

Vietnam Veterans Association
Gold Vault Chapter 1051
Minutes of the meeting
Of
12 August 2018

CALL TO ORDER: President David Cowherd called the meeting to order at 1402 hours at the Elizabethtown Police Department Training Room. A quorum was present.

PRAYER AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Daryl Durbin led in a prayer for the meeting and membership. Greg Lowe led the Pledge of Allegiance.

RECOGNITION OF GUESTS AND NEW MEMBERS: No guests present at this meeting. Bob Carr was introduced as a new member

MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING: Minutes of the meeting of 8 July 2018 were reviewed and approved by all present.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Treasurer's report was reviewed and approved by all present.

General Fund: \$2,772.10

Veteran's Fund: \$876.12

HHG Account: \$99.09

DIRECTOR'S REPORT: None

Public Affairs - Grif wants to get a story from each member to put in a book.

Sign Committee – Daryl Durbin talked to the Meade Co. Judge Executive and he is on board with what we are doing. James Jefferies talked to a Magistrate who donated posts for this project.

GUEST SPEAKERS: No

EVENTS:

1. WW1 exhibit at the State Fair, Aug. 16 – 26. Sunday Aug. 19 is Military Sunday; Tuesday Aug. 21 is senior Day.
2. Changed September State council meeting to Sept. 15th, 10:00 am.
3. September 21 is Cardboard Nation to help support Warm Blessings. Do we want to be an underwriter for this project? Will send \$100.00 to this project.
4. Volunteers of America is having a Stand Down on Sept. 5. Do we want to help out with donations of materials or money? Yes, donate \$100.00 to this project.

OLD BUSINESS: Need help with the Agent Orange Town Hall meetings. Want to do one each in Bowling Green and Bardstown. Also need to get a video projector, screen, audio system, wireless microphones and assorted wires. Probably about \$1000. Will use \$300 from our General Fund and ask the Veterans Trust Fund or another source for the rest.

Chapter will pay the \$53.80 expenses for the meal for those who worked the Agent Orange Town Hall in Glasgow.

NEW BUSINESS: None

CLOSING ANNOUNCEMENTS: Next VVA Convention (2019) will be in Spokane, WA. This convention may decide the fate of the VVA as an organization.

NEXT MEETING: 9 September 2018 at the Elizabethtown Police Department at 1400 hours.

Meeting adjourned at 1500 hours.

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary