



The American Legion

Jonathan D. Rozier Post No. 164

P.O.Box 1171
Katy, Texas 77492

Membership Meeting

August 18, 2026

1. Call to order

2. Invocation

3. Roll Call- All officers present, Dignitaries – Jim McGuire Dept Baseball Chairman, Gillian Woodstrom District 22 President, Perry Collins, DAV State Officer

Minutes from the Executive Meeting were post and a motion was made to accept them as posted by Jim McGuire, 2nd by Wally Klecker No Discussion Approved

Membership Meeting Minutes: a motion was made to accept them as posted by Wally Klecker, 2nd by Jim McGuire no Discussion Approved.

REPORTS:

a. Auxiliary: Our membership is 101.27% with 80 members. We met for our July 31 Auxiliary Monthly Luncheon at Tad's Louisiana Cooking. We worked Breakfast with a Veteran on August 1; 150 people attended. On August 3 we held our Executive Committee meeting at the Post at 7PM. We're looking forward to Post Night Out at Midway BBQ on August 13; On August 19 we will be welcoming our Girls State Citizens at our Monthly Membership Meeting plus Dollar Dog Day prior to the meeting.

September 11 is Patriot Day from 5PM-8PM; First Responders from all Katy organizations will be here plus Precinct 4 Commissioner Leslie Briones will be speaking and Representative Mike Schofield, the Mayor and other dignitaries will be attending. Youth Groups from the Katy area will be talking to the First Responders in order to gain their Civic/Government badges. We hope the Post will come out to support and take part in the event. There will be food trucks.

b. Sons- No Report

c. Board of Trustees No Report

d. First Vice Commander- 201 Members, goal is 403. 49.88% 3rd place in the District, Needs to create a committee.

f. Finance \$27,430.97 in the Bank Total Income \$11926.58 Total Expenses \$6720.64 Net income \$5205.94

g. Judge Advocate: The Final review has been completed by the adjutant and Jim McGuire. We found a couple of small issues they have been corrected.

h. Chaplain: Needs help with Buddy Checks Office time might be a good time for buddy checks, will propose to the Exec Committee.

i. Service Officer: Helped 1 veteran fill first claim with VA Helped 2 veteran Prepare form 10182 for appeal. 8 hours of volunteering

j. Oratorical: Legion.org has the Rule book for the new year. Department has not updated for dates yet this year as soon as they do, will get that information out to those interested in this year Oratorical.

k. Boys State: 53 Boys this year as a post, We have a strong program in the state and district. Our committee last year had 6 people, if you are interested in helping this year, please contact Harry.

l. Honor Guard: 6 Events, 3 honors, 3 flag events. 180 Hours of Volunteering.



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- m. Riders: Saturday there is a ride from Galveston. To Surfside Have a meeting Aug 28th, 1900
- n. JSSP: Friday repaired the target boxes September 12 8:30am is first meeting for the new class.
- o. Scouts: No Report
- p. Bingo No Report
- q. Head Stones for Heros: No report
- r. Training: Set for the year at the Post Training happens at the District and Division the first ½ hour of each meeting. Texas Legion College is Sept 18-20 pre Req is Basic Training on Legion.org
- s. Webmaster: Each Committee has a page, so please check it out and see if anything needs to be updated or changed.
- t. Baseball: Has done some research, Legion Baseball has changed since his son attended, looking for community support, provide community values, Legion values, and support young men with competition.

From the Dept Chairman, Will be attending the Americanism Commission in Indianapolis and should have the 2027 Baseballs Rules. 22nd District is looking to sponsor the next 2027 Dept Tournament a Bid has been submitted and would like all of the 22nd District Family to help, Things that will be needed are help with the Concession stand, Ice and water for players, Tickets and banquet for players when they arrive. Post has talked about doing Baseball team 1 team will auto advance to Dept Tournament for the sponsoring post/district. Required from us to have is Registration fee and Insurance fee. Will be a lot of work to pull off.

Commander:

5. Unfinished Business

- a. Open position on the Executive Board - Need a 2nd Vice – Duties are overseeing the events of the post. All officers must complete Basic Training on Legion.org. submit completion certificates to the adjutant.
- b. Classified ads in the post newsletter.
- c. Office Hours started. Installed Key for Service Officers signup is out.
- d. Sign has been repaired.
- e. Had successful Post Night Out. Was glad to see the family out for this event.

6. New Business

- a. Combined Arms sponsored Food Fair. Parkway Fellowship. Information Tent. Volunteers? More information to come, believe it to take place on the 2nd Tuesday of each month
- b. Katy Home and Garden Show. Sign up Genius available
- c. Post Clean up Days' time 10am-2pm Sept 5 and 6
- d. Sept Training is the POWMIA table and Membership.
- e. Nominations for Fall DEC: Butch Sparks, Jim McGuire, Harry Woodstrom, Sandy Krum, Robert Watts. Will pay registration fee. Motion was made for 5 members to be the delegates at the Fall DEC by Harry Woodstrom, 2nd by Sandy Krum. No discussion Approved.
- f. there was commination email from Marinelly Gonzalez, requesting help for a Band trip for son going to Pearl Harbor event, Total needed for trip is \$3500.00 a motion was made to support him with a \$500 by Linda Ortega 2nd by Perry Collins Discussion Jerry Cooper will match up to \$500, 3 other members



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offered addition \$100 support. Approved Total of \$1300 to be sent. (all must give to Harry after meeting)

g. A Motion was made to move dues from \$50 per year to \$60 for the 2028 Membership Year. By Harry Woodstrom, 2nd Jim McGuire. Discussion Why not just \$5? National may raise membership dues as well, and we receive a smaller percentage of dues with each rise if only keep in at \$10 over State and National Dues. Motion was Approved.

7. Events coming up not already covered

- a. Aug. 19 – Dollar Dogs – 6 PM
- b. Aug. 19 – ALA Meeting – 7 PM
- c. Aug. 22-23 – Katy Home and Garden Show. Sat 10-5 Sun 11-4 / Sign up available
- d. Aug. 24 - Post Board of Directors Meeting – 6 PM
- e. Sept 1 – Post Executive Committee Meeting - 7PM
- f. Sept. 3 - VA Stakeholder Meeting – 1 PM
- g. Sept. 5 – Breakfast with a Veteran – 7 to 10 AM
- h. Sept. 5 & 6 - Post Clean up Days – 8 AM to Noon
- i. Sept. 11 – Patriot Day

8. For the Good of the Legion- certificates for helping Fireworks stand. Sat Aug 29th 8-1:30
Military Retiree Day at Joint Base Ellington ID Cards will be available

9. Closing Prayer

10.. Adjourn 8:11pm

Adjutant, Post 164, Katy TX