

173rd Airborne Brigade Association
Chapter 18, Bi-Monthly Meeting , 1300hrs
14 Apr. 2012, VFW Post 5263, Lawton, OK

Meeting was brought to order by Pres. Don Walton.
Pledge of Allegiance to the flag was rendered by all members present.
Chaplin Perez cited the opening prayer.
Treasurers Report given by Ed Perkins, \$1585.77
The old minutes were reviewed by all present. Minutes were accepted.

The floor was opened to old business:

1. Roy Scott could not attend due to Germany Trip.
2. June meeting discussed again, date was moved back to June 16th due to National Reunion.
3. We could not verify the treasurer had transferred 10% of General Fund to Memorial Scholarship Fund.
4. Copies of Chapter By-Laws was given to all members present. Chapter By-Laws are located on the Chapter Webpage.
5. It was reiterated that nominations for the Carl Baldwin Scholarship Fund will be accepted at the June 2012 meeting.

Floor opened to New Business:

1. Discussion on Jumping with the WWII jump team floored. Those wishing to inquire farther can contact George Tabor at <http://wwiiadt.org/>
2. There was a general discussion of the up coming Reunion, activities/ accommodations/ ECT.
3. Decision was made to take Coins and St. Michael's Medals to Reunion. Don Walton will transport.

Note: After the meeting a buffalo skull painted with the 173rd patch was shown by Richard Perez. Need to find a place to display it.

The next meeting is as noted:

16 June 2012, 1300hrs at:
VFW Post 1317 Melvon Carnes Memorial Post811 E Macarthur St, Shawnee, OK
74804Phone: (405) 273-7098 or 273-3600

11 August 2012, 1300hrs at:
VFW Post 9265 A J "Rock" Hudson Post4605 S Pennsylvania Ave, Oklahoma City, OK
73119Phone: (405) 604-0264

13 October 2011, at 1300hrs at:
VFW Post 5263, General Lesley J. McNair Post
103 NE 20th St. Lawton, OK 73507
Phone: (580) 248-0713

Meeting was adjourned by President Walton, 1417hrs.

