



## American Legion Post 394

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The **March 13, 2025** meeting was called to order by First Vice Jim Weidner at 7:34 pm, with 16 members present.

New member William Green was introduced.

**Minutes** – Jerry Slater motioned to accept the February 13, 2025 minutes, seconded by Chuck Brust. Motion carried.

**Correspondence** – None

**Finance** – Nate Cianciola

Jerry Slater motioned to approve the Finance Report, seconded by Chuck Brust. Motion carried. The Bell Jar Report was approved with a motion made by Jerry Slater, seconded by Chuck Brust, and carried.

### Committee Reports

**Membership** No report

**Fellowship Room** No report

### **Post Activities**

Dan Zimmer's homecoming

Auxiliary meat raffle drawing is April 10<sup>th</sup>.

### **County**

There was a baked goods auction at the meeting and Dave Ares outbid Dave Madison for an elderberry pie.

**ALR** – Nate Cianciola

Food box delivery will be April 12<sup>th</sup> for 25 recipients.

**Boy Scouts** No report

**Service Officer** – Nate Cianciola

All were reminded of the new VA login.

**Boys State** No report

**Scholarship** No report

**Post Property** – Tim Huff

The cleaners need to be paid. Coles has been notified.

**Cemetery** – Tim Huff

Inspected the cemetery flags. Destroyed 405, saved 296. Aluminum increased price.

## **Colorguard/Firing Squad**

### **Americanism**

#### **Historian**

No meeting with Boy Scouts about wokism. Boy Scouts need to have a meeting about responsibilities.

#### **Chaplain/Sick Call**

Dean Sheffield had eye surgery.

#### **Unfinished Business**

George Russell and Jason Allen are attending Legion College June 6, 7 & 8.

Dick Baxter motioned to table the vote for chicken BBQ cost until Commander Pilc returns, seconded by Harold Stryker. Motion carried.

#### **New Business**

- May have a raffle June 20<sup>th</sup>
- Marion and Sodus are having gun raffles
- Rick Dunning might volunteer to do the chicken BBQ in May

**Legion Drawing** \$19.00 won by Dave Madison.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:04 pm.

#### **Please take moment to remember our shut ins:**

**Emmet Vanderburgh**, 5955 State Rte. 21, Williamson, NY 14589

**Larry Harrison**, 39 Carlton St., Sodus, NY 14551

**Don Hoffman**, DeMay Living Center, 100 Sunset Dr., Newark, NY 14513



Hello Auxiliary:

On March 13<sup>th</sup> we held our monthly meeting and 12 members were present. Our membership number online has remained the same. Denise reported that she has 2 more renewal and 1 new member application to send to Department. Thank you to everyone who has sent in their renewal and if you still have not done so there is still plenty of time. If you have any questions, please give either Denise or myself a call.

Jennie Carol and Sherryl met on February 28<sup>th</sup> to update the Constitution and Bylaws, which were presented at the meeting for approval.

Kim brought additional information on the scholarship and will get together with the committee to start work on this.

We have a EGS citizen YAY!!! Her name is Lia McArthur.

Mary gave us a Poppy update, she spoke to Paton's Market Place in Sodus and we are able to distribute there, Sarah also said we could set up a table in front of the Lettering Lounge during Apple Blossom. Mary will have a signup sheet with dates and times, if you would like to sign up, please contact her 315 589-4229.

Kim has gotten the meat raffle tickets printed and gave out some of them to members who wanted to sell them. Please bring sold tickets back to the fellowship room with her name on them. Drawing for this will take place on April 10<sup>th</sup>.

We spent about 20 minutes going over reporting. Please remember that reports are due to the county chairman by April 1<sup>st</sup>. I know this is a confusing process but do the best you can, I am looking into easier ways to get the information to our committee chairmen so that they can get it to the county. I have purchased the ALA Challenge Deck; the cards include examples on how we can engage with our programs. I also attended the 7<sup>th</sup> District Leadership Conference on the 15<sup>th</sup> of March and got some good information to share at our next meeting. Hopefully as we learn more, the reporting process will become easier.

I have been talking with our Legion Commander John, about having a Family Bake Food Auction, tentatively at our May meeting. I will provide more information next month.

The next county meeting is April 15<sup>th</sup> in Wolcott.

Thank you for everything you do to support our Veteran's.

For God and Country  
Sherryl Madison President  
Williamson Unit 394 ALA



**Meeting called to order:**

3/13/2025 Sons of the American Legion Squadron 394 meeting called to order by Brian Thiel at 7:21 PM

**Members in attendance:**

Brian Thiel, Stephen Hyde, Ron Dean, Greg Palis, Dave Madison, Baxley Boeggeman

**Officer Reports:**

Finance Report: by Greg Palis. accepted by Greg Palis, second by Stephen Hyde

**Other:**

- SAL Sunday breakfast 2/23/2025 served 115 adult patrons. Next breakfast is 3/30/2025

**Membership:**

-We are officially at 100% in membership. We also welcomed our newest and youngest member Baxley Boeggeman. Baxley is the ripe old age of 5 years old and by joining is officially on his way to becoming a young leader in our community with the guidance of his parents and grandparents. Welcome Baxley, If you know someone or if you yourself would like to join the SAL please call the American Legion post and leave a message. Someone will get back to you.

**New Business:**

-Brian Thiel asked for a donation to put an advertisement in the Apple Blossom flyer which was accepted by Steve Hyde and seconded by Greg Palis

-Greg Palis brought up the SAL cooks and served the dinner at the June meeting. There will be a sign-up list for the dinner in the usual places and all supplies will be picked up at Paton's. Accepted by Brian Thiel seconded by Ron Dean.

**Old Business:**

2025 SAL BREAKFAST DATES

March 30, 2025

April 27, 2025

Motion to adjourn meeting by Baxley Boeggeman @ 8:05 pm seconded by Ron Dean

Commander:	Paul Scheuerlein	Finance Officer:	William Mckinstry
1st Vice:	Brian Thiel	Adjutant:	Brian Thiel
2nd Vice:	Bill Pinkerton	Seargent at Arms:	Steve Hyde
3rd Vice:	Ron Dean		