SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION ROY REED SQUADRON #252 WINSIDE, NE NOVEMBER 27, 2018

Commander Arlin Kittle called the meeting to order with 7 members present (Arlin Kittle, Kevin Andersen, Jim Rabe, Darin Greunke, Daryl Mundil, Gordon Bethune and Bud Neel). Commander Kittle led the salute to the flag. Darin Greunke offered prayer. Cmdr. Kittle asked for a moment of silence for our Forefathers and POW/MIA's. Cmdr. Kittle led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance and the SONS Preamble.

No minutes of the October as not enough members attended. Minutes of the September meeting was read and approved.

Kevin Andersen offered the Treasurer's report for <u>General Checking account</u> as of 10/28/2018: <u>Benevolent checking account</u> report as of 10/28/2018:

Benevolent savings account as of 10/28/2018: Jim Rabe moved to approve the October reports, Darin Greunke second, motion passed.

Kevin Andersen offered Treasurer's report for General Checking account as of 11/25/2018:

Benevolent Checking account as of 11/25/2018: Benevolent savings account as of 11/25/2018: **Jim Rabe moved to approve the reports, Daryl Mundil second, motion passed.**

Committee reports:

- --Daryl Mundil requested total finances for SONS for end of year estimates to add to the Legion. We need to stay around \$44,000 to avoid paying taxes. The SONS total finances at this time are \$57,350.33. Need to add the Legion account to this total.
- -- Finance Committee held a meeting on October 23, 2018 at 7 PM, and gave a report of their suggested donations: (Committee suggested donations and membership voted on increasing or adding donations in () and in *italics*)

	Committee (membership increased)
Winside American Legion 20%	\$4861.27
Reserved for next year	
A.L. Legacy Scholarship	\$500.00 <i>(\$750.00)</i>
A.L. Emergency fund	\$750.00 <i>(\$1000.00)</i>
Childrens Welfare fund	\$500.00 <i>(\$750.00)</i>
Husker Salute	\$1000.00
Winside FD	\$750.00 <i>(\$1000.00)</i>
Carroll FD	\$750.00 <i>(\$1000.00)</i>
Hoskins FD	
Carroll Library	\$400.00 <i>(\$500.00)</i>
Winside Library	\$400.00 <i>(\$500.00)</i>
Winside Back Pack Program	\$750.00 <i>(\$1000.00</i>)
Wayne Food Pantry	\$750.00 <i>(\$1000.00)</i>

Siouxland Freedom Park

Norfolk Veteran's Home(Act. Fund) \$1500.00

Patroitic Productions (\$500.00) Wayne County Sharpshooters $\$750.00 \ (\$1500.00)$ Mercy meals $\$500.00 \ (\$750.00)$ Ronald McDonald House $\$500.00 \ (\$750.00)$

Patroitic Outdoors Adventures (\$250.00) send to HQ, earmarked for NE

Fisher House \$500.00 (\$1000.00)

Winside Boy Scouts \$400.00

Wayne Co. Veteran's Memorial \$500.00 (\$750.00) Children's Miracle Network \$500.00 (\$750.00)

Miss Molly

Winside Fine Arts ??

Wayne County Ag Society ??

Siouxland Husker Golf \$100.00

Scott Jacobsen Scholarship \$100.00 (\$150.00)

Our 3 scholarships \$900.00

Elks Lodge

Gifts for Yanks Who Gave (\$100.00)

Winside Washington DC trip

Wayne County 4H Council \$90.00

Pleasant View Cemetery (\$1000.00)

Daryl Mundil moved to approve the increase in donations as listed, Jim Rabe second, motion passed. Total donation approved this year are \$23,761.27.

- --Darin Greunke advised SONS members are invited to Wayne County 4H Sharpshooters Christmas Party on Dec 16 at 4 PM at Grace Lutheran Church. It will be a spaghetti feed.
- --Daryl Mundil spoke about the 2019 Gun Show dates. We would like to move to the Chicken Days celebration weekend as the Fair Grounds commerical building is available and it is not available on the next weekend we normally have it. May have to rent tables as the Armory will not allow them to leave the premises. Set up would be July 11, and Show dates are July 13-14. **Bud Neel moved to set July 13-14, 2019 as Gun Show date to try, Kevin Andersen second, motion passed.** It is a busy weekend, we will **need more help** to hold this fundraiser. Mark your calendars!!!!!
- --Daryl advised there is a bill for \$172.72 from Bud for Ink cartridges for printer he ordered for us. **Daryl Mundil moved to pay the bill, Darin Greunke second, motion passed.**
- --Bud read the list of members we need to renew.
- --Darin Greunke has started the 2019, 52 Gun Raffle prize list. Any help or suggestions would be appreciated.

SICK CALL:

- --Virgil Rohlff was reported to be in Omaha facility. Dan Jaeger advised later Virgil was still at Belair in Norfolk.
- --Earl Fuoss will have knee surgery on December 5 in Omaha.

Old business:

--Root Beer floats at NVH. There were 6 people there: Jim Rabe, Gene Jensen, Dean Mann, Daryl & Amy Mundil and Darin Greunke. Thank you everyone.

New Business:

- --An Omaha Veteran passed away recently, no family known. At the grave site, over 400 people showed up along with the Legion Riders.
- --Thank you from Faith Junck for trophy for Best Producing Dairy Cow, we sponsored.
- --Newsletter was read.
- --Mid-Year Conference on January 18-20 at Divots in Norfolk
- --December meeting falls on Christmas this year. Meeting will be 1 week earlier on December 18^{th} at 7 PM.

Darin Greunke offered benediction. Cmdr. Kittle closed the meeting.