

Chief Petty Officer Association
Washington DC Chapter
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Meeting Minutes / Newsletter
18 DEC 03

IN ATTENDANCE:

CWO4 Roberts	SCPO Allen
CWO2 Kruska	CPO Graviss
MCPO G. Jensen	CPO Collins
MCPO Wilson	CPO T. Robinson
MCPO Coalin	CPO East

Call to Order 1140

Guests:

Treasurer's Report

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Flags Across America - CWO2 Ed Kruska, Chair

- 80 Reps/30 States plus England and Philippines
- Spreadsheet of ANC CG grave locations - in process - LT Albert; YNC Succj; Mr. Whaley.
- FAA Unit in Alex, VA Presidents Day Parade. Do flag sale?

Leadership Series - SCPO Mark Allen, Acting Chair

- L.S. Event 12 – 21 JAN 04? / 1130-1300. MSTCS Dennis Noble, USCG(ret) returns after 12 MAY 03 L.S. Event 7. Topic – Leadership in Revenue Cutter Service in Alaska. Travel funded by DC CPOA (\$50); Naval Historical Center (Wash. Navy Yd); and CG Historical Foundation (per President, VADM Howard Thorsen). Proposed by CDR John Hooper, CG Liaison Officer, Pentagon (J8); President, Naval Order of U.S.
- L.S. Event ?? – FEB 04? Don Phillips (and ADM Loy?). Planning.
- Other candidate speakers – Russell Drumm? Paul Cora? Lorraine Dieterlie? RADM Bauman? RADM Rochon? Dr. Olivia Hooker (first African-American SPAR; subsequently earned Ph.D.; in New York)? CWO Dany Herbert-Schinzell?

Southwest Community House - MCPO Linda Reid, Chair

- Childrens Holiday Party – 16 DEC 03. Great success! Thanks to many elves.

Remembrance - MCPO Edna Doak, Chair

- Policy - send remembrance packets to any CPO; and other members, of any pay grade, only who die in the line of duty as long as funds permit.

CCTI - MCPO Linda Reid, Chair

- Fall 2003 CCTI lessons learned to MCPO Reid.

Membership - MCPO Phelps, Chair

- Encourage CPOs to join; track monthly list to see if anyone has lapsed dues; greet incoming transfers; and get them to participate in chapter.
- 155 members

OLD BUSINESS:

- Poinsettia Sale - SCPO Allen. Sold 125 poinsettias 02-04 DEC 03.

NEW BUSINESS:

- DC CPOA 2nd annual Cafeteria Worker Appreciation Day? – MCPO Doak.
- Admirals' Wives – again donated cash and toys for needy junior enlisted.
- DC CPOA chairing CPOA National Election Nomination and Ballot Committee.
- Uniform Exchange – JAN 04? Per MCPO Reid. Who relieves CWO Roberts as program director?
- Valentines for Veterans - MCPO Linda Reid. FEB 04?
- USS Serpens Day - CWO2 Ed Kruska. 29 JAN 04 / 1200? ANC.
- MCPO Angela McShan Inspirational Leadership Award – nominations due 15 JAN 04.

- Next mtg – 15 JAN 04 / 1130-1230

GOOD OF THE ORDER:

- OCT 03 RSWE Advancement Eligibility List – released 18 DEC 03.
- MED4 Doc Roberts – return to retirement 31 DEC 03?

Moment of Silence

Meeting Adjourned 1228