

# BELLAVITA VETERANS ORGANIZATION MEETING MINUTES

**14 NOVEMBER 2012**

1. COMMANDER STIEFVATER OPENED THE MEETING WITH THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE.
2. SECRETARY LEO GONZALEZ READ THE MINUTES FOR THE OCTOBER MEETING AND THEY WERE APPROVED.
3. TREASURER JOHN DEVERAUX GAVE THE FINANCIAL REPORT: AS OF NOV 7, CHECKING BALANCE OF \$3,174.03, MONEY MARKET BALANCE OF \$4,128.20 FOR A TOTAL OF \$7,302.23. A TOTAL OF 637 FLAGS HAVE BEEN SOLD SO FAR THIS YEAR.
4. A FLAG CAPTAIN REPLACEMENT IS BEING SOUGHT FOR HENRY, WHOSE RECENT FULL TIME JOB STATUS WILL PREVENT HIM FROM DOING IT IN THE FUTURE.
5. THANKS TO VICE COMMANDER WINCHELL AND TREASURER DEVERAUX FOR THE WONDERFUL BBQ MEAL AND REFRESHMENTS.
6. WE HAD A VERY SUCCESSFUL AND SMOOTH VETERANS DAY FLAGS UP OPERATION. WE HAD A GREATEST VOLUNTEER TURNOUT EVER. OUR THANKS TO THEM AND ALL WHO PARTICIPATED. OUR NEXT FLAGS UP DAY IS IN FEBRUARY 2013.
7. A FLAG WORK DAY IS TENTATIVELY SET FOR JANUARY 2013.
8. A DONATION TO THE USO IN THE AMOUNT OF \$500.00 WAS APPROVED BY ALL PRESENT. THIS MONEY WILL BE USED TO BUY PHONE CARDS FOR DISTRIBUTION TO OUR TROOPS OVERSEAS.
9. OUR NOMINATING COMMITTEE HAS BEEN ACTIVE AND WILL GIVE US A REPORT. CANDIDATES FOR OFFICERS WILL BE VOTED ON THIS EVENING AND WILL ASSUME THEIR OFFICE DUTIES NEXT MONTH FOR THE JANUARY MEETING.
10. SUGGESTIONS FOR NEW PROJECTS ARE WELCOME.
11. A PROPOSAL TO HAVE SUNDAY GATHERING TO WATCH OUR TEXANS' GAMES IN THE BIG BALLROOM TV WAS APPROVED BY ALL PRESENT
12. (12) NEW TREES WILL BE NEEDED FOR REPLACEMENTS OR NEW PLANTINGS AT OUR VETERANS MEMORIAL. TREES ARE TO BE PROVIDED TO US BY BENNY RAINES.
13. DATE FOR OUR NEXT VETERAN'S MEETING IS **WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2012**
14. GENE AND DENNIS VOLUNTEERED TO DO THE CLUBHOUSE FLAG DUTY THIS MONTH.
15. THE VOLUNTEERS FOR REFRESHMENTS NEXT MONTH ARE: BILL, CECIL AND JOHN RODRIGUEZ
16. THERE WERE NO EMAIL DRAWING PRIZE THIS MEETING
17. THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED AT 1951.