

Oregon American Legion Rider Agenda

Redmond Post 44 Sept 10th 2023
Meeting called to order at 12:55pm

Chuck Zeigler said opening prayer.
Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call Board: **Director:** Rod Moore {x } **Vice Director West** Charlie McCarthy{x} **Vice Director East** Penny McCarthy {x} **Adjutant** Sim Sears {x} **Sgt @ Arms** Dane Egan {excused} **Chaplin** Chuck. Zeitler{x}
Historian/Webmaster Steve Randles {excused}

Chapter	#	Chapter	#	Chapter	#
Portland #1	0	Santiam/Lebanon #51	0	Wallowa Lake #157	0
Albany #10	3	Newberg # 57	0	Tigard # 158	0
Dallas #20	Hiatus	Stayton #58	1	Warm Springs #59	Hiatus
McMinnville #21	3	Estacada #74	Hiatus	Milwaukie #180	0
Cottage Grove #32	Hiatus	Eugene Santa Clara # 83	1	Oakridge #64	Hiatus
Coos Bay/North Bend #34	0	Seaside #99	0	Prineville #29	0
La Grande #43	Hiatus	Newport # 116	1		
Redmond #44	4	Vernonia # 119	0		
La Pine #045	10	Oregon Trail #150	0	Sheridan #75	Suspended

23 in attendance including Board

FINANCE REPORT – Sim Sears

No Changes

ADJUTANT REPORT – Sim Sears

Quarterly Reports link broken. Steve Randles is aware and will try fixes. If you have suggestions or changes for Quarterly reports, please let Sim and Steve know. If you have trouble with reports (link, submitting) contact Steve Randles

Review of Meeting Minutes: Motion Ito accept meeting minutes as sent, Seconded, **Approved**

DIRECTORS REPORT – Rod Moore bigdog6468@yahoo.com

Reminder Quarterly Reports are very important and the link to let state and National know what Riders are contributing to their Posts and communities.

Thanks to LaPine for joining this meeting in force! 10 members!

Thanks to Redmond for a great lunch:

Beef Stew

Ham sandwich fixings

Assorted Salads

desert

DIRECTOR WEST REPORT – Charlie McCarthy

Team work, promoting activities and events, We all have the same goal. Veterans & Community

Let Steve and Sim know about any upcoming events

Consider Mileage and Volunteer hours recognition along with Small and Large Chapter Awards

DIRECTOR EAST REPORT – Penny McCarthy

Bill Filley has been working with Lapine. Not much contact with Eastern Oregon Chapters. Cottage Grove has faded away as well as Oakridge. Sheridan #75 has been disbanded, No riders group in# 20 Dallas Hiatus status means no Riders group

Sim suggests talking to Post Commander to check on Rider group activity.

CHAPLIN REPORT-Chuck Zeitler

Lets keep working together!

SGT @ ARMS REPORT- Dane Egan

N/A

WEBMASTER/HISTORIAN REPORT- Steve Randles

N/A

COMMITTEE REPORT –

Standing Rules Committee Sim Sears, Dane Egan, Bill Filley

Guidelines were sent out 3 times for review since June meeting.

In brief: Guidelines replace Standing Rules, Bylaws, ORALR is not a Chapter but a elected board and any ALR member in good standing may attend and have input on meeting.

Motion made to accept Guidelines, seconded. Discussion: Robert Baker (Redmond) stated he has not received any copy of guidelines. Adjutant stated again that it was sent 3 times since June, if Chapter has not updated their contact information via quarterly reports or email, their contact information may not be current.

Robert Baker (Redmond) made a motion to Table the vote until Guidelines had been reviewed by him. Motion superseded Motion on the table and Guidelines on hold till next meeting. Adjutant will resend to updated emails given during discussion.

ALROH-

Paul Schnell presented Charlie McCarthy with ALROH honor. Charlie was honored and stated that “you don’t earn this on your own. It takes a group”

Submittal for ALROH should be in by October 2023. Submit to your ALR Director who should submit to ALROH committee: Charlie McCarthy (he will reach out for others to join committee)

COMMISION: Gale Sears

N/A

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

LEGION CONVENTION VS OREGON ROMP-

Post 45 LaPine asked to host this years ROMP/ORALR meeting this year (June?)

Committee: Dwayne Jones (541-401-4921) C. Zeigler (541-320-0534), Bob Filley, Rob Baker(541-390-9041), Rod Moore

Reminder that Toy Run will be a yearly donation for city June meeting held in. Children in need centers, kids hospitals etc.

NEW BUSINESS

N/A

GOOD OF THE ORDER

LaPine apologizes for being out of the loop. Director doesn’t have email. Adjutant received contact for LaPine . LaPine noted their Legion facility has camping, and is available for get togethers etc..

Paul Schnell spoke of 21 McMinnville Riders 3000 miles and patches. A way for riders to ride together, group rides and possibly rides to other Chapters. Helps brings riders and Chapters back together.

Closing Prayer: Chuck Zeitler

Meeting adjourned 1436

EVENTS/RIDES/ACTIVITIES – Be sure to get your information to Steve Randles so that it can be posted on the calendar and Facebook page

Rides and Events: Please contact Steve Randles and Sim Sears to get Events out via FB and email

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- **C. McCarthy POC Vietnam Wall 805 Wednesday Sept 13th Meet @ Lincoln City DMV to Chinook Winds Casino**
- **Ice Maker Run LaPine Sat. Sept 16th. 11am KSU Open to public Bikes and Cars. 2 bands, food**
- **9/11 ceremony at the following Posts:**
 - **#10 Albany**
 - **#83 Eugene/Santa Clara**
 - **#45 LaPine**
 - **#51 Santiam/Lebanon**
- **Tribute to Fallen Soldier #83 Eugene/Santa Clara Sept 30th Seven Feathers Lunch back to Post Contact Bill Filley Post #83**
- **National Legion Commander visit Oregon Sept 26.**
- **Ride for the Alive. Sept 23 Registration (donation to Heroes Highway Flags) 800 to 1000 hrs. Albany Post 10. KSU 10:00am**
 - **Chili & Cornbread lunch..share stories and honor Veterans and Riders**