



**THE AMERICAN LEGION – June 2017 Meeting
SSgt Robert C. Melberg Virginia Beach Post 110
P.O. Box 62384
Virginia Beach, VA 23466**

Call to Order: The June 14, 2017 meeting of American Legion Post 110 was called to order by Commander David Smith.

Introduction of Guests, Prospective and New Members:

New members: None

Guest speakers: None

Guests: Cheryl Molinet, Director, Virginia Beach PATH Program

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 and voted on. 12 members were present.

Committee Reports:

Service Officer Steve Wild: Unable to attend; nothing to report

Adjutant Fred Kinkin: 366 members paid to date in 2017 (111% of goal). Reminder to all members to submit your volunteer hours monthly. Volunteer activity for YTD April was 1,681 hours and 11,806 miles travelled.

Finance Officer Steve Sokolowski: Financial status in June was: \$17,035 in Building Fund and \$3,035 in Post Checking account.

Chaplain George Schmidt: Nothing to report.

Historian, Sgt at Arms, Steve Wild: Unable to attend; nothing to report.

Web Master Craig Huber: Unable to attend. Nothing to report.

Vice Commander Rick Jones: The Dept of Veteran's Affairs opened registration for burn pit and open airborne hazards registry for those serving in Afghanistan and Africa since Aug. 2, 1990.

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

Guest Speaker/Special Recognition: None

Major Topics Discussed:

1. Tonya Jones, President of the American Legion Auxiliary Post 110 made a special presentation to Cheryl Molinet, Director of the PATH program which assists veterans transition back from homelessness. The Auxiliary collected scores of linens, towels and blankets in their "Linens for Vets" campaign.
2. The members elected Officers for Post 110 for 2017-2018 as follows:

Post Commander – David Smith
1st Vice Commander – Rick Jones
2nd Vice Commander – Miriam Triscritti
Service Officer – Steve Wild
Adjutant – Fred Kinkin
Chaplain – George Schmidt
Finance Officer – Steve Sokolowski
Sgt. at Arms: Homer Stinson/Jeff Kocab
Webmaster: Craig Huber
3. Commander Smith summarized a meeting with the other Virginia Beach American Legion Posts which was held on June 13th. It was agreed that Post 110 would be responsible for Landstown, Bishop Sullivan, Kellam and First Colonial High Schools for Boys State and NJROTC programs.
4. The Boys State candidates and their parents were introduced to the post. They will return in July to provide feedback on their Boys State experience.

Action Items Agreed:

1. Start planning for Airshow in September.

Correspondence Received: Veteran's Day parade information and registration information was received and is due to be submitted by end of August.

Long Range Goals:

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

Recently Completed Events:

March 10-12 – American Legion Dept of Virginia Spring Conference
May 3 – Landstown HS NJROTC awards ceremony
May 18 – First Colonial HS NJROTC Awards Ceremony
May 29 – Memorial Day celebration
June 13 – Flag Day celebration at OLPH

Upcoming Events:

July 12 - American Legion Post 110 meeting and Boys State candidate feedback
August 9- American Legion Post 110 meeting
Sept 13 - American Legion Post 110 meeting

Good of the Legion: Bert Wendell shared that American Legion Post 113 Baseball team schedule with members and encouraged them to attend a game.

50/50 Raffle: One of the Boys State parents won the 50/50.

Next Monthly Meeting: 7:30pm, Wednesday, July 12, 2017 at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Conference Room, 4560 Princess Anne Rd, Va Beach, VA 23462.

The meeting was adjourned at 2115.

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