



DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS

Chapter 17, Gainesville-Hall County, GA

P.O. Box 6055, Gainesville, GA 30503

11 October 2018 at 1900 Hours, DAV Chapter #17, Gainesville/Oakwood GA

Opening of the meeting was done by Commander Ronald L. Holbrook with a salute to the flag and a prayer by Jack Whidden.

Roll call of officers:

Commander Ronald Holbrook, Present

Sr. Vice Commander Danny Sievwright, Present

Jr. Vice Commander James Ledford, Present

Adjutant Sarai Aguayo **Excused** ****Note: Victoria Sievwright have taken the minutes for this meeting as a Stand-In Adjutant ****

Treasurer Victoria Sievwright, Present

Chaplain, Bryan Bordelon, **Excused (Currently undergoing medical treatment)**

Visitors: Dawn Javloner (U.S. Army)

Election and installation of officers: N/A

Reading of the Minutes: The reading of the previous minutes (13 September 2018 meeting) was read. Rosemary Wilson made the 1st motion to accept the minutes as read with corrections if needed; James Ledford made the 2nd motion to accept the minutes as read with corrections if needed. Further Discussion: None: Motion Carried

Treasurer's Report: The reading of the Treasurer's Report for the month of September 2018 was read. Advised chapter members that we have written a check to the DAV National for the amount of \$20,447.00, which represents the

amount that we have raised at Buford, Cumming, & Alpharetta Golden Corrals for the Camp Corral, Just-B-Kids. At the time of the Camp Corral, Just-B-Kids, the information as to where to send the check was not properly send out. There was clarification pertaining to the picking up of the monies of the Golden Corrals in Buford, Cumming, & Alpharetta. This information will be showing on the Treasurer's Report for the month of October 2018. ****Update: As of today's, date (03 November 2018) the check have not cleared the bank yet; according to the post office, there is an issue with the delivery address. Ronald Holbrook have contacted Wanda Daniels, Adjutant, DAV State of GA for the clarification of the delivery address. Ronald will go back to the Post Office to get the envelope so that we can correct the address & send it back out to DAV National via Registered/Certified Mail.**** James Ledford made the 1st motion to accept the Treasurer's Report as read with corrections if needed; Donna Abrams made the 2nd motion to accept the Treasurer's Report as read with corrections if needed. Further Discussion: None: Motion Carried

Chaplains Report/Sickness and Distress: Please keep the following members in your prayers as they are currently undergoing health challenges: David Godfrey, Paul Godfrey, Bryan Bordelon, & John Graham Martin

Publicity Committee: No Updates Given

Legislative Committee: No Updates Given

Hospitality Committee: No Updates Given

Wheelchair Committee: Danny Sievwright have announced that we have sent out medical equipment (24 light hospital beds, 12 heavy hospital beds, 1 extra-large hospital bed) food, clothing to Lumberton, NC (Robeson County DAV, Chapter 7 area) in response to Hurricane Florence & Michael Relief effort. Victoria Sievwright have reached out to Cumberland County, DAV, Chapter 46, Fayetteville, NC to see if they need assistance for Hurricane Florence & Michael relief effort. We have sent out 37 pallets worth of Durable Medical Equipment, furniture, food, & water to Fayetteville, NC.

Picnic Committee: No Updates Given

Entertainment Committee: No Updates Given

Raffle Committee: No Updates Given

Annual Financial Audit Committee: No Updates Given

Old Business: N/A

New Business: Jack Whidden & Mary Walker, via text, stated that 38 people have attended the DAV Chapter 17 Picnic at Longwood Park. With the Picnic budget of \$650.00, the Picnic Committee have spent a total \$516.32 for picnic expenses (example: food, door prizes, decorations)

For the Good of the Order: Golden Corral Fundraiser is currently ongoing until 12 November (which is Military Appreciation Night). Volunteers are needed for Buford, Cumming, & Alpharetta Golden Corrals as we are getting close to the home stretch. Bob Force have set a webpage for DAV Chapter 17. Linda Lampron have conducted a class pertaining to the use of My Health-e-Vet website & updates on Community Care.

Meeting was adjourned at 1945 hours. Our next DAV Meeting is 08 November 2018

Ronald L. Holbrook

Ronald L. Holbrook, Commander

Danny J. Sievwright

Danny J, Sievwright, Sr. Vice Commander

*Note: The minutes were prepared by Victoria P Sievwright on 03 November 2018.