

## The American Legion Post 164

### Minutes of Executive Committee Meeting on April 01, 2025

1. Executive Committee Meeting called to order by Commander Krum at 7:00pm  
Some members were on zoom, (see link) others were at Post 164
2. Invocation by; Chaplain
3. Roll Call; All Post Officers were Present
4. Minutes of last Executive Committee meeting (3-04-2025) were read and accepted at the last Membership
5. Committee Reports (using new template) Limited to 2 minutes each.
  - a. Auxiliary; As of now we have 34 Girls who will be attending Girls State. Their Orientation Tea is at Post 472 Harrisburg in Houston.  
Our Poppies Making Project was completed and they are ready to be distributed on May 26th for Memorial Day Recognition at 4 table locations in Katy area.  
A Soldiers Rest Ceremony is scheduled for May 24th at 11am Location is Forest Park Lawndale Cemetery; all Members are welcome to attend. We are partnering with the Post for preparation of the District 22 Convention on April 12th and will provide breakfast at 8am and will be helping to serve lunch to our Guests.
  - b. Sons of American Legion; We had our monthly dinner at Post 164 on March 28th from 6 to 8 and a 50/50 raffle. We served about 28 dinners, Thanks for coming.
  - c. Board of Trustees; Our monthly meeting was on March 24th and the fire alarm sensors are still giving a false alarm so they will be moved to a different spot. The new oven and dishwasher have been delivered and will soon be installed. The bay areas were really cleaned up and are ready for the District 22 Convention on April 12th A new water filter was installed in the downstairs coffee maker, Be patient as there is more work to be done.
  - d. First Vice Commander; We are at 95.20% of our membership goal of 375. Sent welcome letters to members who recently transferred into our Post.
  - e. Second Vice Commander; Attended the Monthly Coty of Katy meeting and discussed what the American Legion Programs were available to Katy area Veterans.
  - f. Finance; We have \$28,474 dollars in the bank. This report is always available.
  - g. Judge Advocate; No Report
  - h. Chaplain; No Report
  - i. Service Officer; No Report
  - j. Oratorical: No Report
  - k. Boys State; No Report, not here
  - l. Honor Guard; 6 Funerals and 2 Flag Functions for 168 Service Hours.
  - m. Riders; Next ride is planned for April 5th Victory for Veterans ride more info soon.
  - n. JSSP; We now have 9 student shooters.

- o. Scouts; Not here, Excused
- p. Bingo; Not here, Excused
- q. Veterans Support Group; Was formally PTSD group. Met for 22 hours during March
- r. Headstone for Hero's; Several people responded to the newspaper add about Veterans that were missing a headstone on their family.
- s. Others:
  - 6. Unfinished Business;
    - a. District 22 Spring Convention on April 12<sup>th</sup>
      - 1. Will need help to set-up on Friday April 11<sup>th</sup> from 5pm till done.
      - 2. Will need help serving and general needs during the Convention.
      - 3. Will need help with tear-down immediately after the Convention.
    - b. Reminder Post Officer Elections are scheduled for May 20<sup>th</sup> Membership Meeting.
  - 7. New Business
    - a. April Membership Meeting Presentation will be by Jonathan Mook on Scouting
    - b. Newsletter Deadline is one (1) week prior to Membership Meeting.
    - c. Members should sign-up for Be The One training at [betheone.org](http://betheone.org)
    - d. Division 2 Spring Convention on May 10<sup>th</sup>
      - 1. The hotel is MGM Elegante in Beaumont Call hotel directly to receive the special rate.
      - 2. Convention location is at Post 817 I Beaumont, TX
    - e. SAL Dinner will be on April 25<sup>th</sup> at 164
    - f. Post Game Night is every Friday evening at 7pm
    - g. Donations from Broadrick Family for using our location was accepted.
    - h. Anything else;
      - 1. Honor Flight returns on April 26<sup>th</sup> at Hobby Airport, meet at Post by 5pm to convoy.
      - 2. Rory Hoffman Motioned for permission to assemble a snack bar platform in the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor. Motion was 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ernie Cormier, discussion was riders would do the assembling, no further discussion. Motion did not pass and was tabled for a future meeting after it will be placed on the agenda at Board of Trustees Meeting.
      - 3. A Grant is being prepared for a Van to be used by our Post for Transporting people and equipment to Post Events.
- 8. Upcoming Events; (not already covered)
- 9. If no further business, Post Chaplain will offer a closing prayer.

Executive Committee adjourned at 7:55 pm

William Kennison  
Adjutant

Sandy Krum  
Commander