

TROY AMERICAN LEGION CHAPTER 49 MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

The September 12th, 2022 meeting was called to order at 1800 hrs. Opening ceremonies were performed.

ROLL CALL: There were 16 members present

SECRETARY'S REPORT: The reading of the August minutes were read. Motion by Bill to accept; seconded by Linda. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Troy Fire Dept ride had 51 people total who participated; 17 doubles and 17 singles; 31 bikes in total. A few registered but did not ride. Motion to round up earnings from the ride made by Carl; seconded by Bill; motion carried. Donation given to Horses and Heroes ride put on by the Jersey Shore American Legion. A financial report is available upon request. Motion to accept by Jody; seconded by Carl; motion carried.

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE REPORT: We presently have 35 members. 5 have paid dues for 2023.

ROAD CAPTAIN REPORT: Fire dept ride had a better turnout than last year. The weather was on our side. A fun ride will be next week on 9/17. Feel free to invite your friends to ride along with us. We will leave from the Vets club at 10 am and make a stop at Trout Run. From there we will travel to Santino's Pine Creek Inn south of Waterville for lunch. A stop will be made at Black Forest Inn for libations then on to the Nittany service station in Galeton for fuel. From there we will make our way home. Bob is still waiting on information from Mike Newell for the Traveling Wall escort from Wysox to Sayre. This is to take place on 10/4. Towanda AMVETS will be heading the Bradford County Memorial Park ride this year. The ride is to take place on 10/30. Posters will be available to download on their facebook page.

OLD BUSINESS: Many meat raffle tickets are available. We have two months left to sell them. Bill will be selling the tickets at the Fall Festival in Canton. Patriots in the Park was held at Mt. Pisgah recently. Awareness of this event was not well known or publicized. Perhaps we can assist with this event next year. Information on the outside table that we donated to is still forthcoming.

NEW BUSINESS: Another craft event will be held on 10/6 at the club. It will center around Fall Shutter design. The cost will be \$30. Bring your choice of bandana for a scarecrow. 55" shutter's will be provided along with black louvered or white raised panels, paint, and flowers. Posters are available for distribution. Proceeds will be given to the Veterans Relief Fund. It was suggested to sell our printer to the club for use by the various organizations. The finances of this transaction will be discussed later. Motion by Jody to accept; second by Tammy; motion carried.

CORRESPONDENCE: A Thank You card was received from the Jersey Shore American Legion Riders Chapter 36 for our donation towards their golf tournament.

GOOD OF THE CHAPTER: Members who are no longer able to ride due to various reasons can still belong to the chapter. Any veteran or their widow in distress needs to let us know. The Sons will start offering breakfast at the club on Saturdays. This will be a monthly event. Closing ceremonies were performed and the meeting adjourned at 1842 hrs.

Submitted by Steven Chappell