The American Legion
Jonathan D. Rozier Squadron No. 164
P.O. Box 1171
Katy, Texas 77492

Membership Meeting Agenda

November 5, 2026

1. Opening (Commander)
    a. One Rap of the Gavel “Meeting is about to start”.
    b. Sergeant at Arms: is the room secure?
    c. Three raps of the gavel
    d. Sergeant at Arms, please post the colors.
    e. Hand salute.
    f. Two
2. (Commander) All members and guests are to remain standing and uncovered from the open prayer through the Pledge of Allegiance. Chaplain, please give the Invocation, uncover: “Almighty God, Father of mankind and Judge over nations, we pray Thee to guide our work in this meeting and in all our days. Send Thy peace to our nation and all nations.

Hasten the fulfillment of Thy promise of peace that shall have no end. “We pray for those who serve the people and guard the public welfare, that by Thy blessings they may be enabled to discharge their duties honestly and well. We pray for our comrades, that by Thy help they may observe the strictest justice, keep alight the fires of freedom, strive earnestly for the spirit of democracy and preserve untarnished our loyalty to our country and to Thee. Especially do we ask Thy blessing and comfort to those defenders of our nation on sick beds in hospitals and elsewhere who are suffering mental and physical disabilities. Cheer them and bring back to them the blessings of health and happiness. Finally, O God of Mercy, we remember lovingly before Thee our departed comrades and those of our fathers who receive with Thee the reward of life everlasting. May their splendid example of patriotism and

sacrifice guide us in our duty to our God and country now and forevermore, Amen."

3. (Commander) "In memory of our departed comrades and the comrades of our fathers, let us stand in silence."

"Resolution 288, adopted at the 67th National Convention of The American Legion, and Resolution NC 2-94, adopted at the 23rd National Convention of the Sons of The American Legion, calls for designating a POW/MIA Empty Chair at all official meetings of the Sons of The American Legion, as a physical symbol of the many American POW/ MIAs still unaccounted for from all wars and conflicts involving the United States of America. This is a reminder for all of us to spare no effort to secure the release of any American prisoners from captivity, the repatriation of the remains of those who died bravely in defense of liberty, and a full

accounting of those missing. Let us rededicate ourselves to this vital endeavor!"

(Commander) Sergeant at Arms please place the POW/MIA cover on the empty chair.

(Commander) Please join me in reciting the "Pledger of Allegiance" "I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

4. (Commander) Recover and join me in reciting the Preamble to the Constitution of the Sons of The American Legion.

"Proud possessors of a priceless heritage, we male descendants of veterans of all wars, associate ourselves together as Sons of The American Legion for the following purposes:

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"To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of American: to maintain law and order; to foster and perpetuate a true spirit of Americanism; to preserve the memories of our members and our forefathers in all wars; to inculcate a sense of individual obligation to community, state and nation; to combat the autocracy of both classes and the masses; to make right the master of might; to promote peace and goodwill on earth; to safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom, and democracy; to consecrate and sanctify our friendship by our devotion mutual helpfulness; to adopt in letter and spirit all of the great principles for which The American Legion stands for and to assist in carrying no for God and Country".

5. (Commander) One rap of the Gavel, I now declare this meeting of Squadron No. 164, Department of Texas regularly convened.
6. (Commander) Adjutant please call the roll.
7. (Commander) Introduce the visitors and guests.
8. (Commander) Adjutant please read the minutes of the last meeting.
    a. Motion to accept
    b. Second
    c. Discussion
    d. Vote
9. (Commander) Adjutant please give the membership report.
    a. Motion to accept
    b. Second
    c. Discussion
    d. Vote

10. (Commander) Finance Officer please give the finance report.
    a. Motion to accept
    b. Second
    c. Discussion
    d. Vote
11. Commanders' report
    a. Motion to accept
    b. Second
    c. Discussion
    d. Vote
12. Old Business
    a. Next Dinner
    b. Newsletter articles
    c. American Legion Basic Training at legion.org

13. New Business

a. We have been asked to provide 3 door prizes for the Post Family Christmas Party.

    i. Motion to agree by Dennis Wells

    ii. Second by Keith Henson

    iii. Discussion- none

    iv. Vote Passed.

b. Type of prizes? Lotto tickets were suggested

    i. Motion by Sandy Krum

    ii. Second by Russ Tolleson

    iii. Discussion- none

    iv. Vote Passed

c. The Sons were asked to purchase and cook a turkey for the Post Family Christmas Party.

    i. Motion by Russ Tolleson

    ii. Seconded by Sandy Krum

    iii. Discussion- none

iv. Vote Passed

v. Russ volunteered to get and cook the turkey.

d. December Gift Basket

i. Motion made to collect donations for the basket by Keith Henson

ii. Seconded by Robert Wells

iii. Discussion- none

iv. Vote Passed

e. Motion made by Sandy Krum for the Sons to provide a $450.00 scholarship to the Post for their Boys State program. $400.00 for the scholarship and $50.00 for a T-shirt package.

i. Second by Keith Henson

ii. Discussion-none

iii. Vote passed

f. Ted Whiteman's Service details

   i. November 17th will be the Post Everlasting at the Post at 6:30 pm.

   ii. Church service November 21st at 11 am, to be held at Kingsland Baptist Church.

   iii. Maximum attendance at both was encouraged.

14. Upcoming events

a. November 10th ALA Fundraiser at Texas Roadhouse 4-9 pm.

b. November 11th Veterans Day

c. November 14th Wreaths Across America at Brookshire Brothers 9am – 3 pm.

d. November 17th Post Membership meeting 6-9pm.

e. November 18th Auxiliary Membership meeting 6-9 pm.

f. November 22nd Post Oratorical Contest 12-4 pm.

15. For the Good of the Sons

16. (Commander) Is there any further business to come before this meeting? If not, the Squadron Chaplain will lead us in the closing prayer. Give three raps of the gavel. Uncover

17. (Chaplain) “Our dear Heavenly Father, may we become better Sons of The American Legion, as we learn and teach by words and deeds, the principles of justice, freedom, democracy and loyalty. Be with us until we meet again. Amen.”

18. (Commander) Recover “Till we meet again let us remember that our obligation to our country can be fulfilled only by the faithful performance of all the duties of citizenship. Let service to the community, state and nation be ever a main objective of the Sons of The American Legion. Let us ever be watchful of the honor of our country,

our organization and ourselves, that nothing shall swerve us from the path of justice, freedom and loyalty and democracy.

19. (Commander) The Sergeant at Arms will retire the POW?MIA chair cover.

20. (Commander) Sergeant at Arms will retire the colors of our nation. Hand Salute……..Two

21. (Commander) I now declare this meeting of Jonathan D. Rozier Squadron No.164, the Sons of The American Legion, Department of Texas adjourned.

22. (Commander) One rap of the gavel.