

THE AMERICAN LEGION – August 2019 Meeting SSgt Robert C. Melberg Virginia Beach Post 110 P.O. Box 62384 Virginia Beach, VA 23466

<u>Call to Order:</u> The August 2019 meeting of American Legion Post 110 was called to order by Vice Commander Bert Wendell.

Introduction of Guests, Prospective and New Members:

New members: None

Guests: Boys State participants

Post Everlasting: None

Sick Call, Relief, and Employment: None

<u>Officer's Roll Call:</u> A roll call of Post 110's Officers was conducted, and having a quorum, business was discussed and voted on. Ten members were present.

Committee Reports:

- Service Officer: Eric Bell. NTR
- Adjutant Rick Jones: Currently have 172 renewals for the new membership year; 51% of the 2020 target of 336 members. Adjutant also reviewed the overall renewal process.
- Finance Officer Jon Asher: Financial status was: \$18,630 in building fund savings account; \$1,325 in Post Checking account.
- Chaplain George Schmidt: NTR
- Sgt. At Arms Jeff Kocab: NTR
- Web Master Craig Huber: Website is up to date.
- 1st Vice Commander/Historian Bert Wendell: Planning for September Airshow; will confirm all volunteers at the Sept meeting.
- 2nd Vice Commander Miriam Triscritti: NTR
- ALA Commander Tonya Jones: NTR
- Commander Fred Kinkin: Absent; on vacation.

Reading of Minutes: The meeting minutes are posted on the vapost110.org website.

Guest Speaker/Special Recognition:

Boys State Coordinator, Wendell Parker, introduced the three Boys State attendees sponsored by Post 110; each provided feedback on their experience. Medals and award certificates were presented to each of the boys by Wendell Parker and Vice Commander Bert Wendell.

Major Topics Discussed

- 1. The Norfolk Tides game membership table scheduled for August 7th was rained out. Another game has been scheduled for Monday, September 2nd at 1:05pm
- 2. Planning for a membership table at the NAS Oceana Airshow scheduled for Sept 21-22 is in progress. We will finalize the volunteer roster at our September monthly meeting.

Long Range Goals:

- 1. Obtain permanent Post Home.
- 2. Increase active membership participation.

Recently Completed Events:

June 2 – 2nd District Convention at 1pm, Post 327, Norfolk-

June 5 – Executive Board Meeting - 6pm Warrior Taproom

June 6 – D-Day 75th memorial celebration at OLPH at 1030

Jul 10-13 Virginia Department Convention in Richmond

Upcoming Events

Sep 2 - Norfolk Tides membership table

Sep 4 – Executive Board meeting at 6pm at Warrior's Taphouse

Sep 11 – American Legion Post 110 meeting at VFW 392

Sep 21-22 - Airshow, NAS Oceana

Sep 22 – 2nd District Fall Conference at Post 37 at 1pm

Oct 9 - American Legion Post 110 meeting at VFW 392

Oct 25-27 – Virginia Department Fall Conference in Williamsburg

Nov 11 – Veteran's Day Parade, Virginia Beach

Nov 12 – Veteran's Day Ceremony at OLPH at 1030

Nov 13 – American Legion Post 110 meeting at VFW 392

Dec 11 – American Legion Post 110 Christmas Party at place TBD

Good of the Legion: None

50/50 Raffle:

Next Monthly Meeting: Wednesday, Sept 11 at VFW 392 Post located at 2408 Bowland Parkway, Virginia Beach. **START TIME 7PM.**

The meeting was adjourned at 2030.

Submitted by: Frederic M. Kinkin Post Commander American Legion Post 110