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6 Dec 06

MEMORANDUM FOR: Central Valley Chapter # 1551
Spirit of Sacramento Auxiliary Chapter # 0270

SUBJECT: NCOA/Auxiliary General Membership Meeting Minutes (6 Dec 06)

1. Meeting called to order at 1910 hours at VFW Post 4647 by Chapter Chairman, CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan.
 - a. Pledge of Allegiance led by CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan.
 - b. NCOA Creed read by Sgt Michael Smith.
 - c. Moment of silence observed.

2. Executive Committee Members:
CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan, Chairman, Present
SMSgt (Ret) Wes Wheeler, Vice-Chairman, Absent
CMSgt (Ret) Jim Kearns, Treasurer, Present Sgt Michael Smith, Secretary, Present
MSgt (Ret) Terry Shannon, Special Projects Coordinator, Present

3. Auxiliary Executive Committee Members: Tammy Sullivan, Chairman, Present
Jean Krocke, Vice Chairman, Present Lauren Wheat, Secretary, Present
Teri Page-Gleason, Treasurer, Absent

4. Members Present:
CMSgt (Ret) Gerald Stewart CMSgt (Ret) George Moses CMSgt (Ret) Marcel-Henri Claing
MSgt (Ret) George Wheeler MSgt (Ret) Nick Everett SSgt Shann Elmore
SSgt Charles Gardner Dottie Everett, Auxiliary

5. Guests Present: None

6. Chairman's Comments:
Regular:
CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan discussed the following topics:
MSgt (Ret) Nick Everett presented the JROTC award at Del Campo High School; thank you Nick.
The VAVS meeting has been pulled up to tomorrow. Jim will attend and has the 24 ticket stubs from the tickets that were purchased at the last meeting. Any prizes won will be used for door prizes at the annual Christmas Party.
Sgt Michael Smith read the correspondence from last month which included invitations to various events and a request for donations from the Children's Receiving Home.

Auxiliary:
Tammy wished everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

7. Membership Coordinator: 125 regular members, 51 auxiliary members.
8. Treasurer's Reports: CMSgt (Ret) Jim Kearns passed around the treasurer's report.
Balances - Regular: \$2,325.80 Auxiliary: \$376.72
9. Legislative:
CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan discussed the following:
 - Air Force Week will be held in six locations next year, one of which will be Sacramento.
 - The Legislature is still trying to pass The Appropriation Act for Military and Veterans.
10. **Unfinished Business:**
 - a. Election Work – was 3 and 7 Nov at the Orangevale Community Center. Great turnout and well run. We raised \$1,880; \$500 of which will go to the Auxiliary. Thanks to all who participated. (CLOSED)
 - b. Breakfast with Santa will be on 9 Dec, 8 a.m. – 11 a.m. at VFW Post 4647. We will plan for 75 meals. (OPEN)
 - c. Christmas Party will be held on 16 Dec, 6 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. at Cherry Island Golf Course. Dinner will be a sit down event. We anticipate 40-50 people. Tickets available for \$25 each. (OPEN)
11. **New Business:**
 - a. We need to generate a list of companies to solicit for donations of towels for the Sacramento Stand Down next year.
 - b. CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan suggested getting pricing for trinkets to give new members etc.
 - c. CMSgt (Ret) Jim Kearns will get prices for T shirts and sweatshirts with the NCOA Logos.
12. Jim and Tammy will be sending a box of goodies to troops stationed in Iraq. A card was passed around for everyone to sign.
13. The Chief's Group put together a presentation with a poem titled *Why I love America*. Great job Chiefs; thank you for the presentation.
14. Meeting adjourned at 1955 hours. The next meeting is scheduled for 3 Jan 07 at 1900 hours at the VFW Post 4647.

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JAMES N. SULLIVAN, CMSgt, USAF (Ret)
Chapter Chairman

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MICHAEL SMITH, Sgt, USAF
Chapter Secretary