



Monthly Luncheon Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, 2 February, 2016

Meeting called to order – Breck Woodard

The Pledge of Allegiance – recited by all

Introductions – 24 attendees

PRESIDENT’S REPORT – Ken Curell not present

- Updates none
- Correspondence - none

SECRETARY’S REPORT – Vita Eonta

- Corrections to the January minutes were announced
- Motion to approve January minutes was made by Dan Semsel and seconded by Everett Odgers; minutes were approved

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

ACCOUNT	BEGINNING BALANCE	EXPENSES	DEPOSITS	BALANCE
MAIN	\$60,103	\$8549	\$9897	\$61,451
EVENTS	\$2,500	\$0	\$0	\$ 2,500
TOTAL	\$62,603	\$8549	\$9897	\$63,951

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT – Everett Odgers

- Brochure for new Fischer House at the Dayton VA was sent out to everyone-please consider making a donation

ORGANIZATIONAL REPORTS:

- **88th ABW** – Col Elena Oberg
 - Efforts were made to limit back-up at entry gates during this week’s exercise
 - This week-end is the Super Bowl – keep safety in mind – don’t drink and drive
 - REAL ID – WPAFB is currently accepting driver’s licenses from all states as ID to enter the base
 - Article titled Conceal Carry on base authorized was incorrect – only specified persons are authorized conceal carry
 - AF Marathon is open for registration
 - Crack car windows at night, they can freeze, then causing back up at gate during ID checks
- **445th AW:** Col McGalliard-not present, no report
- **Cadet Operations**
 - **AFROTC Det 643** – Lt Col Gary Denney – not present
 - **Arnold Air Society** - C/Maj Emma Remsen
 - Our staff for Spring 2016 is as follows with corresponding contact information:
 - Squadron Commander: C/Maj Emma Remsen (wowsquad.cc@gmail.com)
 - Deputy Squadron Commander: C/Capt Jacob Perry (wowsquad.cd@gmail.com)
 - Chapter-Squadron Chief of Protocol C/Capt Paul Danielson (padanielson@cedarville.edu)
 - Operations Officer: C/1st LT Anthony Nguyen (wowsquad.do@gmail.com)
 - Support Officer: C/1st LT Jonathan Callewaert (wowsquad.ds@gmail.com)
 - Financial Manager: C/Capt Natalee Winton (wowsquad.fm@gmail.com)
 - Events – Meetings
 - 3 Feb First SQ meeting of the semester
 - 10 Feb – staff meeting
 - Events – Service Projects
 - 13 Feb – escorting for the Columbus VA Valentine ‘s Day Concert
 - 2, 14, 21, 28 Feb serving food at the Riverside Nazarene Church
 - 18, 20 February working at the Riverside Nazarene food pantry
 - ~~Events – fundraising~~

- 19 Feb - Nutter Center Parking
- 9 Mar - Nutter Center Parking
- End of Mar – Cadet Wing Uniform Raffle
- The squadron continues to work diligently to set up service events, professional development and social events. If there is anything the AFA needs assistance with, please feel free to contact our Operations Officer, C/1st LT Anthony Nguyen (wowsquad.do@gmail.com).
- If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to contact me by email (emmarensen@gmail.com) or by phone (937.474.1431).
- **Silver Wings** – Cadet Lizzie Stoermer
 - Lt Frank Patterson Chapter was elected to region staff for 2016-2017 school year
 - Five members from the chapter will oversee all the chapters in region IV (Ohio, Kentucky, Tennessee, Indiana, and Michigan)
 - This chapter also won outstanding chapter in the region
 - Organization fair at Wright State brought a lot of interest for Silver Wings; we are excited to bring new members into our chapter
 - NATCON 2016 is in Dallas, TX;
 - We are hoping to send several members which will better serve our region, AAS area and Region’s AFA chapters this year
 - We are currently working on fundraising opportunities to raise enough money to send eight cadets
- **Junior ROTC Tecumseh**– Maj Couch-
 - Tecumseh AFJROTC’s enrollment has leveled off at 99 students enrolled this school year.
 - We did very well in our HQ inspection. OH-881 earned an overall unit score of “Exceeds Standards”
 - Our cadets are off to a busy new year:
 - We continued our community events for the month of December with the Wreath Laying Ceremony at the Dayton National Cemetery
 - We have also elected to take on the wreath laying ceremony as a service project by donating \$1,000 (every 10 dollars is one and a half wreaths) to help add to the overall number of wreaths for this next ye
 - In January our cadets amassed 7 community service events, with 22.5 hours. Events included Scott-County Drill Meet and several Color Guards;
 - We attended our monthly VA Hospital visits with 4 Cadets.
 - Our unit has participated in 68 community service events with 1768.65 community service hours!
 - We continued our efforts to raise money for local Needy Families. Our Cadets raised \$1,746.97 this year. Since its beginning in 1996, we have raised over \$142,000 for 239 families and 717 children!
 - We are in FULL SWING operations for our 27th Annual AFA Wright Memorial Chapter 212 Sponsored Drill Meet.
 - We are anticipating over 19 schools, spanning several states.
 - We are soliciting presenters from the AFA to present this year.
 - We are passing around a list to gather T-shirt sizes for our AFA meeting members who would like one.
- **Junior ROTC Bellbrook** – Lt Col Longo – not present, no report
- **Junior ROTC Stebbins** – Maj Melvin Whitlow not present; no report
- **Junior ROTC Fairborn** – Maj Tony Rulli/Pam Gayheart not present; no report
- **Civil Air Patrol** – Ken Curell – not present; no report
- **Dayton Development Coalition** - Rachel Castle
 - The Dayton Region Military Collaborative held their first strategic planning meeting on Jan 22. It was well attended with productive outcomes established.
 - The DDC held their Annual Meeting, and in concert with the meeting, a representative from the Association of Defense Communities (ADC) was invited. The DDC is working to establish a closer relationship with ADC. The ADC COO attended and was impressed with how well the Dayton community works with the military.
 - Upcoming travel includes the AFA Symposium in Orlando and the Installation Innovation Forum in Charleston, where I will be a panel member during the Partnership workshop.

- **Leadership Development/Awards** – Ron Georges - not present, no report
- **Communications** – Tom Di Nino- not present, no report
- **Public Relations** – Libby Van Hook – not present, no report
- **Community Partners** – Fred Pumroy – not present, no report
- **Star Sponsors** – Kent Shin – not present, no report
- **Membership** – Lt Col Richard Hughes/Betty Shellhorn - no report
- **Aerospace Education** - Sharon Murner
 - We are working with our chapter's Teacher of the Year
- **Programs** - Grace Thomas - not present
 - Invitations went out to everyone for our annual members meeting – if you did not get one, let us know
- **Government Relations** – Pam Strickler – not present-no report
- **Veterans Affairs** – George Simons/Vita Eonta
 - 14 -20 February is Salute to Veteran Patients Week
 - Tuesday 16 Feb our chapter is distributing cupcakes and visiting with patients at the Dayton VA and during the pool tournament
 - Our chapter is collecting bus tokens; they are offered to stranded veterans when trying to get to or from their jobs or medical appointments.
 - Bring bus tokens to April meeting-we will present them to Director of Voluntary Services
 - Tokens are 10 for \$15.00 and can be purchased at most Fifth Third Banks
- **State of Ohio President** – Tom Koogler
 - AFA National
 - This is AFA's 70th Year Supporting Air Force Families
 - New issue of AF Magazine is available on line
 - 4th Quarter 2015 Activity & Financial Reports due 15 Feb
 - State of Ohio
 - State Teacher of the Year Initial input due 15 Feb
 - On 29 Jan met with L/C Rogers, Bowling Green State University ROTC,
 - On 26 Feb meeting with L/C Mullinax, Kent State University ROTC Detachment,
 - Meeting with Paul Lyons & WMC 212 leadership on Sat to discuss 2016 GLR Annual Meeting
 - Scheduled for 26/27 Aug 16 in local area
 - State of Ohio Annual Meeting – morning of 26 Aug
 - Met with Col Ray Otto & others to discuss better engagement with AFR & ANG - Way ahead being worked
 - Community Events
 - Dayton Region Military Collaboration Strategic Meeting held 22 Jan
 - Was well run with good mix of attendees from WPAFB units, VA, local organizations, and academia
 - Improving communications was a major concern by all. Watch for further updates.
 - DDC Annual Meeting held 26 Jan was outstanding with large number of attendees with many senior speakers.
- AFA National Director at Large– Kent Owsley –not present, no report
- **Communities** –
 - Beaver creek - City Councilman, Brian Jarvis will be speaking at NASIC Feb 24 at 10AM
 - Veterans Employment Connection – Dan Semsel reported that 614 veterans have been hired so far
 - All American Evening April 30th – Shiela reported that proceeds go to the Fischer House

meeting adjourned

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