

Georgia Jaycees Rebel Corps
1st Trimester meeting
May 5, 2017

Call To Order: Meeting called to Order at 1:00 pm exactly by Lori Palo

Chief of Staff Lori discussed adjustments to agenda order

Invocation led by Christy Hardie

Pledge led by Lisa Pickett

Recognition of Past Commanders:

Scott Brazell
Ken Joyner
Billy Bradford
Les Howard
Mandi Howard
Lisa Pickett
Nancy Waskiewicz
Helene Mitchell
Connie Cromer
Urbane Lively
Alan Hancock
Tom Taschotti
Johnny Swank
Pat Rogers

Recognition of Guests:

GA senate President Larry MacQuirter
National Senate VP - Mike Ringel
Camp President – JR Clark

Chaplain's Report:

Bryan Perry – Medical issues with no positive answers
Janice Smith – Hip injury / surgery
Donald Calhoun – leg removed below the knee
Mark Mullis passed away
Mike Hardie – mother passed away last November, sister has cancer
Duck – great nephew passed away yesterday
KBj – Macey Gray passed away

Treasurer's Report

2016 Financial Statement given by Kaye Buchanan – profit for the year – better than expected
Col Smith made a motion to approve the 2017 proposed budget as submitted – 2nd by Alan Hancock – motion carried

2017 1st Trimester Financial statement – we have money. Larry Mac says Stacy is too honest.
Dues Outstanding – some people have already paid – thanks!

Active Vice Commander - Thomas Michael

Jekyll Fundraiser – Col Jett & Col Michael donated items to be raffled – Winners announced in Hospitality Room at 1030pm Friday night. Raffle tickets sold during the meeting. \$1 tickets each. Winners choice.

Silent Auction at Swainsboro meeting. Wendy Cowart to chair. Thomas will not be in attendance due to another commitment – beauty pageant.

Golf Tournament 9/23 at Georgia Southern golf course – same course as last year – we need golfers. Working on a 2nd tournament in Warner Robbins – details upcoming. Both will benefit Camp Dream. Metal Rebel Flag flask auctioned during the meeting – bids started at \$10. Sold for \$30 to Larry Mac.

Inactive Vice Commander – Kellie Jett

New Colonel Submissions:

Col #2499 – name withheld – motion by kbj, 2nd by Pat Rogers to approve. Motion approved.

Lost Colonels

Denis Bauer – Lost Col Committee. Bobby Brantley – Warner Robbins. Motion presented by Denise, 2nd by JR. New Col approved. Col #2500.

Special thanks to Mike Carter to get new Colonels submitted.

Adjutant's Report – Michelle Walworth

Minutes are available from our last meeting upon request

Dispatch / EDispatch report. In the most recent Dispatch, an incentive was made to encourage colonels to sign up for e-dispatch in an attempt to reduce cost for printing & postage. Andrea Perry won a \$25 visa gift card as the first person to sign up for e-dispatch. We'll continue this throughout the year. Cost to Print and mail each dispatch is \$2.14.

Hospitality Coordinator – Andrea Perry

Col Nickie Rentz (Gray) is hosting – Julie Embry to assist. Cocktail party 5-630 Saturday May 6
Cinco de Mayo theme

Bartenders Report – Billy Bradford

Hospitality 9pm - 1230am Thurs – Sat @ Pelican Room
Stock the Bar Raffle \$25

Webmaster Report – Ken Joyner -it's running

Unfinished Business – Ken Joyner

New Business –

Meeting with GAJCs @ Swainsboro – Ron Cowart reported that we'll meet in July with GAJCs meeting – bridging the gap between corps & GAJCs. Wolf Creek Lodge July 21 – 23.

Past Commander's Report – Ken Joyner – bylaws change – housekeeping change – election time change – allowing Commander to change the time to a more appropriate time to coincide with the Corps calendar. Lisa Pickett Rule. Officers to be sworn in at 3rd trimester meeting. Approved by Denise Bauer . 2nd by Les Howard – amendment to Add “with 30 days notice” to the membership. Motion carried for amendment. Motion to approve as amended carried.

Revised Bylaws shall read:

Article IV, Section 3.

The Officers of the Rebel Corps shall be nominated at a special called Rebel Corps meeting at a time and location set by the Commander with 30 days' notice to the membership. The elections will be held at a time and location set by the Commander with approval of the Board of Directors, with 30 days' notice to the membership. Officers will be sworn in at the Third Trimester meeting at a time and location set by the Commander. No announcements or nominations shall take place prior to July 1.

2nd to amendment by Denise Bauer. Motion carried as presented and amended.

Chicago – Corps of Corps – Ken June 18 – Hilton. Georgia is “in charge” but Ohio is preparing meals. Stacy added info for Ray Baskette – we need help / manpower.

Final report – Pigeon Forge – report by Ron – inducted new colonels, no one in the hospital so we did well!

Final report – Milledgeville with GAJCs – Ron – good meeting – built relationships with GAJCs. Had lunch with GAJCS to cover ground and begin working together again. Need the Corps help to keep building the relationship

Sergeant at Arms – Mike Hardie

Several fines collected – everyone got a big laugh at our shenanigans since our last meeting
We made \$91 in high sheriffs during the meeting

Dress code at cocktail party – Suit & Tie for men, pretty dresses for ladies. Men must wear pants.

Announcements

Nominations - @ Swainsboro

Elections – TBA

Alan Hancock - special presentation. \$50 donation to the bar. Steve McMath scholarship went to the Hancock's granddaughter – graduated from Air Force Academy last year. Alan wore 5 pins of the Corps – Lisa Pickett – Ron Cowart – Larry Mac Presented with Past Commander pins.

Colonel JR Clark – Camp Dream facility maxed out this year, looking for 2nd location in South GA between Columbus & Albany. Need support. 200 campers each year. Campdreamga.org.

Commander Ron announced that Nominations will be announced at the meeting in Swainsboro. Ron urges full registration at the July meeting. Meetings, speakers, etc. at the meetings in July

Elections meeting – meeting time & date TBA

Colonel Kellie Jett – hotel info for Jekyll 2018 – view of meeting spaces, etc. immediately following senate meeting this afternoon.

Senate meeting immediately follows Corps meeting today.

Commander Comments

Trimester Awards – everyone is doing a great job, keep it up!

Col of the Trimester - JR Clark

Staff member – Andrea Perry

Officer – Stacy Smith

Closing Comments

Thanks to Warner robins Jaycees, Corps Staff for their hard work this year.

Adjourn with Creed – led by Andrea Perry