

JWV Post 474

Minutes of meeting held December 15, 2019

The meeting was called to order by Mark Weiss at 10:15 AM

The meeting was attended by Dr. Ed Hirsch, Mark Weiss, Dr. Ed Adler, Alan Anchill, Dr. Miles Auster, Dr. Martin Pevzner, Ronald Siegel, Don Ritten, and Linda Zyla.

Old Business:

- Post attendees concurred with December Minutes distributed.
- December financial health presented and Post is in sound financial shape.

New Business:

- Christmas Day trip to VA Medical Center in Battle Creek.
 - Bus leaves Temple Beth El promptly at 8:00am.
 - Agenda – load bus with clothing & food, ride to Battle Creek, organize clothing and pack bags for room-bound patients, have lunch, play bingo with mobile patients, then leave Battle Creek arriving back at Temple Beth El around 4:15pm.
 - Casual dress with JWV hat.
- The VA site to visit next Christmas will be discussed at September 2020 meeting.
- Need to find other religious schools for JWV “storytellers” to discuss war and service experiences with students .
- ROTC scholarship program was approved at Dec 8 Department Executive Board meeting and was announced to Michigan Universities with ROTC programs on Dec 9. We have already had one ROTC scholarship query from a Jewish student in Ann Arbor.
 - Scholarship will be awarded next fiscal year, probably in August.

Good & Welfare:

- Two members, Leon Bleifeld and Milton Ring, passed away in the past month.

Meeting adjourned at 10:35 AM

Ron Siegel