



CAROLINA PIEDMONT BASE MEETING MINUTES 091024

- 1400 Meeting called to order by Commander Steve Bell, Invocation by Chaplain Raymond
 Fritz. Pledge of Allegiance, Tolling of the Boats lost in October. Member introduction.
 23 present.
 - *Reading of minutes from September meeting. Approved with modifications to Burnsville balance on hand to read \$1260.50 and Pearl Harbor dinner to be held in Wilson, seconded
 - *Reading of Treasurer Report. Funds on hand, \$2619.93, Burnsville Fund 1260.50, KAPS4KIDS fund \$109. Funds available for base \$1250.53. Approved and seconded. *Storekeeper report..none
 - *New Business. Discussed proposal from National to divide proceeds from base raffle to be 1/3 to winner, 1/3 to base treasury, 1/3 to National Charitable Foundation. Members present voted to table proposal until more input from base membership. Glenn Harris briefly explained function of USSVI Charitable Foundation.
 - *Good of the Order. Steve once again stressed the importance of renewing membership dues on time... No later than 1 Jan 2010. * Pearl Harbor meeting and dinner to be 5 Dec at the Country Inn Wilson SC, more info will be forthcoming. * Announced upcoming parade in Asheboro 11 Nov. assemble at 4PM on Church St. More info to be announced. * Parade is scheduled for Wilson November 21, will pass info as received. * Briefly discussed upcoming ceremony at Kings Bay for WWII Subvets, several members to participate. * Report was given on the Eagle Scout presentation. Robert Hopkins was nominated for the position of Eagle Scout Representative for NC, suggestion was made that Andy Miller and Jeff Nieberding be SC representatives, will wait until they can confirm. * Announced that free meals will be available at Applebees Nov 11th and at Golden Corral on Nov 16th, Robert Stalnaker and John Rupertus gave report on Autism Speaks Walk at Lowes Speedway. They thanked us for the contributions collected for this cause. Will keep us informed as the next Walk approaches. Jack and Steve informed base of upcoming presentation at Victory Junction Gang Camp Oct 31st. * The March meeting of NC Subvets is to be held in Elizabeth City, more info when we get it. * The Flag that was sent to us from the nation's capital will be raffled off at the Burnsville meeting. Howard Dachs will make a case for the Flag. This flag was flown over the capital building September 11, 2009. Rob Stalnaker won the Petty kap, \$105.00 was collected for the fund. Next meeting 21 Nov at VFW
- 1515 Motion to adjourn seconded. Benediction given by Chaplain Fritz