



WITHLACOOCHEE CHAPTER

Sons of the American Revolution

January 30, 2020

EBM Minutes of Meeting

The Executive Board Meeting (EBM) of the Withlacoochee Chapter of the SAR was called to order at 1:00 PM by President Dave Hitchcock.

The following members were in attendance:

Charlie Day	Bob Folk	Norm Freyer
Russ Gibson	Tom Hellem	Dave Hitchcock
Clyde Johnson	Jack Townsend	Rich Sumner

Open Discussion

- Active Duty military dues. Dave Hitchcock and Richard Bailey did research and NSSAR says we must pay the National dues.
- Canvassing for names to attend the Regional FSSAR Meeting in Fruitland Park, Fl. On the 22 of Feb.
- Last naval battle of the war in Pensacola,
- Award of medals, the chapter list needs to be updated, check if FSSAR has the updated list.
- Motion by Rich Sumner to set aside \$250.00 to fund wreaths across America, Clyde 2nd the motion the vote was passed
- Motion to add \$100.00 to the \$600.00 in the Veterans Home budget

- Veterans Home needs a new 70 inch TV that hangs on the wall. Dave and Bill Teater did the research and found one for about \$600.00 Discussion take the TV problem to the general meeting and ask for donations and make up the difference from the treasury Dave make a motion to spend \$700.00 for the TV for the Veterans Home Bob 2nd the vote was passed
- Who has the tax exempt docs
- Richard Sumner discussed buy Tri Corn hats from the chapter budget and the members would buy the hats for the cost
- Jack will research for a replacement boom box for \$150.00 or less
- Dave started the discussion of giving Vicki The Daughters of Liberty Medal, check to see the SAR Medal of Appreciation and work up from there, Clyde to do more research to find out what medals she has

Treasurer's Report (Rich Bailey)

No report

Secretary's Report (Tom Hellem)

No Report

Color Guard (Russ Gibson)

No Report

JROTC (Jack Townsend)

Discussion about the number of medals that are needed and the need to update the schools involved. Dave will do Hernando County and Jack does Citrus County.

Good Patriot awards are coming up, Jack will make the certificate on card stock, 5th grade graduation 1 per classroom

Register (Stephen Brown)

No Report

Publicity (Norm Freyer)

Seril Martin report, TV, web site/state site, Blue Book (Oct to My), BOM state meeting Oct & May

Clyde Motioned to pay about \$50.00 for Patriots on the road Dave 2nd vote passed

Veterans (Larry Sturgeon)

No Report

Eagle Scouts (Charlie Day)

No action during this period. Applications come in in Dec.

WYKE TV (Stephen Brown)

Ask the Citrus County Sherriff to present the Veteran medals to the recipients.

Web Page (Rich Bailey)

No Report

New Business

Take the budget changes i.e. adding line items vs open budget to the general membership for discussion.

Old Business

There was no old business

Meeting Adjourned; 2:47PM**Upcoming Events**

February 8, 2020 General Membership Meeting

February 27, 2020 Executive Board meeting

President David Hitchcock

Treasury; Richard Bailey