



## AMERICAN LEGION POST 177

POST OFFICE BOX 53  
CANFIELD, OH 44406

DATE: October 5, 2022

SUBJECT: Minutes of the October 4, 2022 Post Meeting

1. Meeting called to order at 7:00PM with 7 officers, 9 members and 1 guest present.
2. Hand Salute rendered with a prayer offered by Chaplain Duffett.
3. POW Chair set by Sergeant-at-Arms Bill Gibson.
4. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited followed by the Preamble to the Legion Constitution.
5. Roll call of officers: All Present.
6. Introduction of guest John Chittock, USS Campbell Coast Guard Organization who presented the Post with a \$1,000 check to sponsor the Coast Guard service flag at the new Veteran Plaza.
8. Committee reports, correspondences:
  - a. Commander: Mahoning County Veterans Commission, Veterans Appreciation Luncheon Thursday, October 13, 2022. Sunday, November 6, 2022, Laying of the Rose Ceremony Downtown on the Square remembering those who paid the ultimate sacrifice during the Vietnam War. Ceremony begins @ 1:00 PM.
  - b. First Vice. Noting to report.
  - c. Second Vice. Nothing to report.
  - d. Adjutant. Annual YSU ROTC and Veterans dinner, Friday, October 14, 2022 at Kilcawley Center on the YSU campus.
  - e. Chaplain. Nothing to report.

f. Finance.

**Regular Account:** Balance as of August 31, 2022, \$67,154.00

Total Disbursements: \$29,700.54

Total Deposits: \$10,042.22

Regular Account Balance as of September 31, 2022: \$47,495.68

**Membership Account:** Balance as of August 31, 2022, \$313.50

Disbursements: None

Deposit: \$70.00

Membership Balance as of September 31, 2022: \$383.50

9. Unfinished business: Adjutant asked for a motion to accept September minutes as written. Motion by Ray; second by Mark and approved unanimously.

10. New business:

a. Veterans Plaza: Commander and Adjutant updated members on current status of plaza. All remaining purchased items on order. Still need hydroseeding around concrete work and a weatherproof bulletin board.

b. Veterans Day Programs:

Canfield High School – Assembly 8:00 AM on 11/11.

Canfield Middle School – No reply

CH Campbell – Assembly at 9:00 AM on 11/11

Hill Top – They are videotaping a guest speaker and speech will be shown on classroom monitors/TV's. Will check to see if they want us to speak to 4<sup>th</sup> grade classes as we have done in the past.

Dominic updated on Nursing Home visits.

Veterans Day Program/Veterans Plaza Dedication – anticipated at 1:00 PM on 11/11/22.

11. Memorial to a departed member: None

12. For the good of the American Legion: Nothing.

13. Chaplain Final Prayer:

14. Recover POW Flag: Sergeant-at-Arms Bill Gibson

15. Next meeting November 1 @ 7:00 PM

9<sup>th</sup> District Meeting Saturday, October 8 @ 10:00 A.M. Post 15, 35 Cortland St,  
Poland, OH.

16: Adjourn

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Char M. Coleman", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

CHARLES M. COLEMAN  
Adjutant