

Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association Chapter 45-7

May Meeting Minutes

May 15 ,2022

Sheboygan, Wisconsin

Call Meeting to Order: 2 pm

Welcome: Trooper

Pledge of Allegiance: Creedence

Members: Steve "Chips" Wester, Michael "Freebird" Schmidt, Todd "Trooper" Brehmer, Pam "FreeFall" Carlson, Vicki "Demochic" Perry, Ken "Demo" Perry, Stephen "Doc" Wimmer, Keith "Creedence" Jenks, Cheryl "Lil Sis" Jenks, Andrew "Seabass" Swessel, Kia "Teapot" Swessel, Christine Wester. Loki visiting from 45-6.

Guest Speaker is representatives for Dogs 2 Dog Tags. The organization pairs veterans with a service dog and provides training. For more information the web site is www.D2DT.org.

Reports:

XO: nothing to report

Secretary: nothing to report

Treasurer: Expenses. \$314.33 paid to Alliant Energy for veteran electric bill.

\$150 change for Brat Fry.

Deposit for April 23 Brat Fry \$715.

Checking balance \$7042.64

SAA – nothing to report

Old Business

Brat Fry

May 14, 2022. Sheboygan Festival. Donations and sales totaled

Lakeshore Veteran's Run

Trooper secured 377th to present colors.

Freefall is working on door prizes and putting posters up.

New Business

Chapter by-laws. A committee of Creedence, Doc, Seabass and Freebird will work on this.

Demo suggests having a meeting in Marinette or northern area. Demo and Skinner will work on our September meeting.

June 18 meeting is at the Jenks' home. Meet at the Oshkosh Museum at 11 am. Museum will take about an hour. Keith is setting up our ride following meeting.

Meat raffle. Discussion about how many tickets to purchase. Steve made motion and Freefall seconded to print 1000 tickets. Price is \$20 a ticket, 6 for \$100.

Voting on national by-laws changes: Trooper led a discussion on the current CVMA by-law changes. Voting followed with the results listed below.

BLCP #1 – Removes Life Membership Attendance Exemption. 6 yea 1 nay.

BLCP #2 – Common Border Transfer Update. 1 yea 5 nay

BLCP #3 – FM Motorcycle License Requirement Update. 6 yea 0 nay.

BLCP #4 – Removes Sponsor for SUP Life Member. 7 yea 0 nay.

BLCP #5 – SUP Motorcycle License Requirement Update. 6 yea 0 nay

BLCP #6 – IGS Time Requirement for NBOD, RR, SR. 6 yea 0 nay

BLCP #7 – Regional Representative Election Clarification. 0 yea 2 nay 5 abstain

BLCP #8 – State Representative Clarification. 0 yes 1 nay 6 abstain

BLCP #9 – State Representative Service Clarification. 7 yea 0 no

BLCP #10 – Allows Temporary Appointment of State Representative. 5 yea 1 nay 1 abstain

Meeting Adjourned at 4:05.

After the meeting, Steve "Chips" Wester recorded motorcycle mileage and collected \$20 from each chapter member wishing to participate in the riding season mileage competition.