

American Legion Riders 1340

General Membership Meeting

August 9, 2022 Preamble to the Constitution of the American Legion

FOR GOD AND COUNTRY, WE ASSOCIATE OURSELVES TOGETHER FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES:

To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America.

To maintain law and order.

To foster and perpetuate a one hundred percent Americanism.

To preserve the memories and incidents of our associations in the Great Wars.

To inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation.

To combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses.

To make right the master of might.

To promote peace and goodwill on earth.

To safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom, and democracy. To consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness.

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American Legion Riders 1340 Meeting Minutes

Minutes for American Legion Riders 1340 meeting on August 9, 2022 Meeting held at American Legion Post 12, 6101 NW 50th Street; OKC, OK

- ➤ Meeting opened at 7:00
- > Prayer Chaplain Mike Harris
- ➤ POW/MIA Chair Ceremony Sgt at Arms Robin Barby
- ➤ Pledge of Allegiance
- > Recitation of Preamble
- ➤ 8 members, 2 guest present:
- Finance Report: Current bank balance \$11603.28

ALR1340 Bank Balance as of:

August 9, 2022

Jul 12, 2022
Deposits
Expenditures
August 9, 2022

\$6,973.04
\$5,855.00
\$1,224.76
\$11,603.28

	expenditures	Deposits	balance
D - Donations	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
All Fundraisers	\$575.76	\$5,360.00	\$4,784.24
O - Operating Exp	\$425.00	\$80.00	-\$345.00
R -Regular Dues	\$224.00	\$315.00	\$91.00
S - Son's Dues	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total:	\$1,224.76	\$5,755.00	\$4,530.24

BOY Balance Deposits Expenditures Current Balance

YTD		
\$2,215.25		
\$12,522.57		
\$3,134.54		
\$11,603.28		

	Expenditures	Deposits	Balance
D - Donations	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
All Fundraisers	\$1,387.46	\$10,792.57	\$9,405.11
O - Operating Exp	\$731.57	\$305.00	-\$426.57
R -Regular Dues	\$32.00	\$365.00	\$333.00
S - Son's Dues	\$45.00	\$60.00	\$15.00
Total:	\$2,196.03	\$11,522.57	\$9,326.54

Fundraisers			Balance
F - Fundraiser	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
G - Gun Raffle	\$440.00	\$910.00	\$470.00
L - Legacy Run	\$947.46	\$8,557.57	\$7,610.11
X - Legacy Run Reg	\$0.00	\$1,325.00	\$1,325.00
	\$1,387.46	\$10,792.57	\$9,405.11

Mission Blue Grant	\$714.51	\$1,000.00	\$285.49

➤ Old Business:

- Our Legacy Run fundraising activity has increased significantly this year and overall funds banked to date exceed \$9000. That is \$2000 more than our initial check for the Legacy Run last year. A motion was made and seconded to write a check to the Department of OK for \$9000.
- The challenge coin fundraising proposal presented in the July meeting was further discussed. Approval to use the American Legion Emblem was received from National and Aaron was able to get price quotes for samples and an order of 200

coins. The proposal was voted on and samples will be ordered that may be available by the September meeting. If a final design is chosen in September, we should be able to have the coins available for sale by the October or November meetings. Initial cost for setup and samples will be \$81.60 with an additional cost of \$1360 if we go forward with the order. A sale price of \$20 per coin was discussed which could give us a potential profit of \$2550.

o The National Legacy Ride will begin from Mobile, AL on the 21st and carry our state donation to the National Convention. Riders from our post plan to depart for Mobile on the 18th.

➤ New Business:

- o A social will be held at the Post 12 annex on Friday, Aug 12th. \$2 beer will be available from the bar and snacks will also be available for purchase. A message to all members was sent out earlier this week.
- O No definitive remedy for the A/C and roof leak issues has been decided however, plans are to try to start back the Pancake Brunch and Spaghetti Dinner in September assuming the weather cools off enough to make the facility usable. Coffee with a Vet will resume in the annex this week on Aug 10th and 17th and then in September beginning weekly on the 14th.
- Post 308 in Tulsa is planning a Poker Run for Oct 15th to raise funds for our Oklahoma candidate for National Commander, Tim Smith. Flyers with additional details will be provided when available.
- Last year some of our members held a workday and helped move donations into the sales area for the annual Santa's Toy Shop in Yukon. We have been asked to help again. A specific date will be provided as the time approaches but is anticipated to be sometime between Nov 13th – 19th.
- o Tim Rice is interested in establishing a Color Guard comprised of members of Post 12 and Post 1340. If you are interested in participating, please contact Tim for additional information @ timandpenny1@sbcglobal.net or (405) 408-1343.
- o Bryan Robinson and Tim Rice both have family members with continuing medical issues. Please keep them in your prayers.
- ➤ Hope to see you on a ride or in a meeting soon!

<mark>YES</mark> / NO - Mike Harris

YES / NO - Rex Warlick

YES / NO – Rob Barby

YES / NO - Andrew Berrigan

YES / NO – Bryan Robinson

YES / NO - Mike Marxen

YES / NO - Rick Vasquez