



THE AMERICAN LEGION  
Virginia Beach Post 110  
P.O. Box 62384  
Virginia Beach, VA 23466

**Call to Order:** The October 14, 2015 meeting of American Legion Post 110 was called to order by presiding Commander Dan Ryan.

**Introduction of Guests, Prospective and New Members:** None.

**Post Everlasting:** Nothing to report.

**Sick Call, Relief, and Employment:** Nothing to report.

**Items of Interest:**

1. Fred Kinkin replaced Doug Uhlmann as Post 110 Adjutant. The turnover is complete. We thank Doug for his years of service as the adjutant and wish him well as he prepares for his move to Gloucester.

**Officer's Roll Call:** A roll call of Post 110's Officers was conducted, and having a quorum, business was discussed and voted on.

**Committee Reports:**

Service Officer Doug Uhlmann: unable to attend but had nothing to report.

Adjutant Fred Kinkin: 100 members have not renewed yet. SEND IN VOLUNTEER TIMES.

Finance Officer Steve Sokolowski: CD \$3058.35; Three post home CDs \$3123.06, \$1969.15, and \$1279.96; Checking acct \$3500.44; Bldg Fund Savings \$1253.40; Go Fund Me Page \$500.

Chaplain George Schmidt: No house calls this month.

Historian & Sargent at Arms, Steve Wild: Nothing to report.

Web Master Craig Huber: Unable to attend but had nothing to report.

Vice Commander Dave Smith: Unable to attend but had nothing to report.

**Reading of Minutes:** The July 12, 2015 minutes were not read due to time constraints. They are posted on the vapost110.org website for membership review.

**Guest Speaker/Special Recognition:** None.

## **Major Topics Discussed:**

1. Post Home. Discussion centered on how to fund a post home. Membership informed about the Nov 15 deadline to raise money for the Indian Lakes Blvd property. The finance committee met with the owners. They agreed to Nov 15 deadline to give us a chance to raise the money. They have renters that want to use the property. Membership informed of the "go fund me" page.

2. Other fundraising ideas included: set up a table outside the NEXs; sell bricks for a walkway; buy a mailing list of any business looking to donate to a non-profit organization for a tax deduction; partner with other veteran organizations such as the SEAL foundation.

## **Correspondence Received:**

1. HRCVO membership dues are in the budget to renew our membership.
2. Alzheimer's Association donation is in budget for our annual donation.

## **Long Range Goals:**

Increase support for the NJROTC program in Virginia Beach. The Post currently supports the awards ceremony at Landstown High School. Captain Sinibaldi has asked the post to participate in the Cox HS and First Colonial HS NJROTC awards programs. Unfortunately, we are not funded to increase our participation at this time.

## **Short Range Goals:**

1. Raise \$93,000 by Nov 15, 2015.

## **Recently Completed Events:**

June 10	Installation of Post Officers
June 12	Flag Day Ceremony at OLPH
June 13	Membership Drive at Harbor Park. One new member signed up. Many inquired but did not join because we don't have a permanent post home.
June 14	Flag Day
June 21-27	Boys State at Radford University and Girls State at Longwood University
July 4	Independence Day
July 16-19	State Convention in Roanoke VA
Aug 7-9	Virginia Department Leadership College in Richmond
Sept 11	Patriots Day at OLPH
Sept 19-20	NAS Oceana Airshow

## **Upcoming Events:**

Oct 19	Virginia National Guard Deployment send-off at Birdneck Elementary
Oct 23-25	Fall Conference in Williamsburg
Nov 3	Election Day
Nov 11	Veteran's Day
Nov 12	Veteran's Day Ceremony at OLPH
Nov 21	"Light-Up the Town Parade" Town Center
Dec 7	Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day
Dec 9	American Legion Post 110 Holiday Party

**Good of the Legion:** Nothing to report.

**50/50 Raffle:** Miriam Triscriti won the raffle, and donated the proceeds to the building fund.

**Next Monthly Meeting:** 7:30pm, Wednesday November 11, 2015 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Conference Room, 4560 Princess Anne Rd, Virginia Beach, VA 23462.

**Guest Speaker:** TBD

The meeting was adjourned at 2100.

Submitted by:

Dan Ryan

Commander

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