



**THE AMERICAN LEGION – June 2021 Meeting**  
**SSgt Robert C. Melberg Virginia Beach Post 110**  
**P.O. Box 62384**  
**Virginia Beach, VA 23466**

**Call to Order:** The June 2021 meeting of American Legion Post 110 was called to order by Commander, Rick Jones.

**Introduction of Guests, Prospective and New Members:**

New members: None

Guests: Commander American Legion 2<sup>nd</sup> District, Tony Vaughn

**Post Everlasting:** None

**Sick Call, Relief, and Employment:** None

**Officer's Roll Call:** A roll call of Post 110's Officers was conducted, and having a quorum, business was discussed. 15 members were present.

**Committee Reports:**

- Service Officer: Eric Bell. NTR
- Adjutant Fred Kinkin: Current paid membership is 324 vs goal of 328 (99%). YTD volunteer hours were 1,072 and 4,705 miles driven. All were reminded to continue to report their volunteer hours to the Adjutant. Thanked Dave Smith, George Schmidt and Jeff Kocab for their participation in the flag retirement ceremonies held on Flag Day at OLPH. Reminded all members to register in the new myLegion system.
- Finance Officer Jon Asher: Financial status was: \$18,776 in building fund savings account; \$3,355 in Post Checking account. Turned over records to Bob Russell.
- Chaplain George Schmidt: NTR.
- Sgt. At Arms Jeff Kocab: Will provide the Norfolk Tides schedule when released.
- Historian Bert Wendell: NTR
- 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Commander: Vacant
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commander: Vacant
- Auxiliary Tonya Jones: NTR
- Commander Rick Jones: Post executive board members successfully completed a financial audit of post records last month in conjunction with transition to new Finance Officer.

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

**Guest Speaker/Special Recognition:** CDR Jones honored Jon Asher for his service the past two years as Finance Officer with a Legion coin and letter of appreciation.

### **Major Topics Discussed**

1. The post held the installation ceremony for new 2022 officers with 2<sup>nd</sup> District Commander, Tony Vaughn presiding.  
Commander: Rick Jones  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice: vacant  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice: vacant  
Adjutant: Fred Kinkin  
Finance: Bob Russell  
Chaplain: George Schmidt  
Asst. Chaplain: Dave Smith  
Historian: Bert Wendell  
Service Officer: Eric Bell  
Sargent At Arms: Jeff Kocab and Mark McMillan
2. A discussion was held to decide details for the planned Post picnic in the fall. An email was sent to all post members to judge interest – 21 members replied favorably to attending. The following details were decided upon:  
Location: Munden Point Park (large shelter rental \$140)  
Date: Saturday, October 2, 2021  
Time: 1100 – 1500  
Budget: \$750 (planning on 40-50 attendees)  
Food will be provided by Mission Barbecue; invitees will be asked to bring a dessert to share  
The following members volunteered to serve on the Picnic Committee:  
  
Food: Tonya Jones  
Drinks: Auxiliary members  
Communications: Fred Kinkin  
Location Reservation: Dave Smith  
Cleanup: TBD  
Sign: TBD  
Music: TBD  
Recreation: TBD

3. Ron Basso volunteered to be the coordinator for the Veteran's Day parade this year.

**Long Range Goals:**

1. Obtain permanent Post Home.
2. Increase membership active participation in Post activities.

**Recently Completed Events:**

May – Presented awards at Landstown and First Colonial NJROTC unit awards ceremonies

June 1 – Executive Board audit of Post financial records

June 14 – Flag Day flag retirement ceremony at OLPH

**Upcoming Events:**

Jun 20-26 Boys State at Radford University

June 27 – 2<sup>nd</sup> District Conference, 5pm at Post 60, Chesapeake

July TBD – Department Conference in Herndon, VA

July 28 – Post 110 Monthly Meeting

Sep 22 – Post 110 Monthly Meeting

Oct 2 – Fall Post Picnic, 11am – 3pm, at Munden Point Park

Oct 27 – Post 110 Monthly Meeting

Nov 24 – Post 110 Monthly Meeting

**Good of the Legion:** None

**Building Fund 50/50 Raffle:** Won by member Ken Golden

**Next Monthly Meeting:** Wednesday, July 28, 2021 at VFW 392 Post located at 2408 Bowland Parkway, Virginia Beach. **START TIME 7PM.**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 PM.

Submitted by:

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Post Adjutant

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