## VFW Post 6605



## **General Membership Meeting**



July 15th, 2021

**Opening Ceremony**: Commander Wally Hinton opened the meeting at 1805 hours and Chaplin Jenny Evans gave the opening prayer. Commander Wally Hinton led the General Membership in the pledge of allegiance

**Roll Call of Officers/Quorum**: Mitch Odom and Gary Tisdale were absent, Chris Carpenter, John Garrett, James Lugones, Bryan Klinger, and Garrett Hamilton were excused. The required quorum of officers was present to conduct the meeting.

**New members applications**: Three members: Michael Fenzl – Active-Duty Air Force, Marvin McBeth – Air Force, and Shannon Boothe – Navy. Unanimously voted to accept.

**Previous Meeting Minutes**: Minutes for General Membership Meeting June 2021 were read and approved as read.

**Quartermaster's Report**: Quartermaster John Garrett excused; Commander read current financial status for the post. Motion to accept made by Bill Lister, seconded by Kevin Kieffer. Motion passed

Communications: General Order #1,

**Service Officers report**: Service Officer Mitch Odom excused no report available.

**House Committee**: Commander reminded everyone of hours for the canteen have changed again due to member multiple requests: Canteen hours are: Monday and Tuesdays open from 2 – 8pm; Wednesday and Fridays 12-10 pm, and Saturday 10 - 8 pm.

**Hospital Report**: None Dublin still not allowing visitors. Allowing Bingo again at Milledgeville and will start on August 14<sup>th</sup>, Contact Warren for more information.

**Chaplains Report:** "On 23 June 2021 C. E. Mahaffey Jr. Life Time Member of Post 6605 passed away. He was 91, Flowers were sent From Hopes Creations for \$58.85.

On 7 July 2021 Robert W. Spraugue Life Time Member of Post 6605 passed away. He was 56, There will be a small service at the Post on Saturday the 17<sup>th</sup> July from 1300 to 1600, the family request donations be given to the Wounded Warriors in Lew of Flowers.

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Chaplain: Jenny Evans"

**National Home Ceremony**: Chaplain Jenny Evans conducted the National Home ceremony; a donation of \$19 was collected.

**Old Business**: Commander reviewed open items report. Golf tournament creation still in the works. More information to come when made available.

**New Business**: Due to booking of ball room Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays a motion was made by Bill Lister and seconded by Kevin Kieffer to make our new meeting Day and time to be moved to third Wednesdays of each month at 6 pm. Motion Passed. Check the volunteer sign-up lists to help for items happening around the post.

**Good of the Order:** Ladies auxilliary will now be known as just VFW 6605 post auxilliary. There has been an interest again to start the post auxilliary back up, please get the word out for support, need at least 15 members to start an auxilliary.

**Closing Ceremony:** Chaplain Jenny Evans gave the closing prayer. Commander Wally Hinton led the General Membership in the closing salute to the Flag. Commander Hinton declared the meeting closed at 18:49 hours and announced the next General Membership meeting will be conducted August 18th, 2021 at 1800 hours.

Respectfully Submitted, Bill Lister, Adjutant Commander

Approved, Wally Hinton,