

**American Legion Post 394**  
**Regular Meeting**  
**August 20, 2024.**  
**Regular Meeting: 7:05 PM**

Dee Beckham offered the opening prayer:

Commander led the pledge of allegiance:

Sergeant at Arms placed the POW/MIA tribute:

Commander called the meeting to order:

Present:

Commander, Daniel Martin  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Commander, Arthur Loretto  
3<sup>rd</sup> Vice Commander, Chris Snyder  
Ass. Adjutant, Angelo "Butch" Sicuranza  
Sergeant at Arms, James Lance  
Assistant Sergeant at Arms, Dave Luzader  
Chaplain, Dee Beckham  
Service Officer, Arthur Loretto  
Judge Advocate, John Burke  
Historian, Brad Johnston  
Executive Committee, members at large  
    Jamie Brewsaugh  
    Brent Diaz  
    Jay Cherland  
    Ron Giscombe

Not Present:

Finance Officer, Bill Kaufmann – Excused  
Randy Joseph - Resigned  
David Roark - Resigned

JD did roll call, 24 members present, 2 special guests.

JD escorted Drew Galloway from Lost and Found Ministry

Drew spoke about his plan to build a campus to house around 80 vets. Requesting that city donate about 12 acres around the compound. He would like the Post 394 to obtain 2 acres to build on.

JD escorted Marshall Voyles from Cox-Gifford Seawinds Funeral Home.

Marshal spoke about advance planning estates. Authur to coordinate an info meeting and dinner to discuss the procedures of estate planning.

Minutes from July 16, 2024, meeting was presented. Dee Beckham and Ivan 2nd motion to accept the minutes. Unanimous consent.

**Commander shared following the following info:**

Home Depot has giving us and vets donations.

17 Vets from our post were granted items from Home Depot

Fund raiser for Boys State the Diner will be held on 8/31 \$25,00 (Lobster or Steak) @ Post 359

Dues will be updated in next mail out. Corporate sent out \$45.00 to mailout, should be \$50.00

New chairs, tables and a new tv we obtained at no cost by the points we earned from Costco

Financial report was read by commander. Unanimously accepted

Boys Scouts will be doing new projects for the Post called Project Beautification

Post Program Chair Form has been completed

Jonh K. made a motion to accept the revised Financial Report. Brent D 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion.

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New Member in attendance:

Pam Green and Raul Santiago

New members were introduced to members at the meeting

Sick Call:

John Yanner is at Sea Pines Room142

Cara Webb is also at Sea Pines

**Reports:**

1<sup>st</sup> Vice: None

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice: Spoke about calendar

3<sup>rd</sup> Vice:

Adjutant: 192 members renewed FOR 2025 (39.9%)

Finance Officer: No Report

Service officer: Authur spoke on Overdose awareness and calendar

Chaplain: Sick Call:

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Sergeant /Arms: 26 members are present. Three guests

Historian: No report

Judge Advocate: Waiting on Department to approve Constitution and by laws

E.C. Board: No reports

Riders: Dave reported 5 hours of volunteering August 31<sup>st</sup> ride

**Unfinished Business:**

Show me the Money to be added. Ron G to update

**New Business:**

Moving podium to opposite side to utilize tv for presentations.

Chris Snyder proposed that we have a brunch on Sundays, starting at 11:00 am to 2:00 pm. Committee to be formed

Starting November 1,2024. Unanimously accepted

**Tabled:**

Ron brought up changing rules to Steak Shoot, Ron and Tommy will research and make their finding available for discussion

**Good of the Legion:**

None

Dee Beckham offered the closing prayer

Sergeant at Arms retired the POW/MIA tribute

Adjourned: 8:35PM