

**VVA Chapter 731 General  
Membership Meeting For  
June 3rd 2010**

Meeting Called to Order By: *Ran Jansen*

Pledge of Allegiance Lead By: *Ken Decker*

Prayer by Chaplain: *Ran Jansen*

Moment of Silence for POW's, MIA's, and Fallen Comrades

Introduction of Guests and New Members: Welcome home to Charles Rabenhorst, US Navy veteran. [ Not published last month ]

Approval of Minutes :

Treasurers Report by: *Mike Laughrin*

Secretary's Report and Communications: *Pete Schramm: Laura Mays, Agency Liaison for the Wisconsin Veterans Home at King, has asked to attend a future meeting for a short speech. I contacted her and she will attend our October 7th meeting.*

Vice President's Report: *Terry Johnson: Sign- up sheets are available for the summer picnic.*

President's Report: *Ken Decker: Donna Franz has accepted the position of Editor of the Commo Bunker newsletter .The newsletter will be available for free at the monthly meeting, or online at Vetsofamerica.org, or for \$12 per year, will be mailed to your home. Contact Donna with your address for home delivery.*

*Everyone is asked to bring a new member and their family with them to the picnic. Please remember to let Karen Seipel how many extra guests will attend.*

*A special Thank You goes out to Mike Demske for all his efforts to make LZ Lambeau the huge success it was.*

**Committee Reports**

Color Guard-Tom Hoffman: Airport Days June 5th; Flag Day ceremonies June 15th at the Manitowoc Elks Club at 6:30 pm.

Ed/Scholarship Tom Hoffman: VIETNAM DAY at both junior high schools, given in May were a huge success. Plans are to expand on the programs for next year.

Membership: 192 Total 155 Veterans 37 AVVA

Chaplain:

Web Site Coordinator: *Karen Seipel: Pictures from LZ Lambeau and Memorial Day are now on the website.*

Quartermaster: *Roy Tegan: The new "Terry Peterson" t-shirts are available from Roy .*

High Ground: *Jim Wilsman: The annual bike ride for the High Ground is coming up and once again this Jim's last year he will be participating. A donation has been budgeted from the chapter and there will be an additional sheet will be at the picnic for the August 6th event.*

Fundraising:

Finance and Audit:

Veterans Affairs:

Sick and Welfare:

AVVA Liaison: *Karen Seipel*

Dance Committee: *Roy Tegan: The search is still on for a band but Roy and company are getting closer.*

Old and Unfinished Business: Tom Hoffman would like to thank everyone who helped put flags out at Evergreen Cemetery for Memorial Day

New Business:

Motion Made and Seconded to Adjourn

50/50 Raffle Winner: ??

Next General Membership Meeting: No July meeting. Annual summer picnic, Aug 5th, Cabin #2, Lincoln Park, Manitowoc at 5:30 pm. Next meeting September 2nd

At the American Legion, 811A Jay St. Manitowoc, WI, @ 6.30p.m.