

## **VFW Post 10148**

### **Meeting led by the Senior Vice Commander**

**Wednesday, March 18, 2020**

**6:00 - 7:00 PM**

#### **Key Takeaways:**

- The meeting attendance was low: eleven Post members and two District 8 representatives. Officers present: Senior Vice Commander, QM Pro Tempore, Adjutant, 1-Year Trustee, 3-Year Trustee.
- Minutes of February meeting were read. Request was made to amend the February minutes to reflect the February meeting discussion regarding whether or not any member of the Post had made a loan to the Post since the lifting of the suspension and the associated statement from the Post Commander that he was not aware of any such loan.
- Membership Chair not present. No applications for membership reviewed.
- Quartermaster not present. Report was made on two donations to the Post from the estate of Bill Haggerty: one to the Building Fund (Capital Account) and one to the General Fund (Operating Account). The donation to the Operating Account is for a to-be-scheduled Celebration of Life for Bill.
- House Committee Chair not present. Adjutant reported on 03/16/20 House Committee meeting. Post membership informed that the Quartermaster resigned and that the Canteen Manager quit. Post Commander appointed Colby Stallings as Quartermaster Pro Tempore. House Committee recommending Colleen Moody as Canteen Manager.
- A very high water bill from the City of Cocoa is being investigated by the Post Commander. In addition, the loss of over \$100 each month since re-opening the Canteen in November 2019 associated with the Spectrum TV services not being terminated has been identified. No additional loss anticipated.
- Membership voted to approve Colleen as Canteen Manager as a W-2 employee. In addition, the membership voted to re-initiate the recently terminated Workers' Compensation.
- Effective March 17th, the Canteen cannot serve alcoholic beverages as directed by an Executive Order from Governor DeSantis. In addition, VFW regulations calling for March nominations and April elections for Post officers may need to be adjusted to account for the impact of COVID-19 on VFW operations.
- The next Post Monthly Meeting is **April 15th** at 6:00 PM.

These notes were compiled by Don Reott.