American Legion Post 164

Minutes of Executive Committee Meeting on May 08, 2019

Meeting called to order by Commander Woodstrom at 7:00pm

15 Members present.

Invocation prayer by Post Chaplain

Minutes of last Executive Committee Meeting (4-10-2019) were read.

Committee Reports:

Membership – Vice Commander; We are 1st in 22nd District. Sergeant at Arms; Welcome packet is work in progress. Sons of the American Legion: Absent Legion Riders; We now have 12 members. Finance Officer; Moving money to new checking account, new bank. Training; History of Poppy by Henry Thomas. Newsletter: Would like to post an article about outgoing and incoming Commanders. Boys State; 41 boys were interviewed, 36 Paid, loading of bus on June 9th at 0830. Oratorical; Nothing new to report. Graves Registration; Nothing new to report. Flag Retirement; Scheduled for June 14th.

Honor Guard; 8 Funerals, 2 Flag Ceremonies, 90 Hours

Unfinished Business:

Jim Foland opened a discussion on what type of shotgun we should consider for our raffle. The group present wanted Jim to get prices on different types and models and bring them to the next executive committee meeting. A motion was made by Phil Malsbary for our Post and Post 164 Auxiliary to provide a dinner at Camp Hope, it was 2nd by Jim McGuire. Another motion was made by Phil Malsbary to invite the winners who were at Girls State to appear before the membership and describe their part in the events, it was 2nd by Jim McGuire. Another motion was made by Phil Malsbary to have a fund raising dinner at a local restaurant, this would be a joint venture with the Auxiliary, to promote awareness of The American Legion, this would be open to all of the public and tickets will be sold, 2nd by Forrest Croom.

New Bussiness: Flag Collection on May 8^{th.} 2nd Division Convention from May 17th to May 19th. TEAM Send-Off on May 19th Officer Installation on May 22nd Families are welcome. Poppy Day is on May 25th . Veterans Breakfast is on June 1st. Honor Flight arrives at Hobby Airport on June 1st. Pot Luck is on June 2nd.

No additional new business.

Closing Prayer by Post Chaplain

Executive Committee Meeting Adjourned at 8:15pm

William Kennison Adjutant Harry Woodstrom Commander