

American Legion Riders 1340

General Membership Meeting

May 11, 2021 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 1340 Meeting Minutes

Minutes for American Legion Riders 1340 meeting on May 11, 2021 Meeting held at American Legion Post 12, 6101 NW 50th Street; OKC, OK

- > Commander Marxen opened the meeting at
- > Prayer Chaplain Mike Harris
- ➤ POW/MIA Chair Ceremony Sgt at Arms John Mockles
- ➤ Pledge of Allegiance
- > Recitation of Preamble
- ➤ Present: 9 members, 1 guest
- Finance Report: Current bank balance \$3158.57

ALR1340 Bank	Balance as of:	May 11, 2021		
	YTD		Expenditures	Deposits
BOY Balance	\$1,893.46	D - Donations	\$0.00	\$0.00
Deposits	\$2,120.81	All Fundraisers	\$500.00	\$1,788.81
Expenditures	\$855.70	O - Operating Exp	\$259.70	\$100.00
Current Balance	\$3,158.57	R -Regular Dues	\$96.00	\$232.00
		S - Son's Dues	\$0.00	\$0.00
		Total:	\$855.70	\$2,120.81
		Fundraisers		
		F - Fundraiser	\$0.00	\$292.81
		G - Gun Raffle	\$500.00	\$140.00
		L - Legacy Run	\$0.00	\$1,081.00
		T - Legacy Run T-Shirt	\$0.00	\$100.00
		X - Legacy Run Reg	\$0.00	\$175.00
			\$500.00	\$1,788.81

- > Special Olympics donation letter received. \$200 donation approved by members present.
- ➤ Guest and transfer applicant Teddy Roberts was introduced and welcomed. Teddy is an Army vet and will be transferring to us from Post 170.
- ➤ May 15th Armed Forces Day and Shriners Parade begins at 10am. Parade lineup begins at 8am. Check-in point is at Howard Memorial Baptist Church, SE corner of Reno and Sunnylane Rd between 8 and 9am.

Parade route will be south on Sunnylane Rd. to S.E. 29th and east on 29th to Vickie St.

- ➤ May 15th Lions Club has requested help with flag placement at Lake Hefner. Interested members should meet in the restaurant overflow parking NLT 7:35 am. Exit Britton Rd. from Hefner Parkway, turn towards Hefner Lake and restaurants. At stop sign turn left and follow road to overflow parking lot.
- ➤ May 22nd Post 13 and 157 Fish Fry from 11:00 to 3:00 at 4502 Event Center 4502 NE 23rd St. Entry fee is a \$10 donation. **Interested members** will meet in the south Capital parking lot at 11am.
- ➤ Monday, May 24, 1730 National Commander Meet & Greet, Oklahoma American Legion Post 12, Oklahoma City, OK. *Commander escort to Post 12 is being explored and further info will be emailed and posted.*
- ➤ Kansas State Legacy Run: June 10th-12th. Riders leaving OKC will meet at noon on the 9th at the OnCue, SW corner of I-35 & East 15th, Edmond.
- ➤ New Post 1340 mailing address:
 - American Legion Riders Post 1340
 - P.O. Box 22592
 - Oklahoma City, OK 73123-1592
- ➤ Boys State has open slots Juniors and Seniors can attend. 29 May-June 5, 2021. If you would like to nominate someone for attendance you can find more info here: Boys State / Boys Nation | The American Legion. Post 1340 will pay the registration fee, \$275, for qualified delegates.
- ➤ July 8th -10th OK Legacy Run planning is in it's final stages. Check out the registration info on our web site and check back frequently for any changes. Early registration by July 1st will include a free T-shirt.
- ➤ Summer Convention July 16th -18th Banquet July 17th Can make reservations now reservations now by notifying the <u>adjutant</u>. More info at <u>Veterans Oklahoma The American Legion Department of Oklahoma</u> (okamlegion.org).

- ➤ Post 12 activity: (Post 12 FB Page)
 - May 14th Cornhole tournament
 - May 21st Spaghetti Dinner (volunteers needed 4 to 6 & 6 to 8pm)
 - May 26th Coffee with a Vet / Job Fair / Blood Drive / Free mobile health screening available to anyone interested!
 - Post 12 Food pantry needs donations. Contact <u>Dee</u> for needed items.
 - SWEET VIDALIA ONIONS fundraiser. See FB page for info.
 - Versabar Corp is donating the installation of a fire pit and seating on the Post 12 property. Plans are underway and additional info will be coming.
- ➤ Meeting adjourned at approximately 8:05pm
- ➤ Next meeting, June 8th.
- ➤ Closing Prayer Chaplain Mike Harris
- > Flag Salute
- ➤ Meeting closed

YES / NO - Mike Marxen
YES / NO - Mike Harris
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YES / NO - John Mockles
YES / NO - Rick Vasquez
YES / NO - Andrew Berrigan