



November 19, 2024

MINUTES OF HENRY D. LYTLE, POST 2136, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MEETING of October 15, 2024

OPENING CEREMONIES Prayer: Chaplain Barnes

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call of Officers: Officers Absent: Surgeon Peterson and Service Officer Smith.

Motion made and seconded to approve the minutes and the Quartermaster's report.

OCTOBER 30 BANK BALANCES

General Fund	\$2096.33
Relief Fund	\$2107.12
Building Fund CD's	\$26,488.53
Savings	<u>\$324.62</u>
Total	\$31,016.60

QUARTERMASTER'S REPORT

- A. I spent \$25.17 to renew the Post cellphone for another month.
- B. We received a donation of \$50.00 from Wilks for the Honor Guard.
- C. I deposited \$105.00 from money collected from the 50-50 raffle.
- D. We received a \$14.00 payment from the VFW for annual member renewals.
- E. Turn in any Community Activity hours. Include hours, money spent, number of times you repeated an event and miles traveled and any charitable donations.

SERVICE OFFICER REPORT

A.

COMRADES IN DISTRESS

Bob Jackson and Jimmy Berkley.

COMMITTEE REPORT

The Honor Guard has done 8 funerals since the September meeting for a total of 60 so far this year.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- A. Commander McFerrin Updated us on the VFW jackets he is ordering. Anyone who wants one needs to pay him the \$120.00. If they turn out to cost less, you will get the difference back.

B.

NEW BUSINESS

- A. We will grade the VOD and PP essays on Monday November 4th at noon.
- B. Members who attended said the Veteran's breakfast at Twin Falls High School went very well.
- C. On Friday, the 22nd of November at 5:30 the American Legion in Filer is hosting a Bingo/Turkey Carnival.
- D. I received a \$25.00 gift card from AARP for their annual Idaho Andrus Award for Community Service..
- E. The Bow Hunters of the Magic Valley are having an event for Veterans on October 30th.

GOOD OF THE ORDER

- A. There is a copy of the October General Orders from the State for anyone interested to read. You can also download copies for yourselves by going to the Department of Idaho website at VFWIdaho.org.
- B. Ramon will talk to stores willing to have us for Buddy Poppy donations before Veterans Day.
- C. Jimmy Berkley won the 50-50 raffle this month. There was \$52 in the pot and was split \$26 to Jimmy and the Post.
- D. Whitney Miley's name was drawn for the Attendance Drawing held this month. There was \$30.00 in the pot. She was present to collect the \$30.00, so at the November meeting the pot will be \$25.00.
- E. There being no further business, a motion was made and seconded to adjourn.

CLOSING CEREMONIES

Greg Bryant
Quartermaster/Adjutant