



United States Army Warrant Officers Association

## **FORT LOWELL - APACHE CHAPTER**

### **- MEETING MINUTES -**

**FEBRUARY 11, 2013**



**Meeting called to order** at 1800 hours at the Metropolitan Grill by President Lindamood. The members rendered the Pledge of Allegiance. Invocation was given by CW2R Curtis.

**Quorum:** 24 active members; 8 proxies recorded - excluding officers; 6 members attending; quorum present.

**Secretary's Report:** CW2R John Curtis

The minutes of the January 2013 meeting were presented previously to all members electronically. Motion to accept made by CW2R Dickinson, seconded by CW3R Schmid and unanimously accepted.

**Treasurer's Report:** CW2R Lance Dickinson

Operating fund balance is \$1,474.87. Reserves in CDs are \$4,469.66 and \$1,161.69.

**President's Report:** CW4R Harold Lindamood

**Vice-President's Report:** CW2 Craig Dowdney No Report

#### **Committee Reports:**

CW2R Lance Dickinson continues to solicit for additional Awards Committee members. Members are encouraged to suggest promotion of any of the chapter's members accomplishments by sending their recommendations to Lance at [lance5467@msn.com](mailto:lance5467@msn.com).

CW5R Vinnie Baiocchetti reported that the Golf Committee spent 8 hours putting together 80 letters to potential donors, printing and signing letters, addressing envelopes, stamping and mailing. Vinnie reminds all of our members to approach all of the businesses that we frequent by utilizing the letters, information and forms he has sent each of us via e-mail.

#### **Unfinished Business:**

CW3R Ed Blankschen confirmed the April 6th date with SMSGT Mark Polanco for our members and spouses to tour the 162nd Fighter Squadron. Young adults may accompany their sponsors. Parking and additional instructions will be forthcoming after verification of RSVP totals. A separate announcement will be sent out via email requesting attendee numbers. Contacts are the undersigned and CW3R Blankschen at [blacklab44@msn.com](mailto:blacklab44@msn.com). Sergeant Polanco estimates the tour will last 1 to 1 1/2 hours.

The Scholarship application information contained on our chapter website <http://www.usawoa-ftlowell-apache.org/> has been updated. The meeting minutes, current information, photos, monthly meeting times and locations, as well as links to our scholarship and medal programs are available 24/7.

#### **New Business:**

#### **Good of the Order:**

**Adjournment:**

The Benediction was given by CW3R Art Schmid. CW5R Baiocchetti made a motion for adjournment, seconded by CW3R Blankschen, and passed at 1907 hours.

Our next meeting will be held 1800 hours, March 11th at Cody's Beef 'N Beans.

**Members Present:**

CW5R Vinnie Baiocchetti

CW3R Ed Blankschen

CW2R John Curtis

CW2R Lance Dickinson

CW4R Harold Lindamood

CW3R Art Schmid

**Guests Present:**

Eileen Baiocchetti

Bette Dickinson

Betty Lindamood

Jean Schmid

Respectfully Submitted,

CW2R John Curtis

Secretary

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