## WreathsForTheFallen.org

## **Monthly Meeting via Conference Call**

## **February 12, 2013**

The February monthly meeting for WreathsForTheFallen.org was held via conference call on Tuesday 2-12-13 at 7:00 pm.

The conference call originated at 7:00 pm moderated by John Thomas.

Those participating in the call were John Thomas, Bob Larson, Bill & Fran Kokett, Ron Robbins, Carrie Johnson, Mykel Barthel, Norv Pervier and Robert "Fuzzy" Christen.

**Treasurer's Report:** Ron Robbins reported that on 1-31-13 the checking account had a balance of \$2,231.19.

**Wreath Removal Recap:** All wreaths that we placed in December were removed on February 2<sup>nd</sup>. 3244 wreaths were removed - in record time - by many good helpers. Photos are posted on our web site. Following the removal of wreaths there was an Unserviceable Flag Ceremony performed by the Little Falls American Legion at the cemetery in which old unusable flags were disposed of properly. Photos of that ceremony are also on the web.

**New Telephone/Internet Provider:** Consolidated Telephone is now our new provider for telephone and internet service. We have switched from Charter – to Consolidated Telephone Company effective immediately.

Our new phone # is: 218-454-0448 - PLEASE change your records as the old number is no longer active.

Our new E-Mail address is: Office@WreathsForTheFallen.org

Johns new E-Mail address is: <a href="mailto:John@WreathsForTheFallen.org">John@WreathsForTheFallen.org</a>

To post events – send to: <a href="mailto:Events@WreathsForTheFallen.org">Events@WreathsForTheFallen.org</a>

**ANNUAL MEETING** – The Annual Meeting for WFTF.org will be on Tuesday March 12<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm at the VFW in Little Falls MN. Dinner will be provided at 6:00 with Subway Sandwiches, chips, cake. Bob Larson has made arrangements for the dinner. **This is ALSO our next GENERAL MEETING for March.** 

## We will be VOTING at the annual meeting for a new Vice President.

Bob Larson will be stepping aside as Vice President and we will have a vote to elect a new one. Mykel Barthel and Norv Pervier are currently on the ballot.

Your vote does matter so please come to the meeting and vote!

One note – if anyone on the ballot has a conflict of interest on any business discussed they would just have to excuse themselves from that discussion.

**Other notes:** Crafts Direct still has not gotten back to John or Bob regarding the Memorial Wreaths. Bob will see if he can see what is happening.

**Vietnam Vets** will have their annual dinner and auction on Saturday March  $2^{nd}$  2013. They will have a great dinner, silent auction and live auction. Please check out our web page – events – to get more details or give Bob Larson a call at 320-266-3061.

Officers Meeting – The next officers meeting will be at the Fort Steakhouse on February 26<sup>th</sup> 2013 at 12:00 noon.

**Adjourn-** This conference call was adjourned at 7:20 pm.

Member news – We would like to extend our deepest sympathies to Jim Parent who lost his wife Sandy on January 26<sup>th</sup>. Jim you are in our thoughts and prayers! You have lots of friends if you ever need a shoulder or helping hand!

Minutes submitted by: Carrie Johnson

Secretary – WreathsForTheFallen.org

Minutes approved by:

John Thomas, President

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