

THE AMERICAN LEGION HUNTINGTON BEACH POST 133
DEPARTMENT OF CALIFORNIA INC
January 13, 2021
MEETING MINUTES

This meeting held by Google Meet.

Commander McClish opened the meeting following Legion protocol.

- A. **Correspondence:** Bauer-we received letter from Tee it up for the Troops with a check for \$20,000.
- B. **Membership:** Dohrmann-440 paid member, plus two transfers this week.
- C. **Social:** Cmdr. McClish-coffee January 18, February 5 & 15 at Lake Park.
- D. **3rd Vice:** Brady-talked to 291 yacht club concerning 42' boat that can be used for events. Invited owner of Longboard restaurant to meet with us regarding meeting at Longboard.
- E. **Financial Report:** Focht-gave finance report.
- F. **Website:** Bauer-our website has been updated.
- G. **Oratorical:** Chun-we have two applicants. It will be the January 30. It will be virtual.
- H. **Korean Peace Medal:** Cmdr. McClish- need to get them in by the end of the month.
- I. **NewVision:** Cmdr. McClish-they want to volunteer with us. Read ideas.
- J. **Eagle Scout of the Year nomination:** Cmdr. McClish-Bauer to contact Troop 1 for a nomination.
- K. **OLD BUSINESS:**
 - 1. **Russ Paxton:** Bauer-we built a ramp for him. He passed January 3.
 - 2. **Boys State:** Chun-it will be a virtual meet, Jan. 16 to review our Jan. 30 interviews.
 - 3. **Cub Scout Pack 101:** Cmdr. McClish-Pinewood Derby will be held at Post 555 January 30.
 - 4. **SAL:** Dohrmann said we are at 100% of our goal. Post 291 gave us 250 Legion comic books.
- L. **New business:**
 - 1. **VA COVID-19:** The VA will contact patients for vaccine.
 - 2. **Helping Veterans:** Cmdr. McClish-helped with 37 requests, for 20 vets. Average cost per request was \$325. July-November total was \$12,000.
 - 3. **VRC:** Cmdr. McClish-VRC is closed. Need to continue helping veterans. Bauer suggested having them call a number and we can help from home.
 - 4. Meeting with Congresswoman Steel's deputy next week.

Dennis Bauer, Adjutant