

Meeting: Georgia Jaycees Honor Corps- Warner Robins, GA

Date: August 15, 2026

Opening & Recognition

- Meeting was called to order at 9:01 am by Chief of Staff/Past Commander Scott Brazell
- Invocation was given by Chaplain/Past Commander Lisa Pickett
- Pledge of Allegiance led by Colonel Theresa Armour
- Honored guests and past commanders recognized, including Christianna Gilliam (Past Commander of the South Carolina Palmetto Corps and South Carolina Senate President)

Chaplain Report- Chaplain- Past Commander Lisa Pickett

- Members requested prayers for: Shannon Lively's grandmother, Chuck Cheese's mother, Les Howard's brother, Connie Brooker's father and passing of Colonel Stacia Mentus.

Webmaster Report- Past Commander Nancy Waskiewicz

- Website up and running

Treasurers Report- Treasurer- Colonel Allen Farley

- Budget analyzed and reviewed
- Standing balance reported at bottom right of financial sheet
- Announced to pay 2026 dues if you haven't done so already and reiterated that you do need to be dues current for any voting made in today's meeting

Active Vice Commander- Colonel Christina Armour

- **Jekyll Barbecue Lunch:** *Past Commander Michelle Walworth-* \$350 profit (100% profit—no expenses)
- **Corps Products Sales:** *Commander Clark Wilcox-* Over \$200 profit from tumblers, shot glasses, pens, and stickers
- **Live Auction:** *Auctioneer Past Commander Brian Jett-* auctioned off spirit water jar donated by Scott Adams – raised \$55 for hospitality costs
- **Golf Tournament:** *Past Commander Brian Jett-* 9/12 in Statesboro; seeking sponsors, volunteers, and golfers. Hotel rates at Days Inn is \$100/night. Proceeds benefit Wheelchairs for Kids

Inactive Vice Commander- Colonel Travis Bishop

No new Colonels to present currently

Adjutant Report- Colonel Phillip Welch

Minutes from previous meeting as well as copies of The Dispatch are on front table for anyone that would like a copy or to review.

Next Dispatch will go out late December.

Parliamentarian Report- Past Commander Les Howard

There will be some policy and possible bylaw changes at the next meeting. Details will be in the Dispatch.

Hospitality Report- Past Commanders Kellie Jett & Brian Jett

- **Stock the Bar and Cork Pull at Jekyll** thanks to everyone bar costs remain down
- **"Pour Decisions" Fundraiser** \$100 raised; bar costs offset by donations

- **Cocktail Party & Hospitality room-** Colonels Theresa Armour, Shannon Lively & Friend Cathy Welch
 - Hospitality room open nightly 9pm – 12am
 - Cocktail Party Saturday 5pm – 630pm
 - Proper attire necessary to enter Cocktail Party

Past Commander Report- Past Commander Michelle Walworth

Life Member/Past Commander Raffle tickets available; encouraged to buy more than 1

Sargeant at Arms Report- Past Commander David Armour

- High Sheriff- Mr. Armour had many great fines for various people
 - Past Commander Fines- noted that Scott had none
- Tell Me Something Good- also had several donations towards good items
- Between the 2 items and from can tops donated a total of \$100 was raised

Unfinished Business

There was no unfinished business

New Business

- Nominations & Elections
 - **Treasurer:** Past Commander Michelle Walworth was nominated by Scott Brazell and 2nd by Alan Farley. Michelle was elected as Treasurer
 - Past Commander Les Howard made motion to close nominations and accept. This was seconded by Stacy Smith.
 - **Adjutant:** Colonel Shannon Lively was nominated by Theresa Armour and 2nd David Armour. Shannon was elected as Adjutant
 - Past Commander Les Howard made motion to close nominations and accept. This was seconded by Thomas Michael
 - **Inactive Vice Commander:** Colonel Allen Farley was nominated by Scott Brazell and 2nd by Clark Wilcox. Allen was elected as Inactive Vice Commander
 - Past Commander Les Howard made motion to close nominations and accept. This was seconded by Denise Bauer.
 - **Active Vice Commander:** Colonel Philip Welch nominated by Past Commander Kellie Jett and 2nd by Past Commander Scott Brazell. Phillip was elected as Active Vice
 - Past Commander Ron Cowart made motion to close nominations and accept. This was seconded by Past Commander Les Howard.
 - **Commander:** Colonel Theresa Armour was nominated by Past Commander David Armour and 2nd by Colonel Chris Armour. Theresa was elected as new commander;
 - Past Commander Andrea Perry made motion to close nominations and accept. This was seconded by Past Commander Les Howard.
- After being elected she gave remarks on continuing legacy with progressive ideas

Announcements/Good of the Order

- **Museum of Aviation Tour:** Scheduled for 1 PM (meet at lobby 12:15 PM)
- **Next meeting anticipated:** Jan 29 – 31- more info TBD
- **Upcoming Chapter events**
 - Statesboro chapter visit- Travis visited August 11- lots of great happenings
 - Swainsboro Fair: Week of Halloween; 80-foot Ferris wheel coming for first time in years

- **Wheelchairs for Kids Program:** Georgia now has 61 kids enrolled (3rd in nation). Resources available on USJCI Senate webpage. Wheelie Fun Days planned for kids to participate in normal activities
- **Special Donation:** Past Commander Perry asked to pass the hat for Robbie Mentus who lost his mother Colonel Stacia Mentus last week. In addition, a motion was made by Past Commander Andrea Perry and 2nd by Past Commander Larry Pierce for the Corps to also donate \$200 in addition to passing hat. Motion passed and a total of \$620 will be given to Godparents. Past Commander Waskiewicz will also make a donation direct with the Godparents. Additional donations encouraged via Venmo- See Past Commander Perry for additional information.

Commander's Comments

- Closing remarks by outgoing commander thanking staff and encouraging chapter visitations
- Thank you to Senate President & Senate for Creed banner donated
- Senate meeting to follow

Motion from Thomas Micheal and second from Brian Jett to adjourn passed and Colonel Shannon Lively led adjournment with the Creed.