

**Minutes from USSVI, USS Asheville Base Meeting
Held at Ryan's Restaurant, 1000 Brevard Road, Asheville, NC
DECEMBER 5, 2017**

MEETING OPENED 1800 HOURS

MEETING CLOSED 1920 HOURS

BASE COMMANDER GENE IPOX PRESIDING

PRAYER CHIP WISARD AND TOLLING OF THE BOATS RICHARD COX

MINUTES APPROVED AS READ

TREASURERS REPORT

CHECKING \$1024.20, MEMORIAL FUND \$288.88, STORES \$1305, TOTAL \$2618

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DUES ARE DUE AND PAYABLE BEFORE THE END OF THE YEAR.

OLD BUSINESS

GENE SPOKE WITH THE OWNER OF BIG LYNN LODGE. THE SALE OF ITEMS LEFT IS GOING VERY WELL SO FAR OVER \$300. THE FIRST SERGEANT AT METALS OF AMERICA IS PUTTING TOGETHER ANOTHER BOX OF GOODS FOR US TO RAISE MONEY AT MOONSHINE MOUNTAIN.

MARSHALL PARADE MUSTER IS AT 1230 HOURS.

ALL CLEAR IS LOOKING FOR A NEW EDITOR. IF YOU HAVE COMPUTER SKILLS AND LOTS OF TIME ON YOUR HANDS PLEASE VOLUNTEER.

LET THE COMMANDER KNOW ANYTIME YOU DO AN ACTIVITY. DON'T FORGET WE GET CREDIT FOR ANY EVENTS BE IT CIVIC OR PUBLIC EXPOSURE. KEEP TRACK OF YOUR HOURS AND THOSE ATTENDING.

NEW BUSINESS

JIM SEACORD BROUGHT UP HAVING A BACKUP CHAPLIN. IT WAS RULED BRUCE STEFANIK, CONGRATULATIONS ON YOUR APPOINTMENT. ANYBODY SEE WHAT TIME THAT TRAIN COME THOUGH.

RICHARD COX PRESENTED THE BASE WITH A NEW HONOR GUARD MANUAL, THANKS SIR BRUCE A THANK YOU CARD WAS RECEIVED FROM THE ASHEVILLE TOURISTS FOR ALL THAT WE DO ON MEMORIAL DAY AND HOPE THAT WE WILL RETURN IN 2018.

RICHARD COX ALSO REMINDED ALL OF US ABOUT GETTING OUR SKITS READY FOR MOONSHINE MOUNTAIN 2018.

JERRY ASKED IF WE HAD ANY THANK YOUS WE COULD SEND TO GARY MCNELLY FOR THE USE OF THE JIM COOK DEALER TRUCK AT THE ASHEVILLE HOLIDAY PARADE.

JOE SCHMIDT HAS 2018 CALENDARS IN GET THEM WHILE THEY'RE HOT.

GENE AND JERRY WILL MEET WITH THE CONTRACTOR AT MOONSHINE MOUNTAIN ON JANUARY 21ST WEATHER PERMITTING.

JIM SEACORD DISPLAYED THE SHIRTS THAT DONNA RUTTER SENT HIM. IF YOU WOULD LIKE A SHIRT SEE JIM SEACORD. THE BASE VOTED TO PAY FOR THE HONOR GUARD SHIRTS ON THIS FIRST GO-ROUND. MOTIONED BY R.COX SECOND BY JERRY HOFFART THE MOTION CARRIED.

EVENTS COMING UP:

DEC. 9TH SAT MARSHALLS PARADE MUSTER 1230 HOURS.

BENEDICTION

BRUCE STEFANIK

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED

JAMES SEACORD SECRETARY