

Minutes of the February 10, 2009 Post 67 General Meeting

Cary American Legion Post 67, Inc.

P.O. Box 67 Cary, North Carolina 27512

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>ATTEND</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>TITLE</u>	<u>ATTEND</u>
Bill Cozzolino	Commander	Yes	Bob Gonier	Sgt-at-Arms	Yes
Curtis Leary	1 ST Vice Commander	Yes	Bob Figulski	Judge Advocate	Yes
Pete Emens	2 nd Vice Commander	Yes	Don Daniels	Athletic Officer	Yes
Jim DePoy	Adjutant	No	Robin Hinkley	Historian	Yes
Wayne House	Finance Officer	Yes	Judy Rea	Auxiliary President	Yes
Jess Ward	Chaplain	Yes	Marcus Turner	SAL Commander	Yes
Frank Rea	Service Officer	Yes	Jim Jansen	Past Commander	Yes

NOTE: Due to technical difficulties portions of the recorded minutes were unavailable

Meeting convened by Commander Bill Cozzolino at 6:59 PM. Meeting adjourned at 8:48 PM.

Invocation by Chaplain Jess Ward. Pledge of Allegiance, POW/MIA Chair, preamble

1st Responder Awards for 2008:

Ken Quinlan Police Officer of the Year, supporting statement by Cary Police Chief Pat Bazemore

Ronnie Casey Firefighter of the Year, supporting statements by Fire Battalion Chief Tony Jordan and Fire Chief Raymond Cain.

Lynn Nowak EMT of the Year, supporting statement by EMS Chief Steven Cohen.

Historian Robin Hinkley announced a new web page for 1st Responders Awards photos and documentation, available later this week.

Auxiliary Member Cindy Emens announced the Bunco game to be held at the Post Home Saturday afternoon 3/7, to benefit homeless veterans and the USO.

Approved minutes of last General meeting on January 13, 2009

SAL Commander Marcus Turner announced new program to collect Coke bottle caps for rewards to send to service men and women serving overseas.

Judge Advocate Bob Figulski distributed a flyer regarding Color/Honor Guard

Members Ed Hollowell & Franklin Ingram presented idea for supporting veterans who survived injuries that impact their mental health. Ed & Franklin will first ascertain if current programs exist for this. Bill Coz suggested this be discussed at next PEC mtg.

New members

Brian Eli, who is being considered to fill Jim DePoy's position as Post Adjutant for remainder of this fiscal year.

Jan Cates, who subsequently determined she did not serve during required periods.

1st Vice Commander Curtis Leary noted that we need 12 members to reach membership goal.

Finance Officer Wayne House announced bank balances and value of physical property.

Submitted by Robin Hinkley, Post Historian