



Elk Grove/Laguna
American Legion Post 233
May 26, 2016 at Elks Lodge 2577

GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

1. Call to Order. Commander Henry Sanchez opened the meeting at 1904 hours.
2. Roll Call. Officers present were Commander Sanchez, 1st Vice Commander Bill Boles, 2nd Vice Commander Ted Daniels, Adjutant Kate Grunwald, Finance Officer Max Baumgartner, Service Officer Larry Sahota, Chaplain Thad Brown. And Past Commander Brent Kone Sergeant-at-Arms James Aubrey was excused. Drake Abendroth performed the duties of Sergeant-at-Arms.
3. First Order of Business: 1st Vice Commander Bill Boles moved and Second Vice Ted Daniels seconded the motion to suspend the normal Post meeting and activities and proceed with the installation of officers. The motion carried with one abstention.
4. Guest in Attendance: Commander Sanchez announced that before the installation of officer we would have guest introductions and a presentation by the Elk Grove Quilt Guild. Cathy Sansone and Sue Martin presented to Comrade Wayne Mallory a quilt of Valor.
5. Post Everlasting: A post everlasting ceremony was held for WWII veteran Lionel Morin.
6. Installation of Post 233 Officers. Sixth District Commander Will Williams presided over the Post 233 Installation of Officers. At the conclusion of the ceremony, Newly Installed Commander Sahota was presented the gavel and control of the meeting.
7. Award Presentation: Commander Sahota presented Appreciation award to Vince Bloom of the Lasher Auto Group for all the support they have given the post. Our meeting was then adjourned.
8. At the conclusion of the Post 233 Installation of Officers, President Ann Sanchez thanked her unit for the two years she has presided over Unit 233. She then introduced Past Sixth District Auxiliary President and Department Vice President and current candidate for Department President Wendy O'Brian. Vice President O.Brein then presided over the Auxiliary 233 installation of officers.
9. Following the conclusion of the Auxiliary 233 installation of officers, Commander Sahota presented Past Commander Sanchez with a plaque for his service as Commander for 2014-2015 and 2015-2016. The POW/MIA flag was then retired and the meeting was adjourned at 2022 hours.

Respectfully submitted,

Kate Grunwald, Adjutant
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