



AMERICAN LEGION POST 177

Post Office Box 53

CANFIELD, OH 44406

DATE: 11 August 2014

SUBJECT: Minutes of the Monthly Meeting, 05 August 2014

1. Meeting called to order at 1900 hrs
2. Ten (10) members (including officers) present
3. The POW flag was placed and a hand salute rendered. This was followed by a prayer by the post chaplain and the Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Motion to approve the minutes from July's meeting.

Motion by Charles Coleman

2nd Frank Cavanaugh

5. Committee Reports:

a. Commander -

- There is a Veterans Stand down for home and homeless veterans lunch set for 26 Sept 0900-1400 by the United Methodist Community Center. You will need DD214 or NGB-22 for registration. For more information, contact First United Methodist Church, 309 N. Park Ave. Warren, OH. Phone: 330-743-5149.
- Flag collection will not be conducted at the police station. It will only be at the War Vet Museum at this time.
- The post is finishing the year with 50 members. 25 members have renewed their membership.
- Recruiting is set for the Canfield Fair from 28 Aug - 01 Sept. There is a meeting on 19 Aug at the county for more details for Canfield Fair Support.
- Paul Bartha, age 95 is leaving Post 177 and moving to Texas.
- Cemetery plot for burnt flags is still in pending.

- b. First Vice - Nothing to report
- c. Adjutant - Nothing to report
- d. SAL - No representative present

- e. Chaplain - Milt Kochert brought several military-related books to the meeting and offered to loan them to any member so wishing to read them.
- f. Finance - Ken Craig reports current balance as \$1,516.27 (previous balance \$1,998.74 less \$482.47 expenses). Commander Kubitza reports an additional \$250 check received from the Mahoning County Commissioners that has not yet been deposited and is uncounted in the Finance report.

6. New Business:

- a. Legion Member Paul Rosi Band is playing on Saturday of the Canfield Fair from 1500-1700 at the Western Reserve Village.
- b. Vice Commander Coleman led the members in a line-by-line review of the Post 177 By Laws. Marked up copy that includes comments made during the review will be available at the next Post meeting.

7. Next meeting 02 September 2014 beginning at 7:00 PM in the Canfield Township Hall.

- 8. POW Flag recovered, Chaplain closing prayer/remarks, meeting adjourned at 1945 hrs.



CHARLES M. COLEMAN
First Vice Commander
Canfield American Legion Post 177