

GIFTS TO THE YANKS COMMISSION MINUTES

April 8th, Department Headquarters

Ron Umdenstock, Chairman

The meeting was called to order at 10:00a.m. Roll Call of Division Chairmen, present, 1st Div., Joe Hedrick, 2nd Div. Jeff Cox, 3rd Div. John Gleckler 4th Div. Ron Umdenstock and 5th Div. France (Dutch) Jancek,

Guest Mike from Minerva Promotions, Gloria Jancek, and Special Guest Past Gifts To The Yanks Chairman Larry Crone, Commander Cheri Stanton, and Vice Commander Bob Henderson stop by to say hello and words of wisdom..

Discussed orders, it is ok to order early to save on price increases. Try to cut on inventory this year. All orders must be in by November 1, 2017

All gifts ordered will be filled when received. Any addition or correction to the orders will be submitted in writing and filled by GTTY Department Chairmen.

Due to failing donations we will be cutting down on orders, will not be excepting orders for Independent Living Homes or homeless shelter.

No out of state nursing homes or VA Hospitals, Iowa, Missouri. Indiana and Wisconsin, this includes John Cochran, Jefferson Barracks and Iowa City.

All gifts should be delivered by Legion Family Members.

After a long discussion, the chairman will update the rules and regulation and submit to commission for approval and put on web site.

Minerva Promotion will create a spot for Chad Woodburn to put on web to help promote program.

Chairman reported on what it cost to run the program last year \$182,188.48

at present, there is Approximately \$123,000 for the 2017 year.

Full report will be in convention book

Motion by John Gleckler 2nd by Joe Hedrick all Approved.

Chairman to email Rules and Regulation to all chairman for suggestions and/or approval .

Next Meeting Convention Thursday July 13, 2017 at GTTY Booth noon.

Motion to adjourn by Joe Hedrick all approved.