

UNITED STATES SUBMARINE VETERANS INC.

SUBVETS YUMA – BARBEL BASE

Minutes of Regular Meeting of February 17, 2011.

The meeting was called to order at 1857 by the Base Commander Leroy A Vick. The Base Commander read the creed.

Tolling of the Boats for the month of February was held. A moment of silence was observed for our departed shipmates.

Chaplain Vern K. Smith gave the Invocation followed by COB Carl Browning leading us in the Pledge of Allegiance to our Nations Flag.

Introduction guests Stanley Hughes and Vince Kirk of Inland Empire Base.

Roll call of officers was held, all present with the exception of Cob, Lawrence Sullivan. He has resigned his position an COB due to work schedule.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as corrected.

The Treasurers Report was read and accepted. The treasury has a balance of \$ 4228.66.

Correspondence: Read e-mail Albert Durkee sent concerning Ad for 2011 convention.

Read letter of appreciation for donations to Sub Vets Charitable Foundation.

Letter from Mobile Bay Base appreciating support of donations to USS Drum Restorations.

Membership: Elliott Abrams resigned his dual membership in this base. We now have 40 members.

Old Business: Hanks Days Parade & BarBQ. We are #10 in the parade, meet at 0830 Sat Feb.19.

Kaps for Kids: Jim Mallery reported he is still trying to find a way to reach the kids. We have the caps and certificates but no kids to give them to.

Eagle Scout Program: Vern Smith made contact with Grand Canyon Dist. And will invite them to a meeting in the future.

Results of the Yard Sale: Yard sale profits were \$579.08 and donut sales were \$211.50 making a total of \$790.58. Thanks everyone for the effort.

New Business: MCAS Air Show: Albert Durke will submit our names for the invitations. We will also be manning the float at the static display. Watch list to follow, need volunteers.

Good of the Order: Carl Browning was presented a 5 year Longevity Pin.

Our new FLAG was purchased by storekeeper from Base and storekeeper funds. Al Durke has volunteered to stow the flag at his home.

Crossroads Mission sent their thanks for our support along with a wish list which includes clothing and food staples.

Sub cookbooks are available contact storekeeper.

Louise Rachnow thanks everyone for the cards and prayers.

Announcements: Next meeting will be 17 March 2011 @ 1900.

Barbel Base Luncheon we be 2nd Monday, March 14, 1300 hrs @ Da Boys Pizza in old town.

Benediction by Chaplain

The Meeting was adjourned at

Respectfully submitted, s/s Ronald H. Broadway Secretary