



Robert H. Baker American Legion Post 95 Meeting Minutes of February 15, 2022

With twenty seven (27) members in attendance

Jim Elliott, Don Happy, Julie Happy, Armondon Barbosa, Tina Peterson, James Hare, Tim Jefferson, Donald Hodge, Jerry Pate, Paul Ellison, Mike Edwards, John Wingate, Jeff Watt, G. Ray Nichols, Bud Taylor, Larry Allen, Robert Beatty, Wallace Glasco, Ray Crestwell, Dick Schuztek, Charles Allen, James Hare, Jerry Head, Jake Samborski, Judi Samborski, Ronnie McBee, and Robert Emery

Post 95 Commander Tina Peterson proceeded to open the meeting at 19:00 HRS

Post 95 Commander Tina Peterson led the Post in salute to colors.

Post 95 Chaplin G. Ray Nichols gave the opening prayer.

Post 95 Commander Tina Peterson led the post in the Pledge of Allegiance and reading the Preamble..

Post 95 Commander Tina Peterson asked Post 95 Adjutant Robert Emery to read the minutes from the last Post 95 meeting.

Judi Samborski made a motion to forgo reading of the minutes Robert Beatty seconded the motion and the motion passed.

GUEST:

Post 95 Commander Tina Peterson asked if there were any guests present.

No guest were found to be present.

Finance Report:

Post 95 Finance Officer Don Happy gave the finance report for January

Beginning Balance	\$ 6338.30
Deposits:	\$ 1496.95
Withdrawals:	\$ 980.50
Service Charge	\$ 3.00
Ending Balance:	\$ 6851.83

Don Happy asked everyone to turn in the monies fir dinner and raffle tickets.

Larry Allen made a motion to accept the finance report as given. Robert Beatty seconded the motion and the motion passed.

New Members:

No New Members present

Membership:

Post 95 Adjutant Robert Emery said that current paid up membership was one hundred seventy one (171) members with membership goal for 2022 being two hundred nineteen (219)..

Honor Team:

Mike Edwards reported that there would be a funeral tomorrow at White Chaple Cemetery.



Flag Etiquette: NO REPORT

Schools still on lock down from covid

Oratorical Contest:

Robert Emery reported that Zone contest would be held February 27th in Ashland, MO.

Missouri Girls and Boys State:

Robert Emery reported he had received the following applications.

Liberty North High School

Clara Rose Hodes

Madison Ann Tucker

Kearney High School

Van Allen McNutt

Jacob Michael Zingerman

Liberty High School

Jaden Alexander Peterson

Grace Elizabeth Galade

Kennedy Kay Dresslar

Robert Emery said that the Post had received donations from the Auto Auction and the Liberty PEO Chapter LH

G. Ray Nichols made a motion to allot five thousand (\$5000) towards Missouri Girls State and Missouri Boys State. Paul Ellison seconded the motion and the motion passed.

Missouri Cadet Patrol:

No applications received

Sickness and Distress:

G. Ray Nichols reported on the following members:

Gene Welch is having heart issues and cancer but is back home.

Bob Beeks is doing OK

Old Business:

POW/MIA Table items:

Post 95 Commander Tina Peterson Judi Samborski and Jim Elliott about the items they said they were going to donate.

Correspondence:

Post 95 Commander Tina Peterson read the following:

City Union Mission donation request for Easter donations

“Thank You” from Liberty Community Christmas Tree

:Thank You’ from Meals on Wheels

New Business:

Don Happy talked about only two (2) Honor Team members not having stocking caps.

Don Happy reported that orders were delayed for a long time due to supply chain issues.



Spaghetti Dinner:

Jim Elliott said that he and Larry Allen would be getting supplies for the dinner.

Jim Elliott reported that two (2) cases of spaghetti had been donated.

Jeff Watt said that he had updated dinner posters and anyone who wanted one to contact him.

Liberty City Council Meeting

Jeff Watt talked about what had happened at the last City Council meeting.

The mayor had stopped public commentary on the Confederate Soldier statue issue.

Jeff Watt said that he would like to see a large turnout for the next meeting.

50/50 Drawing

James Hare held the drawing with sixteen (\$16) dollar split.

Post 95 Chaplin G. Ray Nichols gave the closing prayer.

Post 95 Commander Tina Peterson led Post in salute to colors.

Post 95 Commander Tina Peterson closed the meeting in due form at 19:45

Submitted _____ Approved _____
Robert C. Emery – Adjutant Tina Peterson - Commander