

# American Legion Post 60

Minutes of the General Meeting July 11, 2012

Post Commander Keithly called the meeting to order at 1857 hours. The following officers were present: Commander Mike Keithly, Finance Officer Tim O'Leary, Ed Bulgin Sgt at Arms, Members at Large Jack Knoblock and Archie Banbury. There were 9 members present.

The minutes from the General Meeting of June 13, 2012 had been previously distributed via e-mail to the membership. The motion was made to approve the minutes by Ed Bulgin and seconded by Rod Miller. The motion passed.

The Commander asked Dennis Marquet to give a presentation on the benefits of participating and belonging to the RecCtr. He then was asked to give that same presentation to the Auxiliary.

## **Finance Report**

The Cash /Profit/Loss report was dated 5/29/2012. A corrected report 6/26/2012 was discussed by the Finance Officer. Archie Banbury made the motion to accept the Finance rpt, and seconded by Joe Posluszny. Motion passed.

## **Adjutant Report**

Since the Adjutant was not present, the Commander stated that dues cards are being sent out for those who have paid. Asked the members to pay their dues directly to the post, as to reduce the confusion of monies held by the State by paying on line until that is worked out.

## **1st Vice Commander Report**

Since the 1<sup>st</sup> Vice is attending the State Convention, the Commander gave a report. He talked about the lack of volunteering by the membership, especially for Friday Night events. Stated the Ex. Committee will be discussing later this month, as to whether we will have to cut back to just two Fridays a month.

## **2nd Vice Commander Report**

The Commander again asked for a member to step-up and take this position. He stated he cannot and will continue to do this job.

## **Post Service Officer**

Was not present, but a report on our Boys State candidate was given by the Commander.

## **Old Business**

Talked about the need for volunteers to Bartenders and Dishwashers for Friday Nights and certain events. Need volunteers for various assignments for the Four Summit. Sign-up sheets are tapped-up in the entry way.

## **New Business**

Cascade Medical Center Foundation discussion regarding sponsorship and team to represent. A motion was made by Joe P. and seconded by Dennis Marquet to sponsor a hole for \$250. Jack Knoblock, John Ernsburger and Archie Banbury re-cuse themselves since they are members of The Foundation. The motion passed.

The Post will not be open on the following Friday night: 27 July (prep for 4 Summit on the 28<sup>th</sup>) 10 August (so not to compete with the fair) 24 August (night off for kitchen help) 14 September (12 September member picnic at the post – Ribeye steak feed 5:30 start).

John Ernsburger swore-in Tim O’Leary as Post Finance Officer.

John Ernsburger suggested a presentation on Friday July 20<sup>th</sup> by a Hummingbird Expert. All agreed.

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1955.

Respectfully submitted

Jack Knoblock

Adjutant (Acting)

## **Note:**

It was noted that any member/members may attend Executive Meetings held at 1800, the last Tuesday of the month and are encouraged to do so. You may not vote, but can join in on the discussions. This is an opportunity for members to learn how many decisions regarding the operation of the post are made.