



American Legion Riders  
Post 1340

General Membership Meeting

August, 13<sup>th</sup>, 2013

**Preamble to the Constitution of the American Legion**

*FOR GOD AND COUNTRY WE ASSOCIATE OURSELVES TOGETHER  
FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES:*

To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America.

To maintain law and order.

To foster and perpetuate a one hundred percent Americanism.

To preserve the memories and incidents of our associations in the Great Wars.

To inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation.

To combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses.

To make right the master of might.

To promote peace and goodwill on earth.

To safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom, and democracy.

To consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness.

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## *American Legion Riders Post 1340*

### *Meeting Minutes*

Minutes for American Legion Post 1340 meeting on 13 August 2013  
Meeting held at VFW Post 9265, 4605 S. Penn

- Commander opened meeting at 7:00 pm.
- Prayer – Chaplain
- Pledge of Allegiance
- POW/MIA Chair Ceremony –
- Present: 14 Legion, 4 Auxiliary, 1 SAL
- Legion Finance = \$4480.17, Aux Finance Report \$1100, SAL Finance Report
- We presented Americanism awards to Randy and Sharon Gilreath at the USO Welcome center at the Will Rogers Airport this evening.
- Post has been asked to perform Flag Folding ceremony for Legends of Rivendell fundraiser this Saturday, August 17<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30pm at Earlywine Park. Commander Marxen will send out an email with more info. So Far, Rick Vasquez, Calvin Perkins, Don Jackson, Dennis Denison, Barbra Miller, and Doug Miller have volunteered to participate.
- The Post voted to sponsor the Riders Chapter and the Chapter by-laws were accepted. Rick Vasquez and Dudley Thompson will be Road Captains.
- The Post donated the \$500 received from Indiana Post 331 “Bikers and Friends of Bikers United for Tornado Relief in Oklahoma”. The money was used to help folks devastated by the May tornadoes.
- The Riders Chapter voted to auction the quilt during the Legacy Run and donate the money to the Legacy run.
- The Post voted to donate \$1000 to the Legacy Run, The Auxiliary will donate \$500, and the SAL will donate \$100. The Aux and SAL will reimburse the Post for their part of the donations as the SAL and AUX checkbooks were unavailable.
- Sept 7, Poker Run to benefit Ralph Branham, held at Half-time sports bar and grill.
- A plaque was presented to Past Commander Wicker in recognition of Post service.
- The Riders gained new member Dennis Bryant and Sally Critz.
- POW MIA Chair Retired –
- Closing Prayer – Chaplain

- Flag Salute
- Adjournment at 8:45pm

YES NO Cmdr Mike Marxen  
YES NO Rex Warlick  
YES NO Mike Harris  
YES NO Steven Kling  
YES NO Doug Miller

YES ~~NO~~ Robbie Wicker  
YES NO Ian Adams  
YES NO Rick Spencer  
YES NO Barbara Miller