



## Meridian Post 4000

Meridian Senior Center - 1920 N Records Av  
Meets 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of month at Kleiner Park

Post website: [www.vfw4000.org](http://www.vfw4000.org)

### June 9<sup>th</sup> Meeting Minutes

#### Post Officers for 2019-2020

**Commander:** Troy Junier

**Sr Vice Commander/Adj:** Tammy Clement

**Jr Vice Commander:** Brian Puckett

**Quartermaster:** Terry Thomas

#### Post Auxiliary

**President:** Carol Williams

**Secretary:** Melissa Suekel

#### Upcoming Dates and Events:

**VA CLC Bingo** - CLC @ Veterans Hospital, Boise, ID - **Closed to public**

**Post Meeting** - July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2020 @ 7pm - 1920 N. Records Ave, Meridian Sr Center

#### Meeting Minutes for June 9, 2020 - Commander Troy was deployed, Sr Vice

Tammy opened the meeting.

7:01 pm - **Opening of Meeting** - by Sr Vice Commander, Tammy Clement.

7:05 pm - **Roll Call of Officers** - 7 Officers, 12 members.

7:07 pm - **Membership Applications:** 1 new member - William Perkins, WWII veteran.

7:08 pm - **Reading of the Minutes for May 19<sup>th</sup> Meeting** - minutes were unavailable, Commander Junier will complete and send out.

7:08 pm - **Quartermaster Report** - \$4,849.74 in checking, \$1,978.67 in savings. QM report unavailable to make a motion to accept.

7:09 pm - **Service Officer Report** - Draping of the Charter for 2 members will be in July for Bob Gray and Terry Kelbaugh.

7:11 pm - **Committees Reports** - Honor Guard: - to date 8 events have been scheduled, 5 confirmed, with 3 cancellations. Flag raising ceremony June 7<sup>th</sup> for Widow Mary Booth, Herbert Booth was a post member who passed in Nov 2018. HG monthly meeting will be held June 25<sup>th</sup> @ 6:30, 22 W Broadway.

-**CAR Report:** Members 24 Hours 77.95 Miles 362 Money/Donations \$168.52

-Do not forget to send your Community Activity Reports to Tammy by the 24<sup>th</sup>. If you miss the deadline send them anyway so they can get added to next month's report.

-Poppy Committee- Would like to have designated members assigned to assist with scheduling days and locations for the poppy drives.

-Post is currently at 85.38% for membership.

## Blessing of the National Home Prayer

7:13 pm - Recognition and welcoming of post member - Ron Martin

7:15 pm - **Unfinished Business** - Consolidation of Post 1173 is pending approval at the Department and National Level.

7:16 pm - **New Business - Election and Installation of Officers** - Nominations was held for Dan Ragland or Jim Mariman for District Surgeon. Terry Thomas made a motion for all seven delegate votes to go to Dan Ragland. Tammy 2<sup>nd</sup> the motion. Motion passed. -nomination for Terry Thomas for Post Chaplain was made by Brian Puckett. Motion passed.

7:18 pm - **Installation of Officers** was performed by PSC Terry Thomas. **Officers elected** are the following: **Post Commander:** Tammy Clement, **Sr Vice Commander:** Bob Wheeler, **Jr Vice Commander:** Brian Puckett, **Quartermaster:** Troy Junier, **Chaplain:** Terry Thomas, **Trustee 3 year:** Don Black, **Trustee 2 year:** Hugh Fryling, **Trustee 1 year:** Mike Clement.

- **Officers appointed:** **Adjutant:** Bob Wheeler, **Judge Advocate:** Gary Whitworth, **Surgeon:** Vernon Washington, **Service Officer:** Don Sechlar, **Guard/Officer of the Day:** Michael Clement.

7:22 pm - **Good of the Order** - Reviewed General Orders - discussed Commander Heyob will open State Convention meeting and then will close it due to not having the required quorum.

Reviewed June Power Breath Workshop - offered online Part 1 June 12-14, Part 2 June 19-21. Times for both parts: Friday 6:30-9pm, Sat & Sun 10am-12:30PM. Contact [Leslye.moore@pwht.org](mailto:Leslye.moore@pwht.org).

- Korean war marine veteran needs a room to rent for \$300 a month. Contact Mitzi Cheldelin at 208-780-1316.

- Boise VA needs drivers for the Nampa/Caldwell area. Drivers must pass a physical exam, and background check and is a non-paid position.

- According to the Ada County United Veterans Council, the Marine Corps Reserve will no longer have in-service programs beginning Sept 2021. Programs such as Toys for Tots will be no longer exist.

- Meridian Senior Center will be opening partially for lunch service only beginning June 15<sup>th</sup>.

- Bingo at the Boise VA CLC is still pending due to COVID.

- Bob Gray's funeral is scheduled for June 26<sup>th</sup> at 10:00am @ Idaho State Veterans Cemetery.

7:36 pm - **Closing Ceremonies** - the next meeting is July 14<sup>th</sup>, 2020.