



Sons of the American Legion Squadron 111

Cedar Hill, TX

General Membership Meeting

March 03, 2022 | 7:00 p.m.

I. Call to Order

The general membership meeting was called to order by Commander David Schneider at 7:00 p.m. at 952 N. Hwy 67 Suite 204, Cedar Hill, TX 75104.

II. Roll Call

1. Officers present for Roll Call: Commander David Schneider, Finance Officer / Sergeant at Arms Jan Cloud, 1st Vice Commander Richard Clements, and Adjutant David William Schneider. Members in attendance: Felix Lopez. Officers with an excused absence: Chaplain Ramon De Maria, and 2nd Vice Commander Thomas Dimsdle.
2. Colors were already displayed, and the American flag was saluted.
3. The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.
4. Richard Clements led the opening prayer.
5. The POW / MIA flag was already placed on the empty chair, and a moment of silence was conducted.
6. The Preamble was recited

III. Previous Minutes of the Last Meeting

There was a motion to accept the past meeting minutes without reading. Note: A copy of the minutes from 02/10/2022 is posted on the post111.org website.

In favor of approving: David Schneider, Jan Cloud, Richard Clements, and David William Schneider
Against: None

IV. Financial Report

The current finances of SAL Post 111 are \$2,066.36.

- Felix Lopez donated \$20.00 to the SAL at the meeting.
- National is supposed to be sending a refund for \$50.00 for messing up on our dues online.
- Commander Schneider submitted to Jan Cloud the receipt for the donations made to the VA Hospital.

V. Sick Call

Please pray for:

1. Roger Hill with Post 242 is in the hospital for another surgery.
2. Glory Margaret, David William's Mother-in-Law, who is undergoing chemotherapy for cancer.
3. Ramon's recovery from night blindness.

VI. Old Business

There was not any old business to discuss.

VII. New Business

1. **American Legion 5th District Spring Convention:** The American Legion 5th District Spring Convention will be held at the Duncanville American Legion Post 81 (418 Red Bird Lane, Duncanville, TX 75138) on 04/09/2022. The cost to register is \$25.00 per member which will be due by 04/01/2022. The cost covers Continental Breakfast and Lunch. Currently only Ramon DeMaria is interested in going to the Convention on behalf of Post 111.
2. **Chili Cook Off / Swap Meet:** Reminder that there is a committee meeting on Saturday, 03/12/2022 at Noon. Details of the upcoming Chili Cook Off and Swap Meet will be discussed, and the event date will be finalized or postponed due to the Spring Convention happening on the same day.

Note: Jan Cloud made mention at the meeting, that because we are a 501(c)3 non-profit organization, we have to get any SAL Event approved by the American Legion that involved raising money for donations. This is due to liability if anything should happen, and so we do not do anything to lose our 501©3 status. He was given a copy of our 02/10/2022 meeting minutes, and he will present it to the American Legion at their meeting on 03/08/2022.

3. **Volunteer Time Sheet:** All SAL Officers who were present submitted their February 2022 Monthly Time Report to David William Schneider who is keeping an ongoing record for the yearly SAL Consolidated Squadron Report. He will still need to collect the report from Ramon De Maria, and Thomas Dimsdle.

VIII. Adjournment

1. Richard Clements led the closing prayer.
2. The Colors no longer need to be retired. The American flag was saluted.
3. The meeting was adjourned at 7:27 p.m. by Commander David schneider.