

Minutes

General Membership Meeting
Greater Cincinnati Women's American Legion Post 644
17 June 2010

PRESENT

Kelly Knox
Sharon Hook
Joyce Leneave
Patricia Johnson

Amy Carter
Jane Root
Sister Marguerite

Lynn Ashley
Darleen Adkins
Kimmer Gwinner

Meeting Was Called to Order at 19:00 hrs.

- Three visiting guests were recognized by Commander Knox:
 - Susan Moore, Air Force Veteran
 - Captain Amanda Baker, Missile Air Defense, Wyoming
 - Philip Jones, International Affairs

Adjutant Report:

- Minutes from our previous meeting were distributed to all attendees for review and approval. A motion to accept the minutes as written was made and seconded. Motion to accept minutes was passed by a majority vote.

Membership Report by Amy Carter, Vice Commander:

- It is time for membership renewals and the membership drive.
- Amy reminded members of the benefits of a PUFL (paid for life) membership in that members can spread their payments over a 36-month period and avoid membership fee increases such as the one planned for 2011.
- Post 644 will strive to be the first in Hamilton County to make quota.
- Patricia Johnson presented Commander Knox and the Post with three awards received at the State Conference in Toledo, Ohio on 25 June 2010 recognizing the efforts of Commander Knox and the entire post in achieving 200% of membership quota for the previous year.

New Business

- Commander Knox asked for volunteers to help with cooking, set-up and clean-up for the August 4th meeting/dinner when we will be hosting the Hamilton County Officers' meeting.
- Patricia Johnson & Darleen Adkins will be responsible for notifying all members that do not have email addresses of updates and/or coming events.
- Commander Knox reminded the members to use their Kroger Cards whenever possible to ensure a monthly donation to the Post.
- Lynn Ashley suggested that the Post present awards for ROTC graduates at UC and Xavier next year.
- Commander Knox asked for volunteers to form a fund raising committee. Darleen Adkins, Lynn Ashley & Patricia Johnson offered to serve on this new committee.
- Mick Fusco will be our guest speaker for our August meeting and Rosemary Greenlee, author of "A Few Good Women" will be our guest speaker at our annual VA Women's Luncheon in November.
- Commander Knox asked for volunteers to man our women's veteran display at Kings Island over the 4th of July weekend. All those willing to support this event will receive 2 free passes to the park.
- Our next meeting will be held at Jane Root's home. The Post will provide the entrée and paper products. Members were asked to bring a side dish of their choosing.

THEIR BEING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, THE MEETING WAS
ADJOURNED
NEXT SCHEDULED MEETING IS 15 July 2010