



## MEETING MINUTES FOR 24 July 2010

1900- Meeting called to order by Commander Steve Bell, Invocation given by Chaplain Ray Fritz. Pledge of Allegiance, Tolling of the Boats lost in July Member introduction 28 members present. VFW Post Commander thanked us for all we do for the post.

\*Walt Sealy conducted ceremony inducting John Wallace into Holland Club. Presented Holland Club pin, card, Holland Club Patch, Holland Club certificate and Senior Sailor certificate.

\*Reading of previous meeting minutes, Approved as read.

\*Treasurers report-account balance 2992.82, memorial restoration fund 238.50, K4K fund 960.80, available funds 1793.52

\*SK report- still have a few calendars left at a reduced price. Explained the process for ordering jackets and A gang patches. Will take orders for 2011 calendars, price to be determined later.

\*Old Business- Dale Moses demonstrated a possible uniform for our Color Guard. Discussed the possibility of obtaining rifles for the Honor Guard, this was tabled for the time being until we can get more information. Steve Bell reported on our donation to the Maritime Museum in Sebring Fl, and read correspondence from them thanking us for donation.

\*New Business-Discussed the purchase by Tarheel Base of canopy for shelter at parades. Base reimbursed Steve Bell 20.00 for money he forwarded to Jim Myers. Also discussed the purchase of tool box for stowing articles on float. We will send 25.00 for our share of purchase price.

\*Good of the Order-A review of Gary Cruzan's funeral was given. Steve once again stated the importance of voting in the USSVI National election. It was stated that although national dues was not due yet, we can start collecting it. We discussed the upcoming WWII Subvets Memorial service at Kings

Bay as well as the National USSVI Convention. We have a parade coming up on the

19<sup>th</sup> of August at Newton NC more info will be published later. Dale Moses is still looking for articles to publish in the Piedmont Periscope. We briefly discussed the Annual Business Meeting coming up at the Convention, if we have any suggestions, to make they will be heard at the meeting. No suggestions at this time. Discussed the opening of the new base in Greensboro, the Nathanael Greene Base. Charter ceremony to be held 21 August at the Cardinal Golf and Country Club, all welcome

to attend ceremony. Howard Murray discussed the renovation of the building and also the dinner dance to be held Aug 7<sup>th</sup> that will be celebrating the Murray anniversary.

50-50 was won by Jeff Nieberding..71.00

Next meeting 28 Aug Benediction given by Chaplain Ray Fritz

2015- Motion to adjourn....seconded

J. Jeffries Base Secretary