

Graf-O Hara VFW Post 423
3230 S. Wagner Rd.
P.O. Box 2509
Ann Arbor, MI. 48106

Minutes of: July 9, 2018

Next Meeting: Aug 6, 2018

7:04 p.m. Meeting called to order by Commander Brinker_with appropriate ceremonies.

Roll Call of Officers: Present, Absent, Excused

Commander Brinker	P
Sr. Vice Cdr Lewis	P
Jr. Vice Cdr Doyle	P
QM/Adj David	P
Advocate London	P
Chaplain Kinzinger	P
Surgeon Frazier	P
Trustee 1 Year Winter	P
Trustee 2 Year Matte	E
Trustee 3 Year Ward	P

New Members: Derek Blumke

1. Motion by David Doyen to accept Derek Blumke
Second by Gene Liedel
Motion carried

Deceased Members: None

Minutes of previous Month:

1. Motion by Gene Liedel to accept the minutes from the May meeting
Second by David Doyen
Motion carried
2. Motion by Gene Liedel to accept the minutes from the June meeting
Second by David Doyen
Motion carried

Quartermasters Report:

1. Motion by Gene Liedel to accept the May QM report subject to audit
Second by David Doyen
Motion carried
2. Motion by Gene Liedel to accept the June QM report subject to audit
Second by David Doyen
Motion carried

Family in distress:

1. David Doyen's wife is doing better
2. Pete Belaire is doing "ok". Treatment is slowing the progression of the cancer.

Service Officer Report: No report

Hospital Report: None

MVTF Report: None

Memorial Home Assn:

1. Discussion about keys and keyless entry system. Getting quote for keyless entry. Will present at future meeting.

Membership Report:

1. New membership year started July 1. Encouraged annual members to pay their dues now.

WCCV: None

Communications:

1. Michigan Day at the National Home is Aug. 5th. Encouraged any member that has never been there to attend so they can see what the National Home is like.
2. Guest from WACU, Lauren. Talked about the “Walk for the 22” event. Thanked us for our support.
3. Read thank you letter from WACU for our \$250.00 donation.

Unfinished Business: None

New Business:

1. Motion by Matt David to sponsor \$1,000.00 for Veterans Radio Metal of Honor spot for one year.
Second by John Kinzinger
Motion carried
2. Motion by Dave Draper to allow American Legion Post 46 to use Post for monthly meeting, 1st Thursday of each month at 7:00pm
Second by Matt David
Motion carried
3. Motion by John Kinzinger to pay delegates to the National Convention \$30.00 per day, \$150.00 total to cover food.
Second by Matt David
Motion failed
4. Motion by Matt David to allow the QM to remove Post records from the Post so he can work from home.
Second by Wayne Doyle
Motion carried

5. Motion by Matt David to give ½ of the money collected from distributing Buddy Poppies to the Auxiliary
Second by Gene Liedel
Motion carried
6. Motion by Matt David to pay Horace Frazier \$400.00 per month for cleaning the Post.
Second by Bob London
Motion carried
7. Motion by Matt David to pay the QM \$400.00 per month.
Second by Bob London
Motion carried
8. Motion by Matt David to purchase a paper shredder from Amazon.com, cost \$99.00.
Second by David Doyen
Motion carried
9. Motion by Matt David that the Post donate \$100.00 to each of the Dept programs.
Second by Gene Liedel
Motion carried

Good of the order:

1. Commander Brinker gave a Power Point presentation on his vision for the year.

Closing Prayer

Meeting Adjourned

Present at meeting:

Robert Bull	Michael Horsch	Gene Liedel
Al Merritt	Vance McCrumb	David Draper
George Perrault	Roy Hall	Ralph Winter
Bernie Dunn	Dennis Davie	David Doyen
Wayne Doyle	Horace Frazier	Derek Blumke
John Kinzinger	Bill Estep	Anthony Lewis
George Betz	Bob London	Martha Cothorn
Clint Ward	Doug Brinker	Michael Smith

Respectfully submitted:

Matthew David
Quartermaster/Adjutant
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