

Marine Corps League Bartelme-Schwefel Detachment 349

Minutes of Meeting May 11, 2021

OPENING CEREMONY

Commandant Gary Stueber called the meeting to order at 1930 hours at the Silver Eagle Saloon. League Ritual conducted to open meeting. There were 11 members and no guests present.

Role Call of Officers:

Stueber, Wade, Kloth, Rodriguez, Gregory, Block, Wilcox, and Stocks present. Winter, Bates, J. Hepp, S. Hepp, and Wilcox absent.

Application for Membership: None.

Award/Membership Presentations: None.

Installation of New Officers: None.

OLD BUSINESS

<u>Commandant's Report</u>: Commandant Stueber reported a bench was purchased for \$1,500 by Tom Krueger for his father. August 28th will be our Aero Park Picnic. We will need to plan for ticket sales for this event.

Adjutant's Report:

Reading of Minutes: A motion to accept the minutes, seconded and was approved with no corrections.

Correspondence: Received Ixonia Bank statement and Edward Jones statement.

Membership: Detachment 349 membership total is 80 including 62 paid for life, 5 associate paid for life and 13 annual members. Of those 75 are voting members.

Paymaster's Report: Paymaster's Report presented and approved as read subject to future audit.

Chaplain's Report: Thank you received from Ken Maass's family. Member Danny Roth is dealing with cancer. May 4th was declared Steve Hepp Day in Watertown. He was recognized for his longtime community service. Steve still has serious health issues but is in good spirits.

League Officer's Reports:

Sr. Vice: Frank Winter continued collecting from Rose Drive boxes. **Jr. Vice:** None.

Committee Reports:

Watertown Veterans: Gene Stocks reported that the Ixonia Glenview ceremony and the Watertown Memorial Day parade and ceremony are on for this year. No lunch will be provided by the American Legion. It also looks like 4th of July parade and activities are also scheduled.

Scholarship: Wade provided forms for the Ken Kropf Memorial Scholarship and the "Red" Walter Honorary Scholarship. All scholarship applications must be postmarked by June 30th.

Aero Park Maintenance: Roger Block reported that the John Deere mower needs a new battery.

Service & Legislative: All veteran focused legislation is on hold until there is an approved budget.

Color Guard: Color Guard will participate in the Ixonia Glenview ceremony and the Watertown parade on Memorial Day.

Unfinished Business:

Marine Corps Ball: Our Ball is scheduled for November 6th this year.

NEW BUSINESS

Good of the League/ Announcements

Meetings: Meeting during June, July and August will be at Aero Park at 1930.

Drawings

--Attendance drawing winner for \$50 was Lynn Hilker who was not present. Next month pot is \$60. --50/50 drawing winner of \$10 cash was Gary Gregory. --Al Kloth won a Marine Corps item.

CLOSING CEREMONY

Having no further business, the meeting was closed by paying respect to the colors and offering a closing prayer. The Sergeant-at-Arms declared the meeting closed. The next official meeting of Detachment 349 is at 1930 hours on Tuesday, June 8, 2021 at the Silver Eagle Saloon.

Commandant: <u>Gary Stueber</u>

Adjutant: Judy Wade