

MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA
Huntsville, Alabama Chapter
General Membership Meeting Minutes
August 28, 2019

President CAPT Richard West opened the meeting at 1134 hours at The Summit Club, Redstone Arsenal, Alabama. There were approximately 62 members and guests in attendance.

Opening Prayer: LTC Wiggers

Pledge of Allegiance: CAPT West

Welcomes: CAPT West provided opening remarks and welcomed members and guests:

- New Member: COL Donald Baker
- Guests: Representative Mo Brooks, Tiffany Noel (Mo Brook's staff member), Connie Cecil, Glenn Kleffner, Ann Leide, Dorinda Marchetti, Vicky Nash, Sonja Nurmi, Sally Owings, Harvey Graf, Nick Bernhardt, Zelda Skezas, Bonnie Treadway, Patrick O'Hear
- Past Presidents: Lt Col Charles Clements and MAJ Bruce Robinson

Reports:

- Secretary's Report: The April and May meeting minutes were approved as written.
- Treasurer's Report: May, June and July reports were approved as written

Month	Opening Balance	Closing Balance
July	\$5,588.12	\$4816.06

- Service Concerns:
 - Army: COL James Treadway: NSTR
 - Navy/Marines: CWO4 Kubik: Semper Fi Task Force continues working Hero's week 6-12 November.
 - Air Force: Col Ed Uher: NP
- Legislative Issues: Lt Col Clements presented the following:
 - July CPI is 1.6%
- Membership: NSTR
- LMT: LTC Sam Scruggs is new LMT member.
- ROTC: (Vacant)
- Sentinel/Golf: Newsletter will be emailed soon. Golf planning meeting Friday, 30 AUG. We have a new Platinum sponsor.
- Public Affairs: NSTR
- Programs: SEP speaker is Ms. Rae Barthel, Activities Director for the Tut Fann Veterans Home.
- Hospitality: NSTR

- Surviving Spouse: Continuing to work on the list from MOAA National.
- Personal Affairs: NSTR
- Reports from VPs and Others: NSTR

President's Comments:

- Tut Fann BBQ on 1 June was successful
- MCC Super Sign up 22 AUG was successful.
- Next Governing Board meeting is 11 SEP.
- Next membership breakfast will be 14 SEP at the City Café Diner on Drake Avenue
- Next Golf Committee meeting is 30 AUG at 1200 at The Links at Redstone
- Next membership lunch is 25 SEP at the Summit Club at 1100.
- Golf Tourney 20 SEP.
- RAD is 25 October - briefings in the morning; health fair in the afternoon

Old Business: None

New Business: RAD/RAD Luncheon – Still working sponsors.

Comments from Membership: None


Guest Speaker: CAPT West introduced Congressman Mo Brooks who gave an interesting presentation and answered questions from the membership.

Closing Prayer: LTC Wiggers


Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 1245.

Submitted:

Approved by General Membership:


 Michael C. Barron
 Secretary, HCMOAA

Date


 Richard C. West
 President, HCMOAA

Date