



Coastal Carolina Base Meeting Minutes



October 15, 2009

Call to order

Opening prayer

Moment of silence for our lost brethren

Submarine losses for October

Pledge of allegiance

Member introductions

Reading of the minutes

Treasurer's report

New business

- Dues – due by December 31st
- Base coverage area: New Hanover, Brunswick, Columbus
 - Robeson, Bladen, Pender, Onslow, Carteret, Duplin, Jones, Craven and Pamlico.
- Alternate meeting sites- IHOP, Golden Corral, etc.
 - Saturday breakfast, brunch, lunch
- We need a base “rocker” and a base patch
 - “Where the ocean begins”
- Form a wives organization
- Take over the S-28 liaison from Tarheel base
 - Quarterly cleaning of S-28 memorial
- Other civic tasks? Cemeteries, etc.
- Parades? Azalea and Southport 4th of July
- Other positions to fill within the base; COB, Public Affairs
 - Membership, Chaplain, Newsletter, Webmaster
- From Pat Householder, change 50-50 drawing to 33-33-33
 - With 1/3 going to charity

Sea story time, break, refreshments

Continue New business

- Recruiting, VFWs, American Legion, USOs, more?
- NJROTC liaison work
 - Spoke with Captain Prince from Hoggard
 - Wednesdays, uniform day, visiting speakers
 - Landscaping project (muscle, knowledge)
 - Military Ball in December (guest speaker?)
 - Awards Ceremony (presenter?)
 - Color guard
 - Orientation Trip to Charleston
 - Prep history talk before
- Other Schools
 - Ashley, Wilmington (Left msg with CPO Fawcett)
 - New Bern, New Bern
 - Havelock, Havelock
 - Pamlico, Bayboro
 - West Carteret, Morehead City
- Media coverage
 - Getting list of media contacts from Battleship
 - Already registered with most newspapers (14)
 - 6 have no online calendar
 - Working on Radio and TV stations
 - Did channel 3, 6 and 26 in Wilmington
 - Other

Next meeting (business 2nd Thursday, lunch at K&W Saturday 7th)

Reading of the minutes from this meeting

Closing prayer

Also discussed: memorial observance of the loss of the Scorpion, Golden Corral freebie for vets, Bill Mussel offered to print recruiting posters, and we will try to get a list of nearby members from the national website.