



**NAVY LEAGUE**  
of the United States  
"Citizens in Support of the Sea Services"

**PALM BEACH**  
Council



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PALM BEACH COUNCIL

June 11, 2019

Location: Marriott Hotel, West Palm Beach, FL

Secretary: Cindy Saulog

Present: John Lively, Bob Ames, Eric Rydstrom, Ken Lee, Lou Palumbo, Betty Parker, Chuck Stark, Rich Wennet, Phil Dunmire, Jerry Nelinson, Cindy Saulog (outgoing secretary), John Limoncelli

President noted a quorum present. Guest - Marilyn Coleman, present for vote as replacement secretary. Lou motioned to nominate Marilyn as secretary, motion was seconded. Unanimous vote to allow Marilyn to join as secretary.

Jenny & Frank are currently in Belle Glade with over 200 NL Sea Cadets participating in training.

Jenny & Frank did a great job putting together last Saturday nights dinner at Hilton PB Airport. They are currently working on getting a partial refund for lack of air conditioning at said dinner.

Distributed info on Speaker awards - purchase of pens was voted on and approved.

There will be a Welcome Back social at Taboo in September - details to follow.

Secretary - Minutes from previous meeting were approved. Cindy presented apologies from CPO Ethan Spell, he was on schedule for speaker, work commitments prevented him from attending. A letter of appreciation and thanks for support from Navy League was passed out - written by CPO Spell.

Treasurers report:

Report has been emailed.

\$25,000 annual endowment - Update - Phil is working to have that set up as direct deposit. Money is currently physically, but not legally available.

Legislator: attended meeting w/ Roger Stone at PB Kennel Club and is available for discussion regarding this meeting.

Programs:

Membership - Joan Ross sent document

Jerry shared details of his V-Day trip to Moscow, as an invited guest of the Russian Govt. He attended military parade in Red Square and was able to meet with the NL Attache.

Webmaster: n/a

Maritime: XO will be retiring. Navy League of Fort Lauderdale - next to the Port - participates heavily in commissioning ships and having knowledge of visiting ships. Suggested that we liason with them to become more involved in Port activities. President Lively has offered to reach out to them and set a lunch meeting.

Ken: Scholarships awarded at PB County Engineering & Science Fair are currently \$400, suggested raising to \$500 - motion was seconded and approved.

Also moved to increase amount of Daly Scholarship from \$1,000 to \$5,000. Daly Scholarship is funded by Merry ODonnell, and is funded as is in perpetuity. \$5,000 will not perpetuate. Possibility was suggested of two \$1,500 scholarships. This will be investigated with the Odonnell family.

Motion for \$5,000 raise was 7 for and 4 against.

Bob: MIA Project event at National Cemetary was very well represented. Burial of 19 Vets and 6 Spouses occured - full military burial. The Young Marines were there to help.

Navy Ball - Catherine was not here to discuss. Phil Dunmire proposed that all Board members should participate and donate to the Ball. 7 have donated and there are 24 Board members. Donations can be made on our website.

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Betty & Elana cannot stuff envelopes as Betty will be out of town.

Coins/ with bags - for the Navy Ball, have been ordered.

Eric - presented request for funding from the Young Marines - \$1150 was requested for Cadet National Leadership Academy in Grand Rapids, MI. Motion was seconded and approved.

Request for funding from AmVets Division Navy League Sea Cadets for \$10,337 was put up for discussion.

\$5,117 requested for military grade Modular General Purpose Tent systems

\$2,500 for reconditioned trailer for storage and transport to training events

\$1,320 for Unit Name & Logo on said trailer

\$1,000 for Cadet advanced training

\$400 for defraying \$800 cost of uniforms for CPO Spell to attend Sr Leadership Training.

Tents, Training and CPO Spell uniform defrayment were all approved - \$6,517

Ken wants specificity on trailer purchase, i.e. Year, make and model. Resubmit trailer request with details at a future date.

No further business.

Meeting adjourned at 1:01 pm.

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June 16, 2019 John Lively e-mail

Hi Marilyn,

Format is good. Few changes I noted  
Are.

Phil Dunmire was not present.

Lou Palumbo stated the Nominating committee nominated Marilyn Coleman as Secretary to replace outgoing secretary  
Cindy Saulog

John Lively stated there would be a welcome back at Taboo

Purchase of two small clocks and three pens as speaker awards

Treasurers Report was approved.

Eric Rydstrom stated that Phil Dunmire is working

Legislative Affairs Report. John Limoncelli

Judicial Advocate Richard Wennet  
Stated I cannot remember exactly what he said.

Joan Ross has sent in a report that  
showed additions and deletions of Council Members this year.

Navy Ball. I forgot who said that Phil Dunmire said the info you had as he was not there.

Betty Parker said she had told Catherine Brister that she would assist in stuffing envelopes and now has to decline as  
she is out of town.

Ken Lee stated he believes there should be specificity on trailer purchases

Personal preference of mine I like first  
and last name.

Thank you so much.

Regards

John

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