



Monthly Luncheon Meeting Minutes
Tuesday, 1 December, 2015

Meeting called to order – Ken Curell

The Pledge of Allegiance – recited by all

Introductions – 24 attendees

Maj Couch introduced Cadet Alexander Woosley and Cadet Alexandyr Siemann who performed an armed exhibition drill

PRESIDENT’S REPORT – Ken Curell

- Updates - none
- Correspondence - none

SECRETARY’S REPORT – Vita Eonta

- Motion to approve Nov minutes was made by Ray Otto and seconded by Everett Odgers

TREASURER’S REPORT FOR NOV: - Bob Van Hook:

MAIN	\$61,135	\$2,088	\$232	\$59,279
EVENTS	\$2,500	\$0	\$0	\$ 2,500
TOTAL	\$63,635	\$2,088	\$232	\$61,779

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT – Everett Odgers – no report

ORGANIZATIONAL REPORTS:

- **88th ABW** – Col Elena Oberg
 - Holiday Tree Lighting Dec. 2 @ 5:30 p.m.
 - AF Band of Flight Holiday Concerts at the Dayton Masonic Center Dec. 5 & 6
 - AF Band of Flight Holiday Concert at the National Museum of the AF Dec 12th
 - DFAC Airmen Holiday Dinner—Dec. 16
 - AFMC Family Day Dec. 24
 - Gate Hours: Gate 1A new hours 0600-2200
 - Weather Alerts - The best way to get information about base closures and delays during the upcoming winter season is to sign up for weather alerts. You can find the link on the right side of the Wright-Patt web site, www.wpafb.af.mil; the link is on the right-side of the page under Inclement Weather Reporting. AFMC Alert “AFMC Alert” is Wright-Patt’s Emergency Mass Notification System which allows you to receive urgent notifications for emergency situations, such as severe weather, gate closures, base delays/closures, etc.
- **445th AW:** Col Ray Otto
 - Col Owen OG/CC was selected as the new wing commander of the 459 AW at Andrews AFB.
- **178th FW/OHANG:** Col Ray Otto
- **Cadet Operations** – Ken Curell
 - **AFROTC Det 643** – Lt Col Gary Denney – not present, report submitted
 - **Arnold Air Society** – Cadet Paul Danielson- not present
 - 4-18 November: Det 643 donated over 500 goods to Blue Star Mother’s,
 - 18 November: Funds collected by the McAllister’s fundraiser will be submitted to the Air Force Aid Society.
 - 21 November: Raiderthon: a 15 hour dance-a-thon raised money for Dayton Children’s Hospital
 - 09 December: Final Squadron Meeting: We will be holding staff elections for the spring staff;
 - 12 December: Candidate Training Concludes. have 6 candidates, looking to graduate all 6 based on their performance in the coming weeks. This would bring membership to 18.
 - The squadron staff is working diligently to set up service, professional development, and social events; contact Operations Officer, C/1st LT Sydney Marshall (wowsquad.do@gmail.com) if you need support
 - Any questions or concerns, contact Emma Remsen at emmaremsen@gmail.com or by phone (937.474.1431).

- **Silver Wings** – Cadet Lizzie Stoermer - not present, no report
- **Junior ROTC**
 - **Tecumseh** – Maj Couch
 - Tecumseh AFJROTC's enrollment has leveled off at 102 students
 - We are still preparing for our HQ inspection on 6 January (occurs every three years and similar to a formal IG inspection).
 - In November our cadets amassed an additional 10 community service events, with 122.45 hours.
 - Events included Veterans Day Color Guards at Tecumseh High School, Middle School, Donnelsville Elementary as well as New Carlisle Elementary.
 - In addition, we also attended our monthly VA Hospital visits with 4 Cadets, Honor Flight on the 7th of November with 15 cadets and volunteered for traffic control at the Honor Flight Reception Ceremony at the Clark County Fair Grounds on 22 November.
 - our unit has participated in 46 community service events with 1,069.45 community service hours!
 - On 5 November, our Cadets planned, organized and executed our Dinning In.
 - Our guest speaker Was Col Raymond Otto.
 - Our Cadets have raised over \$1,300 this year for local Needy Families
 - For the month of December - performing several Color Guard events, attend Wayne High School's Drill meet on 12 December, and the Wreath Laying Ceremony at the Dayton National Cemetery honoring our fallen for the Holidays.
 - **Bellbrook** – Sgt Chitwood – report not submitted
 - **Stebbins** – Maj Melvin Whitlow not present; no report
 - **Fairborn** – Maj Tony Rulli/Pam Gayheart not present; no report
- **Civil Air Patrol** – Ken Curell
- **Dayton Development Coalition** – Maurice McDonald not present, no report

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS:

- **Leadership Development/Awards** – Ron Georges
 - AFA wall at National Museum of the Air Force has not been updated with new award winners
- **Communications** – Tom Di Nino
- **Public Relations** – Libby Van Hook
 - Facebook and twitter accounts are growing
 - Please submit events you want to publicize
- **Community Partners** – Fred Pumroy –
- **Star Sponsors** – Kent Shin
 - Meeting with sponsors this week to see how we can respond to their needs
- **Membership** – Lt Col Richard Hughes/Betty Shellhorn- not present, no report
- **Aerospace Education** - Sharon Murner not present
 - The Education Action Team has selected Ms. Jill Weaver from Valley View as our Chapter Teacher of the Year
- **Programs** - Grace Thomas is new VP of Programs
- **Government Relations** – Pam Strickler - not present; no report
- **Veterans Affairs** – George Simons/Vita Eonta
 - AFA/AFSA Christmas party at the Dayton VA is Sat Dec 5
 - Buffalo Wild Wings is having another fundraiser Wednesday, 16 December
 - George and Vita attended the AFA program review with the VAVS
 - Our donations and volunteer hours decreased this year
 - Ryan Pleasants, Director Voluntary Services, wants to address our chapter again next year
 - Vita attended the ribbon cutting of the CT/MRI building-this will save the VA \$5 million/year
- **State of Ohio President** – Tom Koogler - not present, no report
- **AFA National Director at Large**– Kent Owsley –not present, no report

- **Communities –**
 - Ev Odgers – New Fischer House at the Dayton VA will have 16 bedrooms
- **Upcoming Events –**
 - 5 Dec – AFA/AFSA Christmas Party at the Dayton VA
 - 16 Dec – Buffalo Wild Wings Fundraiser
 - 5 February – February all members/star sponsors meeting

meeting adjourned

Submitted by:

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