

23rd Infantry Regiment Tomahawk Association
Trustee Committee Meeting Minutes
23 May 2016

1. The meeting was called to order at 1710 hours, 23 May 2016 by John Blue, Vice President, at the Farrellis Restaurant, Dupont.

2. The following were in attendance:

John Blue, Vice President, Webmaster

Tyler DeCraine, 4th Battalion

Benjamin Dungan, 4th Battalion Liaison

Craig Haff, Trustee

Mike Kendall: Secretary; Constitution and By-Laws Chairman

Anthony (AJ) Needler, 4th Battalion

Mike Robinson, Trustee, Database Administrator

3. Committee votes. The minutes for the 18 April 2016 Executive Committee Meeting were approved by voice vote. Motion by John Blue; second by Craig Haff.

4. John reported Facebook like count now at 2317.

5. 2016 Fundraising Plan

A. John has a draft 150th Anniversary design for clothing and growler sales.

B. Craig reported the process for firearms donations for a raffle will take about a year.

C. Mike Robinson suggested a 150th Anniversary shot glass. He has contacts to create this.

6. 150th Anniversary of Tomahawks.

A. AJ is the 4th Battalion POC. He reported that the cost for the event at the Convention Center is about \$20k. The battalions would like the Association support for the venue payments as we have done before and to coordinate for sponsorship. The current plan is for events to be during 28 Sep-1 Oct. There is no decision on the flag raising at Vancouver Barracks on either 21 or 24 Sep.

B. Mike Kendall asked about the battalions' coordination with the Vietnam and Korean War veterans. Tyler stated that the 4th Battalion has contact with the Vietnam veterans. Mike will pass the contact information for Jim Coulos, secretary of the Korean War veterans to John to so he can link the battalions to the Korean War veterans.

7. John suggested arranging for the Association to be listed on the 2017 Combined Federal Campaign. Mike Kendall will be the POC.

8. Mike Kendall stated that the taxes for 2015 have been filed..

9. The meeting adjourned at 1755 hours.

Mike Kendall
Secretary