



THE ARIZONA CHAPTER
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Minutes of the February 18, 2017 Arizona Chapter of MOAA General Meeting

McCormick Ranch Golf Club Scottsdale Arizona.

The February 2017 meeting and luncheon of the general membership of the Arizona Chapter of MOAA was held on Saturday, February 18, 2017 at McCormick Ranch Golf Club, Scottsdale Arizona.

President Lee Lange opened the meeting at 11:47 AM with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by an invocation.

Members present: All guests were introduced.

Lunch was served at 11:55 PM.

President's Announcements:

- President Lee introduced Pat Dale who will put on the golf tournament April 21st at the Starfire Golf Club. Pat encouraged everyone to enter the golf tournament or of not golfers come to lunch. The cost of playing in the tournament is \$79 and the Lunch is \$15.00.
- We have exceeded our scholarship goal of \$10,000 for this year.
- We have received 4 nominations for the 3 scholarships.
- John Ady gave two tickets to a Cubs baseball game. They will be raffled off starting at \$100.
- President Lee urged members to attend the State Legislature meeting to support the bill that would give money from MFRF to the Veterans Relief Fund.
- Ron Perking reported on the status of Gene Raffanelli.

Treasurer's report: Charlie Bitner, Treasurer, reported the Scholarship Fund is currently at \$27,189.52. General Fund at \$7,053.25 including \$200 in petty cash for making change for raffle tickets & lunch, for a total of \$34,642.77.

Program: Dave Price introduced the program which was on the Veterans Heritage Project Program. It was very well received.

Closing Comments: Lee thanked those members who have renewed their memberships and urged everyone else to renew online or by mail.

The next meeting will be March 18, 2017. The program will be Jack Holder who will tell of his experiences at Pearl Harbor during the attack December 7, 1941.

Respectively submitted: Paul Schnur, Secretary