

American Legion Riders Fallen Heroes Chapter 372
General Membership Meeting Minutes
17 June 2018

Meeting called to order at 1000hrs by Director Joe Maltese

Opening Ceremonies

Opening ceremonies were conducted.

Roll Call of Officers

Secretary Robin Maltese conducted the Roll Call of Officers. Roster available upon request. Quorum achieved

Reading of the Minutes

Sheri Rodriguez motioned to approve minutes as posted, Carl Zuber second. Minutes approved.

Introduction of Guests

Jim Wineland, State Dept. Chairman ALR 2018-2019.

Jim began by praising us for the success of our recent fundraising event and how well we are doing in our efforts to build our Chapter.

We were informed that the State Legacy ride will be moving to a more central FL location, due to the travel distance experienced by members from South FL. He informed us that the next ride might be a month-long event.

The 2019 Summit meeting will be held the 3rd weekend in January in Cocoa Beach.

The 2018 National Legacy Ride will start in Kansas on August 19 and end in Indianapolis. The dates for the 2019 Ride should be posted sometime in the fall.

Chairman Wineland advised us that the berets we have chosen as our Chapter cover is not an officially recognized cover at the State events. He advised that we need the traditional Legion cap, Sons cap, or Auxiliary cap.

Financial Reports

Treasurer Sheri Rodriguez provided the financial report.

Motion by Carl Zuber to accept subject to audit, seconded by June Crawford. Accepted as presented.**Officer's Reports**

Chuck discussed the problems he is having with the computer Log/Tracking Forms. It is a work in process. Please text or email him your miles and hours.

Committee Reports

Chuck provided us with the final tally for our Poker Run. It was a great success. Nearly \$2,600 was raised for PROJECT: VetRelief.

New Members

There were no new members.

New Business

We discussed another Poker Run for the fall. Considerations for an "Iron Butt" run, with routes away from the city. Chuck suggested we consider involving Middleburg, Keystone Heights and Green Cove Springs VFW. We will get our event committee formed. Again, looking for any and all volunteers.

We discussed the motorcycle raffle the Legion wants to do.

Director Maltese inquired as to whether any one would be attending the State Convention, 7/4-7/8/18. Sheri Rodriguez stated she'd be attending and she would take care of presenting our donation on behalf of ALR Chapter 372.

Old Business

We had a complete debriefing of our June 10th charity ride. Congrats all around and thank you to all who participated. We had nothing but praise of our ride from all over the district. Carl Zuber expressed thanks on behalf of the Elks Club. The additional visitors to the Post have been a great help to their organization too.

For the Good of the Chapter

- Installation of Officers, July 12, 2018, 7:00 pm
- ALR Summit, January 2019
- Next meeting Sunday, July 15, 2018, 10am, then American Legion Day at the Jumbo Shrimp at 3:00pm

Closing Ceremonies

Closing ceremonies were conducted.

Meeting adjourned 1100hrs

Respectfully submitted,

Robin Maltese
Secretary