

Stephens County Honor Guard

Minutes for February 27, 2020

The meeting was called to order by Commander Kenneth Youngblood at 19:05 hrs. at the American Legion Bldg. in Comanche, Ok. The invocation was given by Steven Bentley, the Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag was recited.

Attendance: Officers, Commander- Kenneth Youngblood, Treasurer- Dan Mitchell, Armorer- Jerry McAdory.

Members: Steven Bentley, John Williams, Kirk Werner, George Parker, Johnny Seely, Gary Stinson, Steve Condit.

The Minutes were read and a motion was made by Dan Mitchell to amend the January 2020 minutes to show the change in the weapons that will be purchased for the Fund Raising Raffle, seconded by Jerry McAdory, motion approved.

The Financial Report was read and approved.

Commanders Report: Kenneth Youngblood stated that the SCHG conducted 11 funeral services this month, he also asked for suggestions on recruiting new members.

Vice-Commanders Report: None

Treasurer's Report: Dan Mitchell stated that the weapons for the Fund Raising Raffle have been paid for, he also said that he purchased new SCHG coins at a cost of \$750.00.

Armorer's Report: Jerry McAdory said that he has ordered fliers for the Fund Raising Raffle, cost approx. \$60.00, the first fund raising event will be the Car Swap Meet at the Stephens County Fairgrounds on March 19th thru 21st.

Speakers: Larry Davidson with the American Legion Duncan Post 55 told us about Boys State and the cost of sponsoring a student and asked if the SCHG would be able to sponsor a student at a cost of \$275.00 per student.

Old Business: The SCHG still needs to confirm the \$500.00 donation to the Shriner's, once confirmed this will complete the donations from the Raffle Account.

New Business: Dan Mitchell made a motion to donate \$550.00 to the American Legion Post 55 in Duncan to sponsor two students from Stephens County to attend Boys State, seconded by Kirk Werner, motion approved.

It was stated that if anyone is 60% service related they can get Medicare part C at no cost.

Dan Mitchell reminded everyone that gun laws are being challenged at the local and state level and that everyone needs to contact their Senator's about this.

Dan Mitchell made a motion to return to new business, Jerry McAdory seconded, motion approved.

Jerry McAdory made a motion to make Johnny Seely an Honorary Lifetime Member in the SCHG, seconded by George Parker, motion approved.

Good and Welfare: Johnny Seely is having health issues, Jerry McAdory is still recovering from knee surgery, Rex Sherman is having health issues, George Parker is having health issues, Butch Swanson's family is having health issues, please remember these folks in your prayers.

Respectfully submitted, Steve Condit