



American Legion Riders 1340

General Membership Meeting

June 14th, 2016

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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Minutes for American Legion Riders 1340 meeting on 14 June 2016
Meeting held at VFW Post 9265, 4605 S. Penn

- Director opened meeting at 7:00 pm.
- Prayer – Auxiliary President
- Pledge of Allegiance
- POW/MIA Chair Ceremony –
- Present: 10 members
- Finance = \$1429.19 in Riders checking account. Chapter's web page hosting was renewed at a cost of \$95.98, and wreaths for Memorial Day/ Veterans Day were \$20.
- Sick Call: Please keep SAL Commander Rick V.'s mom in your prayers. She is still dealing with her cancer and has been entered into hospice care. Please keep the family of Auxiliary Member, Carol Craig, in your prayers as she has entered hospice care.
- The Department of Oklahoma is looking to hire a Dept Adjutant. If you are interested, please see the ad on the Dept web site: www.OkAmLegion.org
- The Chapters' annual Independence Day poker run is July 2nd. Please try to gather raffle items. This is our only fund raiser of the year. Route will be the VFW to American Legion Post in El Reno, to Hitchin' Post 33 in Kingfisher, Rock a way tavern in Guthrie, Papa's Leather Barn in Bethany, ending at Margarita Island in OKC. A pre-run will be June 26th, leaving the vfw at Noon. All are invited.
- The Nation of Patriots' Tour is coming up. Nation of Patriots Tour. Plan to receive flag on Saturday July 16th at Fort Thunder Harley-Davidson, then ride down to Dallas that same day and spend the night. Flag turnover will be July 17th at noon at American Legion Post 453; 2755 Bachman Drive; Dallas, TX. .
- Dues cards are in for the Legion, Auxiliary and Sons. Legion dues are \$45, Aux and Sons are \$30.
- Department convention is July 8th and 9th. Cmdr Marxen, Wicker, and M. Harris will be delegates. The Dept is having a gun raffle. The Chapter has received 25 raffle tickets to sell. Tickets are \$10 each, for each ticket sold, the chapter receives \$5. The raffle will be held during the Dept's July convention and the winner does not need to be present to win.
- The Chapter will be visiting the Norman Veteran Center early in December. .
- The National Legacy Run will be from August 21-25. Starting in Indianapolis, IN and ending in Cincinnati, OH.
- POW MIA Chair Retired –
- Closing Prayer – Auxiliary President
- Flag Salute
- Meeting closed

YES NO Rick Vasquez
YES NO Mike Harris
YES NO Barbara Miller
YES NO Big Jim Craig

YES NO Pam Marxen
YES NO Sally Critz
YES NO Doug Miller