



# The American Legion

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## General Meeting Minutes of 17 October 2020

Call to Order	Steve Miller	Time	1000
Opening prayer	Chaplain Dave	Time	1005

Proceed with opening ceremony, Pledge, POW/MIA and Preamble of American Legion

Roll Call of Officers (Quorum is 10 members present) (\*) duplicate members or non-voting position

P = present, A = Absent E = excused - 19 Officer Positions, 4 duplicates, 1 vacant

P	Commander	Steve Miller	E	1st Vice Cmdr	Brett Olsen
E	2nd Vice Cmdr	Tom Moore	P	Adjutant	Kevin Leahy
P	Finance Officer	Terry Moxley	P	Chaplain	David Plank
E	Sgt-at-Arms	Eric Motier	*	Asst Sgt-at-Arms	Alina Diaz
*	Judge Advocate	Kevin Leahy	E	Historian	Mike Bailey
-	Service Officer	Vacant	A	Jr. Past Cmdr.	Art Haeussler
P	E-Board	Dan Canright	P	E-Board	Alina Diaz
P	E-Board	Jerry Stephens	*	E-Board	Mike Bailey
P	E-Board	Norman Linek	A	E-board	Robert Delgado
*	House Chairman	Eric Motier	A	E-Board	Erik Orezechowski

### Special Legion Family Guests

P	Aux President	Judy Leonardi	P	ALR President	Bob Braman
P	SAL Commander	Jonathon McDermid	P	VFW 7041 Rep	Ray Johnson

### Introduction of other guests (Sgt-Arms- Introduce)

None	

### Adjutant, Kevin Leahy

There being 32 members at the meeting, we had more than required by quorum rules (10).

### Auxiliary Unit 365 - Judy Leonardi

President **Judy Leonardi** noted that because no ball games can be played, the **Little League Baseball** coffers are doing well. Special acknowledgement went out to **Tom Moore** who donated two LA Dodgers items to the auction. These fund-raisers will continue.

Also, **Wreaths Across America** campaign is in full swing. A great opportunity to donate. Karen passed out flyers that can be filled out for a \$15 donation. Deadline is Nov 21<sup>st</sup>. A motion was made to Donate \$750 from Legion funds to support this campaign. Was seconded and passed unanimously.

#### **1st Vice Commander - Brett Olsen** (New members must be voted in)

Brett is excused as he is preparing in quarantine for an operation. He reports that we are at 61% on membership, within guidelines. He also left notes from his attendance at the District meeting.

Brett also noted that the District Commander emphasized the need for adherence with the County COVID guidelines. Some Posts have already been giggered on inspections.

#### **2nd Vice Commander - Tom Moore**

Though Tom is away, he reports that he has taken over Boy's State responsibilities and has already contacted those who are awaiting awards. For obvious reasons, no lunch or dinner for the Boys can be held in the near future.

#### **Finance Officer - Terry Moxley** (Include Post and Clubroom reports)

Finance Officer **Terry Moxley** reported that in September we started with \$27,766 and ended with a balance of \$29,812. A nice month, considering.

Reports also that the Club Room account is 'above water' having gained about \$1500 for the last two months.

#### **Historian – Mike Bailey**

No report this month.

#### **Service Officer - Vacant**

Not applicable.

#### **Chaplain - David Plank**

Thankfully, Chaplain Plank has not been called to any of our Legion Members.

#### **SAL Squadron 365 - Jon McDermed**

Jon reports the Squadron is doing well, and is making money with the Saturday feeding from Saturdays 4-8 in conjunction with the karaoke crowd.

#### **ALR Chapter 365 - Bob Braman**

The Riders were away on a Poker Run today. Gun Raffle is being planned for once again this year.

#### **House Chairman - Eric "Mo" Motier**

Ray Johnson spoke for both the House Committee and for the VFW. He mentioned that there will be new prices at the Bar starting 1 November. A listing of the new prices would be posted. Patio renovation is nearly completed. Roofing is almost complete, stainless steel shelving is complete.

**VFW 7041**

Ray Johnson also stood in for the VFW, and mentioned that the meals are doing well. Attendance is back up.  
 Ray is using a new email addressing method that is akin to Gmail. It's still being tested, but is at no cost and would save us about \$20/mo on Mail Chimp which is currently used.

**Boys State Chairman – Tom Moore**

See 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Report.

**Other Committee Reports**

Nothing

**Old Business**

Nothing

**New Business**

**Legion login.** As 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Commander Olson reported, the Post may have to re-institute a 100% VFW/Legion ID check, and visitor login notebook. Still pending.

**Other discussion**

Nothing

**Good of the Legion**

Nothing Reported

<b>Closing Prayer</b>	<b>Chaplain David Plank.</b>
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<b>Adjourned Time</b>
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Voted approval subject to corrections	Yes		No		Date	
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Corrections:

Commander Signature		Adjutant Signature	
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**Other notes and information**