



American Legion Post 129
1151 4th South Street
Jacksonville, Florida 32250
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Minutes General Membership Meeting
March 4, 2021

- Commander Maichle opened the meeting @ 1902.
- Opening prayer by Chaplain Brian Hancher.
- POW/MIA Remembrance
- Pledge of Allegiance
- American Legion Preamble
- Adjutant Kirkwood conducted Roll Call/confirmed a quorum.
- Commander Maichle recognized Past Post Commanders, District and Department Officers.
- Commander Maichle announced that the minutes of the General Assembly Meetings are posted on the website.
- Adjutant Kirkwood read minutes from Executive Board (3-4-2021); minutes approved.
- Finance Officer Wineland presented financial report; MM2 subject to audit. Finance Report posted on the Post's bulletin board.
- Finance Officer Wineland presented future financial investment(s) options; survey offered to attending members and more to follow.
- House Committee recommended and MM2 to allocate \$3,250 for signage on 12th Avenue South.
- Northern Area Ball March 6th @ Post 129.
- 5th District Picnic @ Post 194 (1100 – 1600) April 17th; donation of \$100 MM2.

Minutes Executive Board Meeting
March 4, 2021 (continued)

- Sterling Golf Event (May 15th @ Queens Harbour) in support of Boys/Girls State; donation of \$2,000 MM2.
- Lions Club Sponsorship for Bowl-a-rama; donation \$600 MM2.
- SAL recommended donating \$4,000 for Veterans Memorial Park; MM2.
- Veterans Relief Union Ride April 16-18; motion made to support nine (9) bikes at \$500 per bike; amended to ten (10) bikes for \$5,000; MM2.
- K-9 Line donation of \$2,000; MM2.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Water pressure in the bathrooms (men/women) needs to be investigated.

NEW BUSINESS: Committee Reports

- New members approved: Ricky Head (USA), James Atkins (USA). Transfers: James Sharp (USN) from Post 316; James Befort (USMC) from Post 213 Kansas, and Ronald Maichle (USAF) from Post 316.
- 1st Vice Commander Taylor – not present.
- 2nd Vice Commander Stickles – No report.
- 3rd Vice Commander Dave Tarnowski – no report.
- 4th Vice Commander Rick Miller – no report.
- SSA Durden – no report.
- Service Officer Rodriguez – assisted five (5) veterans (two widowers, three VA assistance).
- Judge Advocate Durden – no report.
- Chaplain Hancher – no report.
- Legion Riders – report posted.
- Legion Baseball – no report.
- Boys State – no report.
- Historian Tarnowski – no report.

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- Post Officer nominations for 2021-2022: Second round of nominations from the floor:
 - Commander – Joe Maichle (accepted nomination).
 - 1st Vice Commander – Dave Tarnowski (accepted nomination).
 - 2nd Vice Commander – Terry Stickles (accepted nomination).
 - 3rd Vice Commander – vacant.
 - 4th Vice Commander – Rick Miller (accepted nomination).
 - Finance Officer – Jim Wineland (accepted nomination).
 - Sgt-at-Arms – vacant.
 - Chaplain – Brian Hancher (accepted nomination).
 - Executive Board: Lee Fair (accepted), Chuck Nist (accepted), Paul Vaccaro (not present to accept), Ray Shires (accepted), Fred St. Clair (accepted).
- Closing prayer by Chaplain Hancher.
- With no new business to come before the membership for the good of the Legion, Commander Maichle closed the meeting in due order @ 1949.

Submitted:

Sonny Kirkwood
Adjutant

Approved:

Joe Maichle
Commander

Note: MM2 (Motion made and seconded)

