

## 18<sup>th</sup> District General Meeting

August 15, 2025 @ West Covina Post 790

Meeting was called to order at 7:13 pm with a quorum present.

Guest: Dept Membership Director, Dept. Assistant Parliamentarian, PDC Cardoza, Flores, SAL 6<sup>th</sup> Area VC Bradshaw, 6<sup>th</sup> Area VC Galaviz

Adjutant held roll call of officers.

Bravo Zulu to Post 790 for hosting.

Commander Report – Thank you for coming to the meeting. Reminder that post business is post business. You can appeal to the district. Refer to the Hearing Manual. PCC Event 8/16 for Veterans. National Delegates please have safe travels.

Meeting schedule:

Sept. – 13

Oct – 280

Nov -

1<sup>st</sup> Vice Report – Please transmit membership as it comes in. Push for 100%. Membership goals will be out on Monday.

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Report – 50/50 and raffle tonight. Casino bus trip coming up September 6<sup>th</sup>. Sign up by Aug 29<sup>th</sup>.

JR Past – No report

Adjutant report – No report

Finance Report – Starting balance \$13,536.88 Closing balance \$12,025.20  
GCU Account \$62,357.94. Motion to accept by Ben 2<sup>nd</sup> by Gil. Motion passed.

Chaplain Report – No report

Judge Advocate – Again Post business is Post business. Review your By laws and or House rules.

Service Officer – No report

Historian – No report

Sgt-at-Arms – No report

Boy's & Girl's State – Will be all electronic this year. Start figuring out who will be the Post chairmen.

Oratorical – Assigned topics will be out in September.

Baseball – California lost to Texas in the Regionals

Blood Drive – Post 241 on 8/22 @ 10:00am – 4:00, 8/29 @ Post 280 @ 11:00am – 5:00

Internal Affairs – No report

Webmaster – Check the calendar for District meeting dates. All events being added weekly. Calendar is up to date. We will be posting the Meeting Minutes on the website for everyone to see. Renewals have taken place.

Scribe – Send all event info to him. Get it in as soon as you find out.

Old Business – FTB Update – Veterans Village – Need food donations

New Business – Alicia Kirk gave a presentation to us about Veteran Benefits. \$3000 AD&D free policy. Motion to allow her company to mail out benefit cards to district members by Scott. 2<sup>nd</sup> by JR. Motion passed.

Candidates for Dept Commander JR Duarte & Dept SAA Neil La Sala. Motion to endorse both for 2026-2027 by Scott. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Chuck. Motion passed.

Good of the Legion – Fairwell Dinner 8/28 @ Post 280 for Rivers Juaques. @ 1700. Post 291 visit 8/20 See Neil for more information.

November 8<sup>th</sup> is a bowling event for the BVL Bowling Veterans Link. Requesting a membership booth. It is free. @ West Covina Bowlero @ 3:00pm.

Veterans Village needs help. Bring snacks and books and magazines.

6<sup>th</sup> Area Caucus will be September 13<sup>th</sup> at Pasadena Post 13 from 9-4pm

Dept DEC will be Sept 19-21 at Orange Post 132.

Next District Meetings:

Executive Meeting 9/8/2025 @ Canyon City Post 180

General Meeting 9/19/2025 @ Pasadena Post 13

Post Membership Goals for this year.

10 – 34

13- 80

78 -58

139 – 163

180 -149

241 -64

247 – 96

261- 35

279 – 44

280 – 153

397-26

431 – 20

475 – 79

508 – 94

748 – 27

755 – 125

790 – 322

Meeting adjourned at 8:30pm

Respectfully submitted

Scott Sinclair          18<sup>th</sup> District Adjutant