

MINUTES OF AMERICAN LEGION POST 759 (Chatham, IL)

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Following the formal opening ceremonies roll call of officers found that all were either present or accounted for.

Two (2) members of the New Berlin post has been consolidated with us were introduced to the membership. They also presented a \$12,500 check to us representing a porting of their treasuries that has been dispersed.

The minutes of the last meeting (April 2017) was read to the membership, a motion was made by Joe Gragg & 2nd by Mike Palazzolo to accept as read without addition or correction. Passed.

The Finance Officer gave her report (see attached). A motion was made by Chuck Stolte & 2^{dn} by John Haines to accept as reported. Passed.

The Service Officer gave his report (see attached).

The 21 Dist meeting report was given.

Committee Reports

Riders – No riding due to rain. Hog roast 5 Aug

Aux – they are busy helping with the golf outing getting sponsorships. They will also work the event.

SAL – No report

Homecoming – event is right around the corner.

Fish Fry – All and all a success

Ways & Means – looking for sponsorships for golf outing

Old Business - After discussion the previous months request for finds for flags for the New Berlin Veterans Memorial was dropped. It was reported that the village of New Berlin itself has purchased flags to be flown come Memorial Day.

New Business - The first minimization of officers for the 2017-2018 term was conducted. The following were nominated. Commander – Mary Kulivac, Sr. Vice Comm. – Jonathan Rees, Jr. Vice Comm. – Sheldon Fairfield, Finance Officer – Jerry Kulivac, Chaplin – John Haines, Sgt at Arms – Joe Gragg. A second opportunity to nominate and election will be at the next meeting.

Good of the Post – 21st Dist meeting will be held here at Post 759 on 7 May @ 1300.

Thanks to Greg Harris for preparing tonight's meal.

\$32 raffle was won by Gary Ori