

**SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION
ROY REED SQUADRON #252
WINSIDE, NE
OCTOBER 29, 2019**

Commander Darin Greunke called the meeting to order with 9 members present (Darin Greunke, Daryl Mundil, Mark Bloomfield, Dave Bloomfield, Mark Scarborough, Kevin Andersen, Arlin Kittle, Roman Hernandez and Bud Neel). Cmdr. Greunke led the salute to the flag. Dave Bloomfield offered prayer. A moment of silence was observed for the POW/MIA's. Cmdr. Greunke led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance and the SONS Preamble.

Bud Neel read the minutes of the September 24, 2019 meeting. Minutes approved as read.

Kevin Andersen offered the treasurers' reports as of 10/27/19: General checking: **Dave Bloomfield moved to approve the report, Arlin Kittle seconded, motion passed.**

Benevolent checking and savings account report: **Mark Bloomfield moved to approve the benevolent checking and savings account reports, Arlin Kittle second, motion passed.**

Dean Mann was in the building and working on the list for the Quilts of Valor for Veteran's Day presentation.

Committee reports:

--Fish Fry report--Took in at the door \$1310.00. Bills from Hy-Vee \$40.56, Winside store \$237.72, Dave Bloomfield bill from Hy-Vee \$25.35. **Kevin Andersen moved to pay the bill from Dave Bloomfield, Arlin Kittle second, motion passed.** Items needed next time are: Potato salad 30#, 20# coleslaw, 3 sleeves of ice, 10 boxes saltine crackers, 20# sugar, 10 qt. whipped cream, 5 ½ gal. Milk, 10 dz. Eggs, case of liquid eggs, flour 5#, cornmeal 5 boxes, vanilla, rock salt (used 3 ½ boxes), tarter sauce 2 gal., drinks and juice, canola oil 10 gal., new seal for water cooler, recipes for ice cream and fish batter. Discussion about doing it around Easter. Eater is April 12, 2020 and Lent starts February 26, 2020.

--Send a Thank you to the Auxiliary for desserts.

--Daryl Mundil gave report on 52 gun raffle. Profit of \$21,057.23 and 20% to Legion is \$4211.47, leaving \$16,845.76.

--Raffle financial committee to disperse funds: Mark Bloomfield, Darin Greunke, Kevin Andersen, Dave Bloomfield, Arlin Kittle, Dave Bloomfield, Daryl Mundil and Bud Neel. Meeting will be November 19th at 7 PM in the Legion Hall.

--Need to send a Thank You card to KTCH for donating over \$500.00 on ads.

--Certificates of Appreciation for: Renner, Hoskins Bank (EVB), Verlyn Stoltenberg, Pierce County Fair Board, Aaron Nelson, KTCH, Norfolk Alignment, South Sioux City Legion Hall, Winside Store and Ray Kenny. Daryl will get the certificates printed.

--Bud advised we need to get more XL shirts for Color Guard. All we have on hand are 2X shirts. Still need to find trousers.

--Daryl Mundil asked if we are doing the 52 Gun Raffle again. Daryl and Sandra Hansen do not want to be utility manager or controller if we do and Tom Hansen, CPA will not do the taxes. No decision was made. To read the rules on the raffles, go to Department of Revenue, Charitable Gaming Division, Title 316, Chapter 35, Lotteries and Raffles or revenue.nebraska.gov/gaming/regulations/raffle_reg.

--The Hal Daub prize that was returned to us is a Ruger Precision 6.5 Creedmore. **Mark Bloomfield moved to raffle \$10.00 tickets and order 490 of them to sell, Arlin Kittle seconded.** Discussion was held. When is the drawing? On Memorial Day. Where are the proceeds going? We need to ask Hal Daub about his preference of charities and donate in his name. Remaining proceeds will go to SON's programs and Children & Youth. **Call for a vote, motion passed.**

--Veteran's Day at Winside is November 11 at 9 AM. Lenell Quinn wants a SON's member to give information about the Squadron, how to become a member, and what we do. Bud was voluntarily assigned.

--Committee hearing in Lincoln on Hwy #20, Medal of Honor Highway will be on December 13, 2019 at the Department of Roads, Commissioner's room at 8:30 AM.

--Legion Post having a Pancake/Omelet/French Toast fundraiser on December 22, 9 AM to 1 PM. Help if you can.

Sick Call:

Unfinished business:

--DONE

New business:

--Certificate for Children & Youth participation was presented.

--Membership processing can be done online now. Bud needs to know if you will allow it. We need to try it, shouldn't be a problem.

--Daryl Mundil talked about the Minnesota RUC 10/23 he participated in with friends. An EMDR Therapy program seems to be 80% effective for Veterans.

--Sign up for the Jr. Shooting Sports program needs the Post Commander's signature on the application. Wayne County has several going to try it this year.

--Wayne County 4-H Sharpshooter have 2 shooters going to G.I. for Small Bore competition.

--Dave Bloomfield advised there is a Veteran's Commission survey of County Veteran Service Officers be conducted.

--Gifts for Yanks donation. It is a Legion Auxiliary program, but all three organizations help with it and they are short of funds at this time. **Dave Bloomfield moved to donate \$100.00 to GFY, Daryl Mundil second, motion passed.**

--Root Beer floats at the Norfolk Veteran's Home will be November 17 at 2 PM. We need 4-5 buckets of ice cream, 6 L of Root beer and 2-3 L of Diet Root beer.

With no further business to come before the Squadron meeting, Dave Bloomfield offered benediction.

Next meeting will be November 26, 2019.

Commander Greunke closed the meeting.