

## **American Legion Post 394**

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#### **TRUSTEES**

Tim Huff '27

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Dave Madison '25

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Bill Gleichauf '26

919-475-3703

#### AMERICAN LEGION

#### **RIDERS**

Mark Sorenson 910-389-5807

## POST PHONE

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The **May 8**, **2025** meeting was called to order by Commander John Pilc at 7:50 pm, with 23 members present.

Prior to the meeting there was a baked goods auction and \$405.78 was raised.

**Minutes** - Dave Madison motioned to accept the April 10, 2025 minutes, seconded by Nate Harold Stryker. Motion carried.

## **Correspondence** - Sue Brennessel

An email was received from Wayne County Public Health asking if the Post would be willing to be identified as a cooling center location for the summer. Bill Gleichauf motioned to decline the request, seconded by Dick Baxter. Motion carried.

#### Finance - Nate Cianciola

Dave Madison motioned to accept the finance report, seconded by Bill Gleichauf. Dave Madison motioned to accept the Bell Jar report, seconded by Bill Gleichauf. Motions were carried.

## **Committee Reports**

Membership - John Pilc

We are at 97% per the county. A list of members who are unpaid was read off.

#### Fellowship Room - Bill Gleichauf

Support would be appreciated.

#### Post Activities - John Pilc

Chicken BBQ is May 17th. Help will be needed.

## County - John Pilc

Meeting is May 13th in Ontario.

#### ALR - Mark Sorenson

Next food box delivery is June 28<sup>th</sup>. Chip Levan from Marion passed away and the PO box for donations to be sent to the Riders in his obituary was incorrect. Any donations received should be forwarded to Mark.

#### Boy Scouts - John Pilc

David Maynard's Eagle Scout ceremony is in June.

## Service Officer - Nate Cianciola

Samantha Wilson is back at the County Veteran's Service Agency as director.

#### Boys State - Dave Madison

School notified that 3 boys are interested but it's too late. Spoke with the guidance counselor and they're going to speak about Boys State and Girls State during forum at school so students know about it earlier.

## **Scholarship** - Dave Madison

Don't have names yet. He'll forward them to the Executive Committee once he does.

#### Post Property - Tim Huff

- Grandpa's put stone around the flowers and the rock out front
- Cleaned out the shed and took scrap to Alpco
- Cleaners need to be paid for April

## **Cemetery** - Tim Huff

The flags are out except for Lake View Cemetery. The Scouts will be helping with that this week.

## Colorguard/Firing Squad - Tim Huff

- Meet at the Post Saturday, 5/17 at 1:30 for the Apple Blossom parade
- Memorial Day is Friday, 5/30
- Can use volunteers for subs on firing squad
- Have 3 funerals in June
- Need a new chaplain

#### Americanism - Tim Huff

School vote is coming up. Get out and vote! Only about 500 people show up to vote. It affects our taxes.

#### Historian - Tim Huff

The German Third Reich signed an unconditional surrender 80 years ago on May 7, 1945.

## Chaplain/Sick Call - No report

## **Unfinished Business**

 Pass the word – will need help with the chicken BBQ. 6 pm on Friday and starting at 11 am Saturday.

## New Business

Elections

Dave Madison was nominated for Commander by Robert Madison, seconded by Chuck Brust. Nomination accepted.

Wil Harding was nominated for First-Vice by Dave Madison, seconded by Shawn Contant. Nomination accepted.

Dave Ares was nominated for Treasurer by Nate Cianciola, seconded by Dick Baxter. Nomination accepted.

Robert Madison was nominated for Third-Vice by Dave Madison, seconded by Dick Baxter. Nomination accepted.

John Pilc was nominated for Trustee by Bill Gleichauff, seconded by Nate Cianciola. Nomination accepted.

George Russell motioned to accept the slate of officers, seconded by Harold Stryker. Motion carried.

## **Legion Drawing** John Ferrante won \$28.00.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:34 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



### **Happy Spring Auxiliary**

On May 8<sup>th</sup> we held our monthly meeting. 13 members attended. We have reached our membership goal for this year and received a Certificate of Participation at our last county meeting. If anyone has yet to send in their renewal there is still time and will still count in this year's numbers. Prior to our meeting we held a Legion Family Bake Food Auction a big thank you to everyone who participated in this fund raiser. We raised \$405.78 we will decide at our next meeting where we will be donating these funds.

We held nominations for next years officers, which will be voted on at our June meeting. Sherryl Madison President, Denise Palis 1<sup>st</sup> Vice, Kim Murphy 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice, Sarah Jacobs Secretary and Shelly Ferry Treasure.

Spring Conference will be held on May 31<sup>st</sup> in Phelps. Sherryl Madison and Carol Steaderman will be attending. Convention call is expected at anytime when this arrives, we will need to decide who our delegate and alternates will be.

Scholarship applications are still coming in.

Mary Marritt still has a few openings if anyone would like to help with the Poppy distribution, give her a call at 315 589 4229 if you would like to sign up.

The Legion will be holding a chicken BBQ on Saturday May 17<sup>th</sup>. They will be needing some help on Friday the 16<sup>th</sup> around 6 pm and with serving on Saturday which begins at 4. Any questions give Dave Madison a call 585 303 2964.

Memorial Day Parade Friday the 30<sup>th</sup> meet at post at 6:00 step off at 6:30. White Shirt blue pants (preferably no jeans)

Our next meeting will be June 12<sup>th</sup> this will be the annual steak dinner if you plan on attending you must sign up. You can do so at the Legion. Flag retirement ceremony will take place after dinner.

Our next county meeting will be May 20<sup>th</sup> in Macedon. Coffee and Dessert 6 meeting 6:30. Our Memorial Service will take place during this meeting.

Also don't forget that 7<sup>th</sup> District homecoming will be June 21<sup>st</sup> at the Marion Post. RSVP required.

Thank you for everything you do and have a wonderful day.

Sherryl Madison, President
Williamson Unit 394 American Legion Auxiliary



## **Meeting called to order:**

5/8/2025 meeting called to order by Paul Scheuerlein

#### **Members in attendance:**

Brian Thiel, William McKinstry, Baxley Boeggeman, Greg Palis, Paul Scheuerlein

## **Officer Reports:**

Finance Report: by William Mckinstry. accepted by Greg Palis, second by Steve Hyde.

#### Other:

Breakfast on 4/27/2025 had 109 adults. This was our last breakfast until fall. Thank you to everyone that came out and helped support the SAL.

#### **Membership:**

We have one member new member who has transferred to our post and another in the process of joining as a new member.

#### **New Business:**

The SAL is looking into putting a new roof on the storage building. The roof is leaking and before the building goes into disrepair again we would like to fix it. Looking into prices on metal roofing. This repair would ensure that a long lasting fix to this building for years to come.

#### **Old Business:**

The Sal is serving and cooking the steak dinner at the final meeting of the year on June 12,2025. Please sign up in advance so we can get a count on how many steaks to get. The cost this year is 10.00 per person. There is a sign-up sheet in the bar at the legion post or you can contact the legion and leave a message.

Motion to adjourn meeting by Billy Mckinstry @ 8;45 pm seconded by Baxley Boeggeman

Commander: Paul Scheuerlein 1st Vice: Brian Thiel 2nd Vice: Bill Pinkerton

3rd Vice: Ron Dean

Finance Officer: William Mckinstry

Seargent at Arms: Steve Hyde Adjutant: Brian Thiel