

7:35pm - Commander called meeting to order, Chaplin open meeting with prayer.
Previous meeting minutes were read and approved.

Guests, New Members: Guest – Thom Hanes. Presented with Certificate of Appreciation for his flying National and State flags at Chestnut Grove Cemetery on the weekends since 9-11-01.

Committee reports:

Finance - \$1,861.80 in checking and \$9,900 in building fund CDs. Finance spreadsheet posted on board.
Membership – Reached 100%+4 members for 2005 – 245 of 241 goal. 2006 PUFL cards are arriving.

Membership spreadsheet available for review.

Flag Disposal – Have 4 boxes of Flags, need to schedule a Disposal Ceremony.

Poppies – Signup sheet available for 5-28 -> 5-30.

Sno Cones – Signup sheets available for 6-2 -> 6-5. Dave given \$40 check for Fairfax County Health Dept permit.

Memorial Day Ceremony – Guest Speaker will be Delegate Ken Plum. Dmytro will rent podium/speaker system and provide Adjutant with program for reproduction of 150 copies.

Memorial Day weekend Chestnut Grove activities:

Friday 5-27-05, 7:30am, Place flags on Veterans graves and mount poles for Ave. of Flags – with Jr. ROTC.

Monday 5-30-05, 7:00am, Fly Avenue of Flags – with Jr. ROTC

Monday 5-30-05, 10:00am, Ceremony – with Jr. ROTC Color Guard & Bugler.

Monday 5-30-05, 6:00pm, Lowering of Avenue of Flags, store poles and taps formation – with Jr. ROTC.

Tuesday 5-31-05, 9:15am, remove grave flags – with Jr. ROTC.

Memorial Day weekend Oak Grove activities:

Friday 5-27-05, 9:30am, Place flags on Veterans graves

Monday 5-30-05, 8:00pm, taps formation.

Tuesday 5-31-05, 8:00am, remove grave flags.

Old business:

District 17 raffle tickets have all been sold.

Commander has verified the Jr. ROTC has medals for their 2005 awards ceremony.

Post cap purchasing information sheet is available.

Harlon Reese was honored as Herndon's Citizen of the Year.

New Business:

Vote for 2005-2006 Post Officers. Paper ballots turned in and counted, unanimous for all nominates.

Bob Thompson to take Post phone duty for the next month.

Loudon County Library Foundation has invited the Post to glean books on 6-26-05. Have contact info for Reston Library, their annual sales event is in the fall.

Department annual convention will be on 7-14 -> 17-05. Volunteers needed to represent Post.

District 17 quarterly meeting will be on 6-5-05, the last day of the Sno Cone sales. District already advised Post 184 won't be attending. Boys State orientation will also be held that day.

Commander Rogosky & Commander Elect Kirby will attend the Jr. ROTC change of command and awards ceremonies on 5-27-05.

Herndon's new Seniors Center opened last week. All senior citizens welcome for meals and activities.

Large meeting room/hall is available for any senior related events.

USO tour show to be held next weekend.

Service officer has request for wheel chair and blood pressure machine. Contact Dmytro to donate either.

Correspondence:

Multiple requests for donations were received.

Various news releases and other Post's newsletters are available for review.

8:45pm - Commander and Chaplin closed meeting.

Meeting Attendees:

John Rogosky

Dave Kirby

Bob Mullenger

William Wright Sr.

Dan Gillespie

Dmytro Andriuk

Doug Swisher

Bob Thompson

Harlon Reese