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NEXT MEETING Wed., October 20th, at 7:30 PM

Meetings at Veterans Memorial Building. Additionally, Virtual Meeting details to be sent by e-newsletter.

**Veteran's Memorial Building - 2nd floor
400 Hartz Ave. Danville, CA**

**CONTRA COSTA COUNTY VETERANS SERVICE OFFICER
Nathan Johnson
10 DOUGLAS DR. - SUITE 100, MARTINEZ, CA 94553
TEL: 925-313-1481**

The VSO representative is available online by appointment out of the Martinez facility.

Minutes: September 15th, 2021

The meeting was opened at 1930. Opening Prayer by Hugh Keith.

Neil Giles, John Moore & Ron Huesman were excused.

Motion to accept minutes for May by Ed Meshinsky & Mike Slattengren.

QUARTERMASTER REPORT

Quartermaster report will be reviewed at October meeting.

PRAYER FOR THE NATIONAL HOME

Prayer led by Hugh Keith.

SERVICE OFFICER REPORT

Covid vaccines are available for all age groups at VA health care locations. All veterans can enroll at va.gov.

County VA rep is coming back to Danville building on Wednesdays 9-12, 1-4 by appt. only.

Docents are needed for Veterans Memorial Building.

COMMUNICATIONS

Remaining events for 2021:

- 10/23 & 10/24: Danville downtown fallfest – VFW Post 75 will have Hot Dog booth
- 11/11: Veterans Memorial Building open for museum, times TBD
- 12/11: Veterans Memorial Building to host Army/Navy game
- 12/12: 6-10pm, VFW Post 75 Recognition Dinner at Crow Canyon Country Club

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE

Recognition Dinner: Venue confirmed with guests requiring vaccine or negative covid test. Invites to be reviewed at October meeting.

Fall Fest: Notice for participation to go out with newsletter, application submitted.

Veterans Day: Determine status and get volunteers for Buddy Poppy handouts. Updated flyer for VFW table at VMB open house.

OLD BUSINESS

VMB will hold open house for Veterans Day. Theme is 75th anniversary of end of WW2 (last year) and minorities who served (442 Reg, Tuskegee, women, etc.). Contact Tim Sammons or Bob Sada if you have anything to display.

Please reach out to Mike Slattengren or Dennis Giacobelli for interest in Huey guard (4 hr shift) for Veterans Day Weekend.

Gianni's event for VMB raised \$8500. Thank you to everyone who donated time and effort.

NEW BUSINESS

Mike Regan to contact The Lot for Top Gun 2 Event (Top Gun 2 postponed to Memorial Day 2022)

2.2k mile run for Las Positas college, motion to donate \$250 by Mike Slattengren, Ed Meshinsky.

FOR THE GOOD OF THE ORDER

Thank you for participation in Labor Day parade and the BBQ for veterans held afterward.

CLOSING PRAYER

Closing prayer by Hugh Keith at 2040.
