



Air Force Association
Gen E.W. Rawlings Chapter #213

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

10 December 2011

SUBJECT: Meeting Minutes for 8 November 2011, Ft Snelling O'Club

Vic Seavers called the meeting to order at 1745 hours.

1. Members present (37): Richard Ballentine, Larry Brockshus, Ralph Delperdang, Jim Gallup, Janelle Gates, Bob Jaspersen, Bob McGonigal, Dan Murphy, Roger O'Daniel, Paul Pekarek, David Pohlen, Jon Powell, Bruce Roberts, Larry Sagstetter, Garrett Sampson, Tom Schellinger, Judy Schellinger, Vic Seavers, Glenn Shull, Thomas Theis, Jane Vail, Lloyd Ward, Mary Ward, Dennis Yeager, Jim Bennett, Rob Knight, Gregory Voth, Dylan Wallace, Natasha Rau, Casey Sweeney, Nathaniel Manning, Sarah Wooley, Dylan Muench, Jay Denny, Yvonne May, Diane Langer, Cheri Rohlfing.

REPORTS

2. Meeting minutes for October 2011 were approved by the membership.

3. Treasurer – Ralph Delperdang

- Savings balance: \$6,001.06
- Checking balance: \$6,902.46
- Income - \$0
- Expenditures - \$0

4. Gambling Report – Bruce Roberts

- Charitable Resources: The gambling manager's Charitable Resources Supervisory Committee report was passed around to the general membership in attendance. Included were the following items of interest: cash status, projection of expenses, specific payroll reports, inventory report, listing of all grants paid, all purchases invoices, bank reconciliation, and monthly gambling fund reconciliation (see addendum).
- The charitable gaming report for the month of October 2011 was covered.
 - Net revenue was \$34,434; Expenses were \$20,175; Taxes were \$4,680
 - Net income after taxes \$9,579; Grants paid \$2,585; Profit Carryover \$12,464
- Report was approved by membership.
- Bruce requested approval for our annual \$1000 grant to the Holy Trinity Food Shelf. Motion was made and carried by the membership.
- Bruce repeated suggestion of a meeting at Stanley's in Jan or Feb.
- Bruce also discussed the suggestion by some state legislators that electronic pull tabs could be used to fund the new Vikings' Stadium. The logistics and margins of an electronic pull tab system do not seem to make sense for such a large project.

5. ROTC Det 410 – University of St Thomas
 - Maj Voth introduced himself as the new Commandant of Cadets at UST.
 - Cadet Wallace talked about their recent trip to ARCON in Champaign Urbana. UST has been selected as the area HQ for the next year.
 - Cadet Denny, sabre commander and basketball team captain, came to discuss the annual trip to the Notre Dame Basketball tournament in Feb 2012. They would appreciate some financial support for the trip and will provide a formal request soon.
6. ROTC Det 415 – University of Minnesota
 - Cadet May came to personally thank us for the financial support we provided for her trip to NATCON last spring in New York. Although she was not selected for national protocol officer, she appreciated the experience greatly.
 - Cadet Manning, the cadet wing vice, provided the following update. The detachment has three new cadre this year. They will be participating in the POW/MIA vigil at the capital this month. Det 415 is #2 nationally in physical training scores among the nation's detachments.
7. JrROTC
 - Lt Col Brockshus told us that he has a new enlisted member at Park HS. He hoped that retired Command CMSgt Kathy Roby will be attending some of our future meetings.
8. Community Partner Update
 - Dan Murphy reminded everyone that the Minnesota Swarm season is starting in January and encouraged everyone to support this community partner.

NEW BUSINESS and ANNOUNCEMENTS

9. Tom Schellinger brought two guests to the meeting to talk about the Minnesota Aviation Career Education (ACE) Camp. Cheri Rohlfing, a Delta Airline pilot, was an early attendee of the ACE camps during her high school years. She has come full circle and now is a camp director. She told the membership how important this program is to aviation education for Minnesota kids and let us know how much ACE appreciates the Rawlings AFA Chapter's support of the program. Diane Langer, an FAA Air Traffic Controller and member of the scholarship team, spoke of the 600 students helped by the scholarship funds provided by Rawlings AFA over the last 20+ years. Diane, Cheri, and Tom presented Vic Seavers with a plaque of appreciation.
10. Roger O'Daniel made a presentation about the situation in the Middle East. The secretary had to leave before the presentation and does not have details of the materials presented, but it is understood that it was an appreciated event.
11. Next meeting is 1730L, 13 Dec 2011 at the Snelling O'Club.

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DAVID J POHLEN, Lt Col, USAF (Ret)
Secretary