

AMVETS Post 2006 Auxiliary Meeting, April 1, 2024

President Judith Cassidy called the meeting to order: 4:30 p.m.

Opening Prayer:

Pledge of Allegiance: Mary Ann Jarboe

Roll Call: **PRESENT:** President Judy Cassidy ; 1st Vice & SEC Claudia Thompson; Hospital Karen Saunders; Americanism & Chaplain Betty Knopic; Secretary & Parliamentarian Theresa Walton; Sgt At Arms Maryann Jarboe; Alt SEC & Scholarship Sue McLaughlin

EXCUSED: 2nd Vice Sandra King; 3rd Vice Gretchen Davis;

UNEXCUSED: Treasurer Debra Davis

Minutes of previous meeting (March 4, 2024): Read. Motion to accept by Betty and seconded by Norma Jean Adams. Approved.

Treasurer's Report: End of the month Earmarked funds started at 9101.57 and ended at \$9623.45. General Fund started at 4944.92 and ended at \$4735.92. MaryAnn Jarboe – motion to accept subject to audit. Sue McLaughlin seconded. Approved. Betty Greenley has passed away. 317 members after this.

Correspondence:

Membership: Proposed renewals – late: Sharon Miller, Pamela Vallarelli, Carol Collins, Julia Gelb, Patricia Davis. Proposed new members – Phyllis Mervine, Sandy Moras, Joan Jaffee, Susan Thompson, Kim Mills, Linda Bouchard. Motion to approve members Claudia and seconded by Karen Saunders. Approved. This brings us to about 317 members.

Child Welfare: There is a balance of \$441.30.

- Motion by Mary Ann Jarboe to donate \$500 – John Tracy Center, with the balance (58.70) coming from the general fund. Seconded by Claudia Thompson

Community Service: Balances of: \$761, Paws for A Cause \$31 Salvation Army \$561, The Haven \$607.78

Mary Ann Jarboe made a motion to donate the following amounts to the following charities, with the balances coming from the Community Service and General Fund:

- The Haven - \$625 (\$17.22 General Fund)
- Salvation Army - \$600 (\$39 General Fund)
- Paws for a Cause - \$400 (\$261 Comm Service, \$108 General Fund))
- Ronald McDonald House - \$500 Comm Service)
- Ashley House - \$200 (\$12 General Fund)

Claudia seconded. Approved.

Americanism: Betty reported she ran out of snacks and could use donations for her shipments. She shipped 3 boxes last month.

- Motion to donate \$800 to Bushnell Fund by seconded by Norma Jean Adams. Balance of \$40 from Americanism.

Scholarship: \$2022.72 in fund. Sue is putting together her committee. The letter is being prepared to go to schools, membership for applicants and will be ready tomorrow

Hospital: St. Jude's \$1702.55 Alzheimer's Fund \$180

- Motion by Karen Sanderson – Motion to donate to St. Jude's \$1700, Alzheimer's \$200. Seconded by Betty Knopic. Balance from the General Fund

SEC: June convention June 7-9 – need to know by next meeting. \$25 registration.

Unfinished Business:

New Business:

Bake Sale: May 12 Betty Knopic

Dinners: May 4 Claudia; May 18 – Norma Jean and daughter

June 1: Gretchen Davis, spaghetti and chicken salad sandwiches

Next meeting is May 6

We need players and help in kitchen for Show Me the Money. Betty Knopic will help in kitchen.

Nominations for 2023-2024 officers:

- President: Judy Cassidy and Theresa Walton accepted
- 1st Vice President (Membership): Claudia Thompson accepted
- 2nd Vice President (Child Welfare):
- 3rd Vice President (Community Service):
- Treasurer: Norma Jean Adams. Accepted.
- Secretary: Theresa Walton. Accepted.

Bills:

Closing Prayer: Betty Knopic

Respect to Colors: Mary Ann Jarboe

Meeting Adjourned: 5:09 pm

Secretary: Theresa Walton

President: Judith Cassidy