

**Stephens County Honor Guard  
Business Meeting Minutes – July 27, 2023**

**Attendance:**

Officers: Jerry McAdory, Steve Condit, Kenny Youngblood  
Members: Roy Grabman, Gregg Griffin, John Willimas, Paul Frable  
Guests: Ann Frable

Quorum Achieved: 3 Officers, 4 Members, 7 Total

Meeting called to order by Commander McAdory at 19:05 hours at the American Legion Building Comanche, OK. Roy Grabman offered the Invocation. Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America recited by all present.

Minutes of the May 25, 2023, business meeting was accepted as presented. Minutes of the June 30, 2023, business meeting was accepted subject to correction.

Treasurers Reports for the month of June 2023 were accepted as presented. Month ending balances were \$5,819.09 in the General Fund, \$6,005.68 in the Raffle Fund and \$5,440.00 in the Scholarship fund.

**Officer's Reports:**

Commander – Commander McAdory thanked members for their support of the SCHG's activities to honor deceased veterans. The Cotton Electric newsletter included SCHG in its recent article on various veteran's organizations.

Vice Commander – Raffle ticket sales from the Marlow July 4<sup>th</sup> Celebration were \$355.00 and Walters Rodeo were \$380.00. Tables to sell raffle tickets will be set up during the month of August at the Rush Springs Rodeo, Lawton Rodeo, Velma Old Settlers Picnic and Stephens County Free Fair.

Armorer – No Report.

Secretary – A thank you note, and a \$100.00 donation was received in recognition of honors rendered at the Cooper service. Note will be read at the next meeting. Cards and \$100.00 donations were also received from the Will and Bowes families.

Treasurer – No additional reports.

**Old Business:**

New uniform shirts, trousers and web belts purchased with grant money received from Cotton Electric have arrived and will be distributed as soon as patches and trouser stripes are sown on. The feasibility of winter overcoats is being researched by SCHG member Frable.

**New Business:**

Paul Frable announced that representatives of the Comanche Veterans Association have approached him about establishing an improved working relationship with SCHG. Information was passed to Commander McAvoy.

Kenneth Youngblood moved that full uniforms be worn for all official SCHG business including scholarship and other awards presentations. Gregg Griffin seconded. Motion carried by unanimous vote.

**Good & Welfare:**

Ann Frable will be having surgery on August 24. Members are reminded to keep John Williams, Butch Swanson, Rick Duncan, George Parker, Johnny and Sharon Seely, Jerry Wallace, Gregg Griffin, Kathryn Cripps, Kirk Werner, Dan Mitchell, Jerry, and Susan McAvoy and Roy Grabman, in our thoughts and prayers.

The next meeting will be held August 31, 2023.

Respectfully Submitted:  
Roy Grabman - Secretary