



## VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA

Chapter 528 Plymouth, MI 48170

General Membership Meeting

11/11/2016

### AGENDA

Meeting called to order by President John Spencer

Pledge of Allegiance/Moment of Silence

OFFICERS ROLL CALL: John Spencer, Mike Steffes, Clyde Rains, Bob Dew, Dennis Bielskis

#### Introduction of Guests:

#### OFFICER'S REPORTS:

President-

John Spencer

1<sup>st</sup> Vice President -

Mike Steffes

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President-

Clyde Rains

Secretary-

Dennis Bielskis,

Treasurer-

Bob Dew October, 2016 Profit & Loss Statements;

Chaplain:

Rich Whipple

Chapter Historian:

Rich Waldecker

Legislatives/ Government affairs:

Rich Waldecker

#### OLD BUSINESS:

#### NEW BUSINESS:

- Birthday of U.S. Marine November 10, 1775

#### Committee Reports

Chapter By-Laws -

Jim Hodgson

Membership-

Bob Lamoureux,

Product Sales -

Bill Browning

Public Affairs -

Don Dignan

Webmaster/Home-Front Editor-

Tom Brown

Webpage: [www.vva528.org](http://www.vva528.org)

Newsletter: all articles, photos, and flyers are due on the 22nd of each & every month

POW/MIA -

Al Kerbyson

AVVA Rep -

Bryan Bentley

VFW Liaison -

Gary Kubik

VFW Aux-

Patty Brothers

VA Health Chair:

Stu Israel

VVA State Council- Gary Estermyer  
Fundraising - Bob Dew

**Chapter Special Committee Reports**

Kokomo- Dale Luebke

Sportsman Raffle - John Spencer / Dennis Bielskis

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**DONATION/MOTION REQUESTS:**

D2016-016

Motion to donate \$500.00 to the Children Christmas party

Motion made by Dennis Bielskis 2<sup>nd</sup> by Don Dignan

Board recommendation: recommended approval Membership approval:

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**ANNOUNCEMENT:**

- Karaoke - 1st and 3rd Friday 8pm in the Post Lounge
- Live music 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Friday in the Post lounge
- Please sign birthday book before the meeting located in the Post Lounge
- Veterans Traveling Golf League every Monday, let Don Dignan know you are golfing
- Taco night November 18, 2016 from 5 p - 7 p in the post lounge
- Children's Christmas Party December 10, 2016 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm, please let Patty Bielskis know what sex and the age of each child who will be attending party.
- Salvation Army bell ringing on Saturday December 10 At Sam's Club on Ford Rd Canton,
- Ann Arbor VA Hospital Christmas party, December 13, 2016 meet in lobby at 5:00 pm
- Post Blood Drive December 19, 2016 from 1:30 pm - 7:30 pm

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Next VVA General Membership Meeting: Monday December 12, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

Next VVA Board Meeting: Tuesday November 22, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.

PRESIDENT  
John Spencer

SECRETARY  
Dennis Bielskis