

**TROY AMERICAN LEGION POST 49**  
**MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES**

The March 10, 2019 ALR meeting was called to order at 6:04pm by President, Mike Powers.

Opening ceremonies were conducted.

**Roll Call:** There were 13 members present and 1 guest, Chris Boggs

**Secretary's Report:** The February Minutes were read. Linda Bohner made a motion to accept, Carl Danko seconded the motion and it was carried.

**Treasurer's Report:** A full copy of the Treasurer's Report is available to members upon request, if anyone would like to review it.

**Road Captains Report:** Chris Boggs from the Bradford County Veterans Memorial Park was present to discuss this year's ride details. The specifics are still in process, but the Ride Committee will continue to work with Chris to iron out the details. Bob said this is the last of our planned benefit rides for 2019 that needed to be finalized. He also let people know that there are still rooms available in the block for Rolling Thunder until 30 days before we leave. He also mentioned that we need to order more safety vests for this year's rides and he will take care of ordering them.

**Old Business:** Jeni discussed the paver for Patriots Cove that we had decided at the last meeting to purchase. It was decided that we would pay the additional \$15 to get the American Legion Riders design for our paver. It was also mentioned that Jeannie Estep never got back to us with information about food for the disadvantaged children in the Troy School District. Mike was going to follow up with her and speak with Bonnie Bixby about creating an ALR Food Program for the children. Mike wanted to remind everyone about the upcoming Pennsylvania American Legion Riders State Ride on May 16,17 & 18. Cost is \$25 for rider and \$20 for passenger. See Mike for details.

Mike mentioned that Region 5, which our chapter is part of, is one of only two regions in the state which are at 100% membership.

Jeni wanted everyone to know that the Troy Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, Historical Society, American Legion and Auxiliary would like to do a “send off party” for our group before Rolling Thunder. It will be here at the Legion, the evening of Thursday May 23<sup>rd</sup> starting between 4-5. Details will follow.

Mike wanted to remind everyone that next month we will be able to nominate new officers for our chapter.

Jeni also mentioned the rider of the year nomination. It was agreed that Nancy Thall would be our nominee. Mike will send the criteria to Jeni or myself to work on a letter of nomination.

**New Business:** Steve mentioned that he and Jody have ridden some new routes that he could suggest for rides this year. Carl wanted to be sure we are aware that there is going to be a considerable increase in gas well truck traffic this year.

**Correspondence:** Mike received a letter from the wrestling coaches of the NTL saying that they had put together a non-profit wrestling club called TNT. They are asking for a donation. It was decided not to donate at this time.

**Closing Comments:** Closing Prayer was led by Sue Bolt

Meeting was adjourned at 7:23pm

Respectfully Yours,

Tammy Calkins, Secretary