



Middleburg American Legion Post 250 Executive Board Meeting Minutes August 13, 2025



Meeting was called to order at 1800

Roll Call:

Commander	XX	First Vice	EX	Second Vice	XX
Adjutant	EX	Finance Officer	XX	Historian	XX
Judge Advocate	EX	Sergeant-At-Arms	XX	Chaplain	XX
Asst SAA	XX	E-Brd 1	XX	E-Brd 2	EX
Service Officer	XX				

Quorum: Yes

Chaplain gave opening prayer

Commander introduced guest speaker Coach Zeb Pike to speak about support Wilkinson Jr High Football Team with a banner.

Officer/Chair Reports:

Finance (Sandy Greenway):

Starting Balance: \$124,043.00
Ending Balance: \$129,359.00

With Riders & SAL

\$138,454.00
\$144,302.00

- Sunday Wings Profit: \$1152.71.
 - Anyone wanting a more detailed report, please see Finance Officer
- Motion by Gary Fleming / 2nd by Doreen Arndt to accept subject to audit. **APPROVED.**

Correspondence: NTR

Chaplain (Kenny Greenway):

Prayers List:

- Jim McCormick (moved to nursing home)
- Edna's uncle Dean Linder (passed away)
- Mickey Phillips (at rehab)
- John Rosenau (for back issues)

1st Vice (Bill Niemiec):

- Processing memberships. Currently 49.07%

2nd Vice (John Rosenau):

- Gave a detailed report of the upcoming events
- SAL Meeting cancelled
- September Calendar out soon
- Patriots Day Speech before dinner 11 Sep
- Party Bus Tour 13 Sep



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2nd Vice (John Rosenau) (CONT):

- POW/MIA Recognition Day 19 Sep (Missing Man Table Ceremony before dinner)
- Rocky Horror Picture Show 20 Sep

Service Officer (Gary Fleming):

- Busy with Family issues (death in family)
- Helping Veterans and family members with paperwork filling and referrals to Clay County VSO.
- Family called looking for shelter and food. Frustrated because all organizations called ended in voicemail.

Scouting (George Torrence):

- Tuesday the Cub Scouts are returning to the Post
- Boy Scouts will be coming back from Tennessee and will also be meeting on Tuesdays
- Putting together a program to put flags up for different events (for a charge) to help make money for the Troop.

Historian (Chuck Turner): NTR

Executive Board (Julie Paget / Doreen Arndt): NTR

Commander (Don James):

- Appointment Letters read for Audit Committee: Doreen Arndt, Don James, Jeffrey Pickard, and Julie Paget.
- Audit Team starts 14 Aug with the SAL.
- Appointment Letters read for House Committee: Kenny Greenway (Chair), Doreen Arndt, Julie Paget, Sherry James, and Brad Roberson.

Judge Advocate (John Ruark):

- Encouraged everyone to visit the Clay County Veteran Council Office on CR220. Hours are typically 10am-4pm (unless no volunteer to staff the front desk).
- 2nd Annual Veteran's Day 5k will take place on 8 November
- Purple Heart Proclamation will be read at the County Commissioners' meeting on 22 July at 1545 in the County Commissioners Meeting Room
- Veterans Health Fair will be held on Wednesday, August 20, 2025, from 9:00 a.m. to 12 p.m. in the Andrew K. Baker VA Clinic Conference Room and Lobby in Middleburg, FL.

House Committee (Kenny Greenway):

- Reported the Walk-in cooler is fixed
- Reported the dart board is fixed
- Got a new printer for the Commander's office

Veterans Employment (John Ruark): NTR



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Old Business:

- Motion by Gary Fleming / 2nd by Dave Fogle to **UNTABLE** the motion to make the Tiki Bar smokeless. **Discussion:** This motion includes screening in the current outside smoking area at a cost of \$1300 (approximately). **APPROVED.**
- Motion by Sandy Greenway 2nd by Gary Fleming to discuss a previous disciplinary issue with a member: the member has been limited by the Canteen Manager on the number of drinks he will be served in the Canteen. After discussion, it was **APPROVED** to keep the drink limit in place.

New business:

- Motion by George Torrence / 2nd by Sandy Greenway to purchase a supply of Pocket Constitutions/Declaration of Independence to be given to new members. Leah Fogle states she gets them for free. She will bring them in. Motion was **WITHDRAWN.**
- Motion by Sandy Greenway / 2nd by Kenny Greenway to Move Thursday lunch monies (\$1790.00) over to the Auxiliary for Girls State. **APPROVED.**
- Motion by Sandy Greenway / 2nd by Dave Fogle to pay up to \$960.00 for a banner across the front part of the stage with the Legion Family logos on it. **APPROVED.**
- Motion by Sandy Greenway / 2nd by Dave Fogle to sponsor the football team at Wilkinson Jr High for \$625.00. **APPROVED.**
- Motion by Sandy Greenway / 2nd by John Rosenau to give cleaning crew a raise to: Steve from \$650.00 to \$750.00 per pay period; Billy from \$150.00 to \$200.00 per pay period. **APPROVED,**

Good of the Order:

- Sandy Greenway talked about a sign for the Chappy's room. It was determined to not have the sign made.
- Sandy talked about a WWII ration book that was donated to the Post. Asked about displaying in the Post. It was recommended to donate the book to Camp Blanding or the Military Museum in Green Cove Springs.
- Dave Fogle talked about the Sailor that was lost at sea. If the family reaches back to us, we will try to do something.
- Commander James talked about complaints from District dealing with FB and other social media. Every Post in the District has multiple people posting on the District pages and it is clogging up the Social Media pages at the district level. They are asking that only one person from each Post to put up items on social media.

Chaplain gave closing prayer.

Meeting adjourned at 2000

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Don James
Commander

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Ken White
Adjutant