

Non Commissioned Officers Association of the United States of America

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Central Valley Chapter # 1551

Spirit of Sacramento Auxiliary Chapter # 0270

SUBJECT: NCOA/Auxiliary General Membership Meeting Minutes (7 Jun 06)

- 1. Meeting called to order at 1905 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 MSqt Kenneth Gleason.
 - c. Moment of silence observed.
- 2. Executive Committee Members:

CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan, Chairman, Present
SMSgt (Ret) Wes Wheeler, Vice-Chairman, Present
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 Kim Morris, Vice Chairman, Absent Melissa Carnahan, Secretary, Present Treasurer, Vacant
- 4. Members Present:

MSgt (Ret) Nick Everett
SSgt Jason Ramon
Sgt Debbie Smith
TSgt (Ret) Carl Cooley
SrA Elisabeth Miller
SSgt Jeff Crozier
TSgt (Ret) Orin Taylor
Yvonne Cooley, Auxiliary

- 5. Guests Present:
- 6. Chairman's Comments:

Regular:

- VAVS meeting 14 June, CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan and CMSgt (Ret) Tom Wentz to attend.
- The MDA telethon will not be broadcast from the Sacramento area this year. For the first time in 13 consecutive years we will have Labor Day weekend without a telethon to support.
- Received letter from Luther Burbank JROTC and card from Cadet Fue Her thanking CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan for the presentation.

Auxiliary:

Tammy Sullivan discussed the following topics:

- Tammy made sure to bring the meatballs for this meeting. Unfortunately, CMSgt George Moses was not present.
- 7. Membership Coordinator: 125 regular members, 40 auxiliary members.
- 8. Treasurer's Reports: CMSgt (Ret) Jim Kearns passed around the treasurer's report. Balances Regular: \$1,619.85. Auxiliary: \$617.43
- 9. Legislative:
 - MSgt (Ret) Terry Shannon told of theft of a laptop and external media from a worker containing personal data of veterans since 1975 (approx. 26.5 million) and 80% of active duty personnel. Monitoring of your credit card statements, bank statements, and credit reports is recommended. For information on how to freeze your credit navigate to this site: http://www.privacy.ca.gov/sheets/cis10securityfreeze.htm
 - Terry also passed around a list of the Senate vote on English as an Official Language of the

United States.

10. Unfinished Business:

- a. State Fair support. Two shifts on 11 August 9AM 3PM and 3PM 8 PM. This will be split between AFSA and the Chiefs group with the monies split three ways also. (OPEN)
- b. Air Museum support. This is an ongoing commitment. We are committed to two volunteers every third Saturday from 1200 1600. A schedule for 2006 was passed around. (OPEN) A motion was made and carried to donate \$80 to the Air Museum for membership.
- c. Watt Avenue clean up went well. Thanks to all the volunteers for helping out.(CLOSED)
- d. JROTC Award presentations at 11 high schools were made. Thank you to all the presenters. (CLOSED)
- e. AFSA Steak night went well. (CLOSED)
- f. Mather Memorial Plaza dedication was held 25 May. The Chiefs group did the color guard presentation. Thanks to all who participated.(CLOSED)
- g. Case Lot Sale. We made \$308 over two days. Thanks to all who helped out. (CLOSED)
- h. 4th of July 11A.M. 4 P.M. Combined picnic with AFSA at Freedom Park. Deposit was \$300, paid by AFSA. A signup sheet was passed around.(OPEN)
- i. Pre Election and Election Volunteers did a great job. Around \$1700 was earned for the two days to be partially split with the auxiliary. Thanks to all for helping out.(OPEN)
- j. Auxiliary will hold elections for committee members during the July meeting. (OPEN)
- k. 11 13 August is the annual NCOA Business Meeting in San Antonio TX. Proxy ballots were handed out. Ballots can also be found in the NCOA Magazine. (OPEN)
- 11. New Business:
 - a. Special Olympics will be held 10 11 June at UC Berkley. (CLOSED)
- 12. Meeting adjourned at 2010 hours. The next meeting is scheduled for 5 July 06 at 1900 hours at the VFW Post 4647.

JAMES N. SULLIVAN, CMSgt, USAF (Ret) Chapter Chairman MICHAEL SMITH, Sgt, USAF Chapter Secretary