



Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter 1044

MONTHLY MEETING MINUTES

Sunday 02 June 2024

Meeting was called to order at 13:30 hrs. by president Joe Armstrong
President requested that the members and guests join him in the Pledge of Allegiance to our flag. A moment of silence was observed for our POW/MIA's and troops now deployed.

New Members: None

Special Guests: None

Sick and Distressed: Chaplain Jim currier

Secretary's Report: discussion had about the purchase of a new lap top for the secretary. Paul Therrien asked how much one would cost?

Treasure's Report:

Date 01 May 2024 – 31 May 2024

Starting Balance: \$58,306.30

Received: \$30.00

Balance: \$58,336.30

Expenses: \$1,220.73

Ending Balance: \$57,115.57

Dedicated Funds: \$7,644.98

Working Balance: \$49,470.57

Outstanding: \$0

Presidents Report:

President explained that the region 1 director Justin Latini will be attending our next BOD meeting. Also discussed was the possibility of using Zoom for our meetings.

Paul Therrien asked why he was not receiving the minutes of the meetings. It was explained to him that the minutes are on our websight.

1st Vice-Presidents Report: talked about sending out a zoom invitation to members.

2nd Vice-president: None

Events: Jim Davis talked about the Lacramesse event Ted Sirois will help out.

Fundraising: Nothing discussed

Committees:

POW:

Nothing to report

Constitution: Nothing to report

Agent Orange: Nothing to report

Incarcerated Veterans:

Paul Therrien asked if there were any veterans incarcerated from Biddeford. He will contact Susan Dechambeau to see if we could get a list.

Membership: Still working on getting new members, also looking for ways to get former members to come back.

Homeless: Nothing to report

Service Officer: Working on new claims also helping siblings suffering the effects of Agent Orange

Veterans Assistance:

Nothing to report

Old Business: None

New Business: Paul Therrien inquired on the status of the CD account. Explained we are still looking into it.

Announcements for the Good of the Chapter: None

Next Meeting:

Sunday 07 July 2024 1:30 pm. President advised there will be board of directors meeting prior to the regular meeting.

Closing Prayer:

Adjournment:

President asked if there was any other chapter business that any of the members would like to discuss. Seeing none meeting was adjourned by the president at 14:20 hours. 1q 1q