Minutes from USSVI, USS Asheville Base Meeting Held at Ryan's Restaurant, 1000 Brevard road, Asheville, NC FEBRUARY 2, 2016

USSVI, USS Asheville Base meeting called to order at 1800 by Base Commander [Eugene "Gene" Ipox].

Invocation by Base Chaplin [Tim Kast]

Pledge of Allegiance, tolling of the Boats was conducted for Boats lost in February Introductions of members

Minutes from last meeting were posted on line and reviewed. Motion to accept by [Chip Wisard], seconded by [Eugene Ipox]. Motion carried.

The Treasurer's Report was given by the Base Treasurer [Joe Schmidt] \$695.66 in the checking account, \$1067.58 in the Memorial Fund, \$90 in Moonshine Mt, SHIPS STORE \$1040. Total \$2893.24 [Chip Wisard] motioned to accept the Treasurer's Report and the motioned seconded by [Eugene Ipox]. Motion carried.

Old Business

JIM SEACORD reported progress on Moonshine Mountain. Raffle baskets are needed for Moonshine Mountain. The Registration forms have gone out and all National State Commanders have been sent the form.

Chief Wisard gave us a brief synopsis on the Sea Cadets. The membership is growing slowly and hopes to find a new meeting place. Anyone knowing of a place that doesn't charge and is large enough to drill inside would be great. Thanks to the Chief for all their efforts.

Eugene is asking again for flag poles and or brackets to use at Moonshine Mountain.

New Business

Eugene's brother-in-law is doing the Special Olympics, now that he is the mayor. A donations request was made to stick him in the river and then go eat chili.

Upcoming Events

The Socon Games coming up the dates will be posted when we confirm them.

Rick Petitt Commander from Piedmont Base talked about the new skit for Moonshine Mountain coming up. Dale Moses has been working on the new skit for months know and is ready to unleash the animals. The 2016 Awards program has started so get your nominees in as soon as possible.

The date for the Tourists Baseball game has not been finalized as of yet.

Good of the Order

We will have a short committee meeting after our next meeting in February for Moonshine Mountain.

Next Meeting is Tuesday march 1st at Ryan's in Asheville @ 1800 50/50 was won by Doc Peterman

Base Chaplin conducted the benediction Meeting adjourned at 1915.

1850 [Jim Seacord] motioned to adjourn the meeting, seconded by [Jerry Hoffart] voted and motion carried.