

## Trieste Base – USSVI Meeting

20 November 2011

Meeting called to order by Kent Weekly at 1300

### **Attendees:**

Kent & Lorena Weekly  
Howard & Anna Hoyt  
Dan Resley  
George Kinnison  
Gary Kinnison  
Rocky Rockers  
Jodie Christopher  
Rick Bingham  
Dan Burkett  
Rob D'Orsi & Iku  
Tony Espiritu  
Ard and Jennetta Johnson  
Ed and Marsha Yarbrough  
Ed Bailey & children

### **Invocation**

**Pledge of Allegiance**

**Reading of the Creed**

**November Lost Boats**

October minutes approved as posted on website.

No Treasurer Report.

Storekeeper Report: Available at ships store is T-shirts (\$15), Calendars (\$10), & base patches (\$5). See Dan after meeting.

### **Old Business:**

- 1) Murrieta Veterans Day Parade recap by Rick Bingham. Sounded like a good turnout and good time. Small glitch with the marching group ahead of Trieste Base.
- 2) Donation letters were mailed. Very poor response.
- 3) Elections are upon us. Ballots handed out at the meeting. Others will be sent via e-mail and snail mail.

### **New Business:**

- 1) Oceanside 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade with Scamp Base – Held in abeyance until February. Rocky Rockers in charge of getting details
- 2) T-shirts are listed for sale on craigslist. Will place on website after 1<sup>st</sup> of year after treasurer turnover.
- 3) Scamp Base Christmas party 12/18. Coincides with Trieste Base meeting.

**Good of the Order:**

- 1) Field of Honor flag sales may have generated at least \$150 for the base per report of co-ordinator Jodie Christopher.
- 2) Ed Yarbrough handed out Thank You cards obtained from "Dear American Hero" company. Cost is donations. These are cards to be handed out to military members and veterans as thank yous.
- 3) Questionnaire for music for parade. This in response to negative comments about selection of some music at Veterans Day Parade.
- 4) Ed Yarbrough brought up the idea of next Veterans Day inviting the Navy Southwest Region Band to play in Murrieta. Venue needed.
- 5) Jodie Christopher mentioned that the tenant that displaced us at the VFW has been evicted. VFW may be a meeting option again.
- 6) Cell Phone for Soldiers was mentioned. Check your service carrier for details.
- 7) Jodie Christopher was presented his 1 year longevity pin and patch
- 8) DUES, DUES, DUES – Drop dead date 12/31
- 9) Binnacle List:
  - a. Stan Reinhold recuperating from a traffic accident is home now
  - b. Jim DeGange is suffering from an inner ear problem which is affecting his equilibrium and limiting his mobility

**October Birthdays**

- a. Dave Brown 11/4
- b. Christopher Morris 11/27
- c. Dan Burkett 11/28
- d. Bill Patterson 11/29

**Benediction:****Monthly Raffle:**

\$40 Base Treasury

\$30 Cash Winner (Jodie Christopher)

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\$70 Total

Meeting adjourned at 1415 for refreshments and camaraderie.

**Next Meeting:** 18DEC11 @ Carrows Restaurant in Murrieta on Madison Avenue.