

National Naval Officers Association Quantico Chapter



Monthly General Body Meeting Minutes 13 September 2006 @ The Clubs of Quantico

I. CALL TO ORDER @ 1718

- a. Prayer - Major Williams
- b. Welcome/Recognition of Guests - LtCol Clements; Attendees- see attached.

II. REVIEW

- a. Meeting Minutes (12 July 2006) - Moved and seconded to accept July meeting minutes.

III. EXECUTIVE BOARD REPORTS

- a. Treasurer- report provided by **Capt Reeves**. \$4,777.71 Expense acct; \$1,025.16 in the Scholarship acct. 14 members paid local dues this period.
- b. Membership- **Capt Armour** read the NNOA mission statement and distributed the membership application to all attendees. Nat'l and local membership for company grade is \$75.00 and field grade is \$125.00. Life membership- \$750.00;
- c. Chaplain- on TAD. **LtCol Clements** stated that more word to come on our first church visit.
- d. Public Affairs – **Capt Ayres** reported that the article due date for the newsletter is 20 September.
- e. Webmaster- on TAD. No report given.
- f. Secretary- **LT Simpson** read thank you letter from Ms. Brianne Connolly, one of this year's scholarship recipients, who is attending Duke University.
- g. Vice President- **Maj Everly** reported to the GB that the EB had a 6 hour planning meeting on 23 August. NNOA calendar planned out to Jan 07 is posted on the website and will be updated around the 15th of every month.
- h. President- **LtCol Clements** stated that he is very encouraged by the number of attendees. Roundtable- all in attendance introduced themselves

IV. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Annual Picnic (12 August) - Capt Armour/ Capt McNair- reported a successful turn out. Recent promotions- **Major Williams, Major Guice, and Capt McEachin**
- b. TBS Mixer (6 Sept) - **LtCol Clements** reported that although late notice, there were 4-5 members in attendance. Reiterated that NNOA is here for the professional development of all sea services.
- c. Scholarship Committee Meeting (7 Sept) - Major Loney/Capt Martin- minutes from 12 Sep committee meeting distributed to the GB. Introduced to members both the benefits and concerns of affiliating with the national **Dollars for**

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Scholars program of Scholarship America. Our chapter could be the first NNOA chapter to partner with the Dollars for Scholars program. The President's goal (LtCol Clements's) is to raise \$50,000 in scholarship revenue.

V. NEW BUSINESS- Solicitation for volunteers

A. Chapter Standing Committees/ Chairpersons

- Audit- **Major Everly** reported that this committee requires 3 members and functions once a year. It is put together by the President around May time frame. Volunteers- Mrs. Keisha Warner and Major Williams
- Membership- **Capt Armour** reported that one of this committee's goals is to increase membership by reaching out to more retirees and other sea services (particularly Navy). Volunteers- CWO Washington and Major Flagg.
- Budget/Finance- **Capt Reeves** reviewed the proposed annual budget for 2007 that begins 1 Oct. Moved and seconded to accept the proposed budget. Volunteer- Capt McEachin.
- Scholarship Committee- **Capt Martin** reported that this committee will require more volunteers than the 7 proposed at the annual planning meeting. Additional three volunteers- Major Warner, Capt McEachin and Capt French.
- Social/Fundraising- **Major Everly** stated that the chair for this committee will have the responsibility of planning the chapter's fundraisers, social. Volunteers- Major Flagg, Capt McNair, CWO2 Jones, Capt Gill and Capt Gaines.

B. Chapter Programs/ Coordinators

- Adopt-A-Highway- Major Warner passed around the flyer for the next Adopt-A-Highway scheduled for 23 Sept. The coordinator for this chapter program will be responsible for picking up supplies from VDOT and making any flyers.
- Adopt- A-School- Major Warner introduced two options for our adopt-a-school program- stand alone or a base public affairs office sponsored program. Other considering factors are tutoring (once/wk) vs. mentoring (once/month). This program will require 10-15 volunteers. Moved and seconded that our chapter will utilize a base PAO sponsored adopt-a-school program. Next meeting- decision on which school to attend.
- PME- Major Williams reported to stand by for more word on this quarter's PME.

VI. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- a. Member recognition- The following individuals were recognized for distinguished service during the annual NNOA conference- Major Loney, Capt Reeves and LT Simpson.
- b. LtCol Harrison announced that on **20 Sept @ 1500** there will be a logisticians PME at TCAQ; the new Commandant of the Marine Corps, Gen Conway, asked

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about NNOA membership and the 2007 NNOA annual conference is set to be in San Diego, CA. Details to come.

- c. Calendar Updates
 - o Modern Marine Day Expo- **12-14 September**
 - o MCA Ground Dinner @ 1800- **21 September**
 - o Scholarship Committee Mtg- **20 September**
 - o Adopt-A-Highway- **23 September @ 0800**, Commuter Lot, Front Gate

VII. ADJOURNMENT @1818

- a. Next General Body Meeting: **Wednesday, 11 October 2006 @ 1700 (TCAQ)**
- b. Benediction - Chaplain