

**AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS  
GOLD STAR POST #78  
October 8, 2019**

Meeting called to order by Director Rick Jernigan at 6:55 PM

Honors to the flag and Pledge of Allegiance by all.

Prayer was given by Dan Garrett.

Building was secured by Lannie Smith.

**No Guests**

**New Members:** None

**Minutes** - Motion to accept minutes as read by Carole Sember was made by Steve Sember and seconded by Johnny Fielder then passed by all.

**Financial Report** read Stephen Sember. Motion to accept as read by Carole Sember, seconded by Jackie Thatch and passed by all.

**New Correspondence** - Mission BBQ will have free food for Vets on Veterans Day. The closest Mission BBQ is in Murfreesboro. Flyer is on bulletin board.

**Entertainment** - None

**Sick call** - Paul Gish had cataract surgery and is healing nicely.

**Road Captain** - Anyone going as an escort to the VA picnic at Arnold AFB on October 18 to contact Paul Gish so he can make arrangements for you to enter the base.

**Old Business:**

For Old Timers day it was disappointing due to the low turnout of our Riders.

VA Carnival on October 4 at the York VA Medical Center was a nice event. We received a Certificate of Appreciation for our support.

Rick Jernigan thanked all those who volunteered at the Coffee County Fair. It was a successful event and just waiting on final totals.

**New Business:**

Paul Gish is looking for volunteers for the oratorical which is coming up. Contact Paul if you can help.

Motion by Mike Walden to reimburse Paul Gish for a plaque he purchased for \$26.00 and seconded by Dale Hawkey and then passed by all.

Motion by Steve Sember to reimburse Carole Sember for the snacks purchased to give away at the VA carnival on October 4 for \$74.86 and seconded by Paul Gish then passed by all.

Motion made by Paul Gish for \$100 to the Boys State and seconded by Jacky Thatch and then passed by all.

State Sember installed a Whirly Bird in the container (to draw out the heat) and then it will be painted. The total amount of expenses will be split between the Riders and the Legion. The amount to be determined but at this point Paul Gish made a motion and Mike Walden seconded it and then passed by all. Total will be announced and reviewed again at next regular meeting.

**Good for the Riders:** Paul Gish mentioned that the Winter Conference in January that it will be the time to make any changes or additional resolution to the By-Laws. See Paul and he will help in the preparation and how the proposals are submitted. This is done 20 days before the conference.

The VFW is working on the Parade for Veterans day and we are waiting on details for our participating in this event.

**Next Meeting:** Tuesday, November 12, 2019 at 6 PM.

**Birthday dinner:** Saturday, October 26 at the Whiskey Trail at 5 PM in Tullahoma.

**Motion to Adjourn at 7:40 pm:** Motion by Paul Gish and second by Johnny Fielder.

**Honors to the flag by all.**

**Closing Prayer by Dan Garrett.**

**Respectfully submitted by Carole Sember.**

