

GOLD STAR POST 78 AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS
Meeting Minutes
June 12, 2018

Meeting called to order by Director Michael Walden at 7:00 PM

Honors to the flag and Pledge of Allegiance by all.

Prayer was given by Dan Garrett.

Building was secured by Lannie Smith.

Minutes - Motion to accept minutes as read by Rick Jernigan and 2nd by Mike Lamas and passed by all.

No new Correspondence.

Financial Report given by Wayne Petty.

Motion to accept as read by Rick Jernigan and 2nd by Dan Garrett and passed by all.

Guests: none

Safety Report by Road Captain Don Purinton. Pot holes still an issue and are bad. Also drivers are not paying attention and be on the alert.

No rides planned at this time. We are going to try a ride to Loveless Cafe on **Sunday June 24** and to look for details on calendar.

Sick call - Johnny Fielder hurt his leg. Paul Gish was in St. Thomas in Murfreesboro for a heart issue. Tom Hewell is doing well. No word on Rocky Whray. Faye Jernigan is still recovering from her broken foot. Cards will be sent to Johnny Fielder, Paul Gish and Faye Jernigan.

New Members - No new member applications.

Baseball tournament on Thur/Fri and Sat. Meet on Thursday @ 8:45 AM to support the Coffee County team.

Old Business:

Steve Sember (Fundraising Dinner Committee) reported Fish Fry/Chicken on Saturday June 9 did well.

We are waiting on more details for a 'food booth' at the Downtown Manchester movement - 3rd Sat of each month at the Square from Pat Purinton.

We did the snack bags for the police during Bonnaroo. Total spent was \$125 but received a donation from Walmart of \$75 - so Riders cost was \$50. Members distributed the snack bags to the city and county police command centers. Some members then enjoyed a ride to Christina for lunch.

Legacy Run will be 2 groups from TN. Tom Mowbry and Bill Martin will go to Kansas and ride with the National group. The second group will leave Nashville and meet the National group and head up to Minnesota. Mike Walden will email more details to all.

Memorial Day ceremony held at the Legion Hall was a success. The weather was not promising so the location was changed from the Square to the Hall. Paul Gish was in the hospital and missed the event but Lamar Wilkie took over.

New Business:

Carole Sember (in Pat Purinton's absence) made a motion to approve \$75 to purchase more items for the Child Advocacy Center. Don Purinton seconded the motion and it was passed by all.

Mike Walden mentioned that the VA Hospital in Murfreesboro is having an Ice Cream Social on Wed July 4. More details will be put on the calendar.

We need more help in preparation for the monthly dinners. Next one is Saturday July 14 at 5 PM. Contact Steve Sember.

Flag Day ceremony will be at the hall on June 14 at 5 PM. Hot Dogs, Chips and Soda will be given out to those attending.

Good for the Riders: Let's look for new members at events or on the road.

Birthday dinner at Samurai's Restaurant in Murfreesboro on June 30 at 6 PM.

Next Meeting: July 10

Motion to Adjourn at 7:50 pm: Motion by Rick Jernigan and 2nd by Don Purinton. Motion passed.

Honors to the flag by all.

Closing Prayer by Dan Garrett.

Respectfully submitted by Carole Sember
Post 78 ALR Secretary