



**ANDERSON JORDAN
DETACHMENT # 1078
MINUTES / MEETING OF
05/3/2022**

1. Sr Vice Commandant Anick Wallace called the meeting to order at 1800 followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and opening prayer. The meeting was opened for official business by the Sergeant at Arms and one rap of the gavel by the Sr Vice Commandant.
2. Chaplain's Report by Bob Shearin: let us keep the following members in our prayers; Barbara Geisler, Tom Drumm, Jim Simpson's wife, Courtney, and Earl Ward and his wife, Virginia. Let us pray for strength and guidance for all members and their family members.

HONOR GUARD COMMITTEE

1. Bill Lamar has drafted the Honor Guard Procedures for the Detachment and Simon Dean passed out a copy to all members present. This draft is pending Commandant Ed Stutler's review/input.
2. Associate Member Gwenson Crutcher phone number 901-337-5485 is also a member of the Honor Guard.

OLD BUSINESS

1. Membership Report by Paymaster shows 51 members with 42 in good standing.
2. There were 10 Members in attendance.
3. Financial Report by Paymaster: \$6,661.63 in checking account.
4. Last month's meeting minutes and this month's meeting minutes will be posted on the web site. Tom Drumm has had computer problems and will get them to Bill Lamar ASAP.
5. Scholarship Committee: No applications have been submitted yet.

Ed Stutler has taken copies of applications to both schools. Update will be provided when Ed Stutler gets back from vacation.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Detachment Dinner for June is being planned. Tom Drumm is trying to get it at Wolf River Brisket Company. Updates to follow.
2. On May 13, 2022, there will be a groundbreaking ceremony for the new VA nursing home in Arlington, Tennessee.
3. Bill Lamar briefed on what happened at the State Convention this last weekend.
 - Trail of Honors at the Harley Davidson in Jackson Mississippi on May 21st and 22nd
 - At the Memorial Service, our deceased members Donald Bradley and Julian Lindley were honored.
 - Department dues have been increased to \$5. Paymasters are to ensure proper payment of dues or transmittals will be returned.
 - All forms are to be done electronically (i.e. Transmittals, ROI, Death Notice). This means typed and not hand written.
 - The next Department Convention will be hosted by L.P. McElveen, JR Detachment 1454 Diamondhead, MS
 - Our own Don Woodson received Recruiting Award (2nd and 4th Place)
4. **FUND RAISING:** Tom Drumm reported that our WalMart fund raiser raised \$1,165 on April 30, 2022.
5. **GOLF TOURNAMENT IN SEPTEMBER:** Anick Wallace and Tom Drumm reported that starting in June we will need as many members as possible to help with this project.
6. **VA HOSPITAL:** Anick Wallace reported that plans are in the works to bring back the coffee and cookies probably in June and a ceremony is planned for August when the VA Hospital turns one hundred years old.

Their being no further business to discuss, the meeting adjourned at 18:45 and the next meeting is June 7, 2022.