

Backus American Legion Auxiliary
March 28, 2022 Minutes

Advance Colors - Patty Smith
Prayer - Sue Koska
Pledge of Allegiance
Preamble to the Constitution
16 members present

The February 28, 2022 minutes were reviewed and approved as presented.

The Treasurer Report for February 28,2022 were and approved as presented.

Membership: Our goal was 98 and we now have 102 paid members. Our Legion has the top memberships for Auxiliary, SAL and Legion within all of District 6.

Correspondence:

- A request from the Grad Blast Committee at PRB High School was received. A discussion was held as to what the committee does for the high school seniors. It was voted that we will donate \$500.00.
- A letter from Barb's niece was read. She is no longer able to purchase gifts for our kids parties. We appreciate all of the help she has given us over the years!

Old Business:

- New auxiliary shirts will be ordered. Sign up for a shirt stating your size. Costs run \$18-\$20.

New Business:

- Auxiliary Breakfast's will start again in April. Rachel and Deb will be co-coordinators. Please contact one of them if you are able to help out.
- We will not be holding a "welcome back snowbirds" event this year.
- The Auxiliary Head Office would like a Tracking Sheet from each member. Please fill one out and hand it in to Judy this evening. This will include volunteer hours.
- Volunteers for the SAL fish fry are needed. This event will be held on Friday, April 15, 2022.
- Volunteers for the March 20, 2022 luncheon for the District Meeting and Lunch. See Scott Smith if you are able to help out.

- The Easter kids party will be a drive-thru this year. It will be held on Saturday, April 9th. If you are able to help stuff bags please arrive at the Legion at 9am. The drive-thru will take place from 11:00-12:00 or until gone.
- We will need replacements for the Secretary, 1st Vice and Sergeant at Arms positions. See Judy Deibel if interested.
- We will be serving sandwiches on Friday nights, alternating with the SAL and Legion.
- We are holding our Corn Fest Raffle this year. Prizes are needed. Please contact Lori Bartholomay if you know of a business that would like to donate. We will be ordering 2,500 tickets this year, green in color.

Other Business:

- We are looking to update the flower garden this year.
- The community dinner has seen more need recently. A couple of weeks ago they served 125 meals in 20 minutes. Food shelves are in need.

No other business:

Prayer - Sue Koska

Silent Prayer

Retire Colors -Patty Smith

Meeting Adjourned at 7:41pm

Secretary: Lori Bartholomay