



American Legion
Department of Texas
Brown/Guest Post 30 Paris, TX

Meeting 16 Sep 2023

American Legion Brown/Guest Post 30 met at the Elks Lodge at 1000 hours.

Present: See attached list.

Sergeant at Arms posted Colors.

Chaplain made opening prayer.

Members recited Pledge of Allegiance.

All members recited the Preamble of the American Legion.

The Commander opened the Post to business.

Adjutant read roll call of Officers.

Commander	x	Vice Commander	x
Adjutant	x	Finance Officer	x
Judge Advocate	x	Historian	x
Chaplin	x	Sgt at Arms	x
Service Officer	x	Trustee 1	x
Trustee 2	ux	Webmaster	ex

A quorum is present.

Previous Executive Board Minutes & Post Meetings minutes read and stand approved.

Introduction of Guests/Prospects & New Members:

Charles Eaves (Amys Grandson)

New Applicants: N/A

Report of Officer's & Committees:

- Americanism Committee – none.
- Membership & Post Activities – see attached.
- Budget & Financial Report – see attached.
- Ways & Means Committee – Fair this weekend working on new fundraising ideas and location.
- Veterans Affairs & Service Officer – see attached

- Media & Communications Committee – press release for Lions Club and post working together to raise awareness and funds a the fair sent and published.

Balloting on Applicants: N/A

Sick Call, Relief, and employment by Chaplain: Samantha father needs Prayers, Bill Taylor and wife need prayers,

Unfinished Business? Reminder to sign up volunteer at Fair.

Initiation of Candidates: N/A

Correspondence by the Adjutant: Thank you letter received from Paris Fire Department for our donation to the children fire education program.

New Business? Resolutions submitted by Service Officer presented to post by Judge Advocate. Motion made by Adjutant and seconded by Judge Advocate to table the resolution until issues with format etc. is completed.

Unanimously passed.

Good of the Legion?

- Announced the creation of a digital newsletter.
- Started a ham radio club at no cost to Post.
- We have started a program for post members to attend city council meetings in the area.
 - Wear Service Cap, preferred or post cap.
 - Legion shirt, prefer with stars and stripes.
 - Look for opportunities to help and volunteer manpower to bring back to post.

There being no further business:

- The Chaplain gave the closing prayer.
- Sgt of Arms retired colors.
- The Commander adjourned the meeting at 1115.
- Next meeting will be 21 Oct.



Wyndell Ferguson
Adjutant



Bill Townsend
Commander