

American Legion Post 164

Minutes of Executive Committee Meeting on November 14, 2018

Meeting called to order by Commander Woodstrom at 7:00pm

12 Members Present

Invocation by post Chaplain

Minutes of last Executive Committee Meeting (10-10-2018) were read.

Committee Reports:

Membership – Vice Commander: Membership renewal goal was 65% we were at 64.91% close. Next goal is 75% by December 5th, more members need to renew before January 9th.

Welcome Packet – Sergeant at Arms has submitted a resignation letter.

Sons of the American Legion: We are awaiting for the return of our charter.

Legion Riders: January 12th is first attempt at organizing this group.

Finance Officer: Spending must be within a committee budget or Members should vote on an extension.

Training: Chairman not here.

Rice Harvest: Monies spent and earned will be available by next meeting.

Newsletter: Articles need to be submitted by Monday before next membership meetings. All members can submit articles for approval to be published.

Boys State: Currently looking for a new committee chairman.

Oratorical: Moved to November 28th before membership meeting.

Junior Shooting: Looking for a chairman to organize this project.

Graves Registration: Marking of Veterans sites will be on December 13th & 14th.

Events: Wreaths Across America is on Saturday December 15th at Magnolia Cemetery.

Firefighter & EMT Awards dinner is on Saturday December 1st All post members should attend, just call with a headcount from your family.

JROTC Awards: Will be in May 2019

Flag Retirement: Moved to December 9th motioned by Ernie Cormier, 2nd by Jim McGuire. Moved due to weather conditions.

Honor Guard: 2 Funerals, 12 Flag Ceremonies for 195 hours.

Unfinished Business

Paving Stone was purchased, but not placed in position yet.

New Business

Money needed for a Veterans family at Thanksgiving time. Motion made by Harry Woodstrom and 2nd by Monte Ikner to prepare a check for \$300.00 Motion passed. Advertisement on City of Katy map. Motion made not to proceed by Monte Ikner 2nd by Ernie Cormier, motion passed.

Sunday November 18th the 22nd District Executive Committee will hold their meeting at Katy Post 164 location. All post members are invited to attend. Be here by 1:30pm.

A Budget Book will be prepared by the Finance Officer, to include all Committee Chairs who have submitted their proposed budgets. This will give us a better method for forecasting a complete Post budget for next year.

If no other business, the Chaplain will offer a closing prayer.

Executive Meeting Adjourned at 7:52pm

William Kennison
Adjutant

Harry Woodstrom
Commander