



VFW Minutes for July 15, 2023

Today's Date: July 23, 2023

Time Called to Order: 1000 HR

Call to Order by: Dave Brown

Opening Prayer: Jason Caiado

ROLL CALL, OFFICERS

Title	Name	Present	Excused
Commander	Art Miller	X	
1st Vice Commander	Mac Cero		X
2nd Vice Commander	Stanley Rux		X
Quartermaster	Claude Nave	X	
Chaplain	Jason Caiado	X	
Adjutant	Ellison Lockett	X	
1st Year Trustee	David Brown	X	
2nd Year Trustee	Phil Daugherty	X	
3rd Year Trustee	Renato Asiain	X	
Judge Advocate	Bruce Bauer		
Service Officer	Trazena Jones	X	
Surgeon	Terrence Horton	X	
Sergeant of Arms	Terrence Horton	Blank	
MEMBERS IN	ATTANDANCE		
Carl Edwards	Nathan Padilla	Jose Tarin	Tim Gillett
Al Herrera-Guest			

Opening Ceremony	Dave Brown called the meeting of Sidney Severns VFW Post 1351 to order at 1000 hours and led the opening ceremony in the Veterans Memorial Building.
Minutes	Ellison Lockett read minutes for June 17, 2023, meeting. Motion to accept by Trazena Jones, second by Carl Edwards. Motion approved.
Quartermaster Report	Phil Daugherty, trustee, read the May 2023 finance report. Motion to accept by Ellison Lockett, second Trazena Jones. Motion approved.
New Members	None
Committee Reports or Subject Reports	
Membership	Claude Nave reported membership at no figures available yet.
Voice of Democracy, Patriots Pen & Teacher of the Year	Waiting for topics for next year.
Scouting	Art made contact with the Scout Master of Troop 1351.
Website/Facebook	Carl Edwards reported sites up to date.
Poppies	Carl Edwards reported Safeway will be on November 3,4, and 5.
Honor Detail	Ellison reported will be doing Honor Detail on July 11 th at Queen of Heaven Cemetery in Lafayette.
Bocce	Phil Daugherty reported team having a good season.
Memorial Hall Update	Ellison gave an update on projects.
Sick & Distressed Members	Jason Caiado reported Ellison and Juanita Lockett, Frank Rehm, Terry Horton, Stanley Rux and Young Rux, and Mrs. Frank Kastl.
Prayer for the National Home	Jason Caiado led prayer.

Recruiting	Art Miller reported each month on the third Tuesday at the VA hospital a recruiting program will be held. Art, Dave Brown, Terry Horton and Tim Gillett will attend.
All State Status	Claude Nave reported no information available for the new year.
	New Business
September 11	Claude Nave reported on Patriots Day ceremony with more information at the next meeting.
Commemorative	Dates: September 11 and Veterans Day.
District Meeting	Claude Nave reported the next District Meeting will be on August 13, 2023, with the School of Instruction following. Dave Brown, Claude Nave and Art Miller will attend.
	Closing Ceremony
	Jason Caiado led the prayer.
	Adjournment
	Dave Brown adjourned the meeting at 1100 hours. Ellison Lockett, Adjutant
	ADDITIONAL NOTES
Guest Speaker	

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