

# 5<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT UNIT OF THE YEAR

American Legion Auxiliary Unit 372

Meeting Agenda

September 22, 2022

Start: 7:03pm

## Sargent At Arms

1 X =Call to Order, cell phone (s), opening ceremonies

3 X all stand Opening Ceremonies

Prayer; Moment of silence for our fallen; Pledge of Allegiance; Preamble to the ALA

Introduction of guests

**Secretary:** Role call (Quorum?); minutes; correspondence (missing minutes?) **Judy, Reed, Caitlin, Robin, Janelle, Esther.**

**Membership Drive at 9:30 AM at the YMCA on Saturday Nov. 12th**

**Sept: minutes: 1<sup>st</sup> by Robin 2<sup>nd</sup> by Judy all in favor**

**August: 1<sup>st</sup> Judy: 2<sup>nd</sup>: Caitlin all yes.**

**Treasurer's Report-Judy Approved subject to audit - motioned Robin: Reed 2nds – motion passes subject to audit.**

## 1<sup>st</sup> Vice: Open Position

- **Talked about the importance of having a line of succession and bringing passion back into the Unit.**

**Membership:** Currently 17 members have joined or renewed and our goal this year is 28

Renew online at: [Renew \(legion-aux.org\)](https://legion-aux.org) ; Click on login which will take you to the login page or create a new account page. Please no checks, we are moving to all renews online. Its fast and easy and you can print your card. Also, if you lose your card you can reprint!

- **On track to possibly meet our quota of 28 members.**

## Chaplin's Report-Robin

- **Prayers for the Bailey family and a reminder of Halloween and watch out for kiddos.**

## Executive Committee Report - none

## Unfinished or Ongoing Business

--Our community outreach program for Discovery Village at Deerwood went great! Big thank you to the Riders who really stepped up as the residents really loved seeing the motorcycles. Several of the residents told stories important to them and we listened, very rewarding for both groups. Thank you to Allane's mom for knitting some ornaments (Halloween and Christmas) and for Caitlin for putting together some goody bags.

## New Business

--November 5 there will be a Yard Sale at Paul and Grace Arambula's home 2870 Loretta Road 32223, this is a fundraiser for Post Programs.

--November 10 @ 7pm is a Legion Family meeting. I will be outlining to the Family last years' accomplishments resulting in our Unit of the Year Award!

-- **November 11 @ 7pm Project Vet Relief Concert at Sacred Heart Fleming Island**

--November 12 @ 6pm is a Fireside Chat get together at Lenny and Lisa's home, all are welcome.

--December 2 will be the Early Bird dinner and it is free to everyone who joined or renewed

2023 membership, so 17 plus the one or two who are in pending status. It will be held at the Mandarin Garden Club 2892 Loretto Road, 32223 (not sure the time).

--December 3 is the Riders' Fundraiser which is a Comedy Night, proceeds go to Post Home Fund. Doors open at 6pm show starts at 7:30pm. It is \$20 per person or \$35 couple. I will have tickets for purchase. **The Auxiliary should put together a basket for the Comedy Night**

- Do we want to provide a basket for this event: Janelle will do a coffee basket.

Motion by Esther up to \$50 for a donation basket to ALR Comedy night event. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Judy. Due by Dec 2.

--FINALLY please think about a leadership position in the Auxiliary, no experience necessary. ALL positions are available for consideration. Several of us have been in leadership 3plus years so new ideas and people are needed.

-Robin: \$100 for brick sponsorship approved pending wording for donation to 194.

**Next meetings:** November 10, 2022, No meeting in December.

**Closed:** 7:55pm

November Family Pre Meeting – Caitlin, Reed, Robin

\$40 from Reed Bailey from Yard Sale to ALA

Robin motion to accept, reed 2<sup>nd</sup>, all in favor. October approved.