



United States Submarine Veterans Bremerton Base

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November 16, 2019

Base Commander Steve Corcoran called the meeting to order at 1000 hours at the Bremerton FRA

Opening observances were conducted.

Western District 4 Cmdr. Jim DeMott and Derek Kilmer Member of Congress representing Washington's sixth were in attendance.

Congressman Kilmer talked about his background, Washington DC and then answered questions.

Base Election for the period January 2020 to December 2021 was held with the following results:

David R Bowman Base Commander
Ileene Davis Vic Commander
Dennis Nardone Treasurer
Wayne Peterson Chief of the Boat
Wayne Sieckowski Secretary

The minutes of the August 2019 were accepted with corrections.

Base Treasurer Dennis Nardone reported we have \$68,885.64 in various accounts. The base has 269 members.

Dick Litscher Holland Club Chairman reports we will have 2 inductees at the Christmas Party.

Bonefish Float Chairman Sam Swenson reports the float is being stored for the winter. A discussion was held on the future of the float and putting a committee together to come up with a plan for float replacement.

Dave Pittman Puget Soundings Editor reports the on line edition is 32 pages while the hard copy edition is 16 pages.

Deterrent Park Chairman and Gertrude Check Web Master reports he installed 8 bricks and the next installation will be May 2020.

Base Historian Bob Paul reports he has hand out about the base and our activities available.

Chief of the Boat Wayne Peterson reports the Christmas Party will be December 21, 2019 at the Bremerton Elks. The meeting will start at 1000 and the meal will be available at 1100. Cost is \$20.00 per person

Western District 4 Cmdr. Jim DeMott request that everyone review their on line record.

Base Cmdr. Steve Corcoran talked about the Veterans Day Parade in Auburn, the float is getting old and will need some major repairs or replacement and would like some volunteers to form a committee for float future. He also talked about the Veteran Day activities at Pine Crest Elementary School. The base will be in the Auburn Veterans Day Parade.

Next meeting is Saturday December 21 at the Bremerton Elks

Submitted By

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