checking account report: **Darin Greunke moved to approve the report, Jim Rabe second, motion passed.** Benevolent checking & savings account report was given: **Jim Rabe moved to approve the report, Darin Greunke second, motion passed.**

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

--Fundraiser on Sunday, April 30 is Biscuits & Gravy, sausage patties and eggs. Cmdr. Kittle talked with Winside store on biscuits. They are \$43.00 a flat with 5 flats in a case. Will need 3 cases. Cash-WA distributing will donate the biscuits. Daryl Mundil talked with McDonalds about juice and will pick it up at a later date. Daryl has purchased gravy mix. Need to order sausage from Thies Locker. Advertising will be Bud & Daryl for flyers and ad in Wayne Herald. Cmdr. Kittle will check on liquid eggs at Winside store.

--Darin Greunke talked about Fine Arts Booster microphones. School asked to hold off as company will be sending out a technician next week to explain. Suggested we table until March meeting.

--Daryl Mundil reported on 2017 SAL Gun Show. People are still asking for flyers to pass out. Daryl has deposited \$300.00 for table rent from 3 vendors. Need to check with the National Guard Armory about tables. Need to put in for grant from Tourism Bureau. Concessions will be R & D Catering from Allen along with Wayne County Sharpshooters. Daryl asked about

sending out letters to new vendors. Members thought it would be appropriate to send out letter to new vendors.

--Darin Greunke reported on 52 Gun raffle. Costs of the prizes are approximately the same as last year. Darin has a bill for 10 prizes for \$5,746.54. **Jim Rabe moved to pay the bill, Daryl Mundil second, motion passed.** Daryl Mundil has not checked into the raffle sales extension, but will. Future raffle drawing dates if we decide to continue will be: 2017-18 September 23; 2018-19 September 29; 2019-2020 September 27; and 2020-21 October 3.

--Legion building discussion was held. Sons Squadron need to set a budget. As a family, it should be divided 3 ways. **Darin Greunke moved to set a cap of 33% of cost or maximum of \$4,000.00, Kevin Andersen seconded. Discussion was held further. Darin amended motion to Maximum of \$3,000.00, Kevin second the amended motion, motion passed.**

--Daryl Mundil reported on Scholarships. Daryl has talked with the Winside School on essay topics and date applications need to be submitted. School is in agreement. Bev Voss was asked about the topic of George Voss and is OK with it. Daryl will ask Bev Voss if she would like to be on the committee.

--Daryl Mundil reported on County Government Day, Monday, April 3, 2017 at the Wayne County Courthouse. Bud will call Dennis Otte, Chairman of Veteran's Memorial Committee to see if he would like to give talk to students on Memorial during the afternoon. Set-up at the National Guard Armory will be Sunday April 2 at 7 PM. Will be setting up tables, chairs and speaker system.

--Monday, March 20 is Pancakes & Sausage at Norfolk Veteran's Home. Servers or volunteers need to be at the NVH by 4:30.

SICK CALL: Virgil Rohlf, pneumonia

UNFINISHED BUSINESS: already discussed.

NEW BUSINESS:

--Butch Edwards would like to get the Legion Hall painted and wants help from the Squadron. Legion needs to set up a cleanup day and we will assist.

--Bud forgot this: Auxiliary will have Bingo at Norfolk Veteran's Home on Thursday, March 23 at 2 PM. There will be about 80 Veteran's and/or spouses attending and they will need help. Contact Rose Janke 402-286-9010 or catch her at Jensen's

Café, if you can help!!!! She needs to know as soon as possible to have enough desserts for everyone.

--MEMBERSHIPS/Justin Edwards has not renewed. Darin Greunke was given Justin's membership card to see if he could collect.

Darin Greunke offered benediction

Next meeting will be Tuesday, March 28 at 7 PM.

CMDR. Kittle closed the meeting.