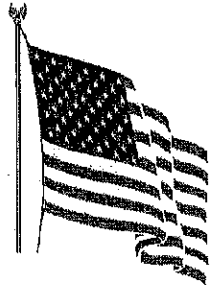


Veterans Group of San Quentin



**August 24 2014 General Meeting
Held in the ARC Trailer**

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:

Chairman	Chris Schuhmacher
Vice-Chairman	Jesse Hernandez
Secretary/Treasurer	Garvin Robinson
Outside Coordinator	Wesley Eisiminger
North Block Member-at-Large	Lawson Beavers
H-Unit Member at Large	Samuel Gaskins
West Block Member at Large	Gary Cooper
Donner Section	Ken Goodlow

To maintain the integrity of the Founding Fathers of the VVGSQ, we the current body of veterans have incorporated changes to our previous By-Laws to include and address all honorably discharged veteran's needs. Subsequently, we have changed the name of our group to the Veterans Group of San Quentin (VGSQ). We endeavor to bring personal accountability and structure into our lives. We will continue to maintain the high standard of honor and integrity that our Founding Fathers set forth. We know that we must take responsibility for our own actions. However, it is not enough to just try and get home, but rather to live free regardless of our circumstances.

Sgt. of Arms Tarvan called the group to attention to pay honor to the United States Flag. All present were then asked to remove their hats for a moment of silence for those Missing-in-Action, those Killed-in-Action, and all other service members deployed in Iraq, Afghanistan, and around the world.

Chairman Chris Schuhmacher called the meeting to order at 1000 hrs. Roll was called: 38 members present, 3 members were absent and 7 members had excused absence. There was a quorum. All members received the minutes from the July meeting, corrections were noted and a motion to accept the minutes passed.

Chairman Schuhmacher welcomed our sponsor Ms. Heather Entzel, our Web Master Mrs. J Lynn Manley, and Gloria Godchaux from Operation MOMS to the meeting. Thank you for joining us.

SECRETARY/TREASURER'S REPORT:

We currently have no money in our account and no outstanding debts.

OUTSIDE COORDINATOR'S REPORT:

Mr. Eisiminger reported the Vietnam Veterans magazines for May/June are available at the Lower Yard Recreation Shack from Secretary/Treasurer Garvin Robinson. (3 issues) Please return the issues to Mr. Robinson so that others in the group may read them. Thank you.

COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN'S:

Note: All committees are temporarily stood down until the new chairs are appointed. The Sgt.-of-Arms Position was also stood down. Thank you Mr. Tarvan for your service over the past year.

BY-LAWS:

* See Above

HONOR GUARD:

* See Above

HISTORIAN/WEBSITE:

* See Above

STAMPS FOR SOLDIERS, TABS FOR RMHC:

* See Above

CAMARADERIE NIGHT:

* See Above

OPERATION MOM

Nothing to report at this time

V.T.G.

Veterans Training Ground is on hold until we get a sponsor.

VETERAN AFFAIRS/VIP OFFICE:

There are no more workshops. In order to see a Veteran Service Representative you must schedule an appointment through Member Capell or V.I.P. clerk Self. Mr. Capell has 1010EZ forms available to enroll members into the health care system.

OLD BUSINESS:

No old business

NEW BUSINESS:

Mr. McCormick, Mr. Jeffrey, and Mr. Wells were voted into the Veterans Group and received their blue hats. Welcome to the team.

Chairman Schuhmacher appointed Mr. Wells as the new Sergeant at Arms, in accordance with the previously approved By-Laws. **Section V. SERGEANT-AT-ARMS** – *Is an appointed position. It is the Chairman's responsibility to make the appointment to help maintain order at the General Membership Meetings and to assure the enforcement of Robert's Rules of Order.*

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Mr. Vick and seconded by Mr. Milligan. The meeting was adjourned at 1100 hrs. The next meeting is scheduled for 28 September 2014.

- SPECIAL STEERING COMMITTEE MEETING -

The following are the notes taken from the special steering committee meeting held after the general body meeting. This meeting was held on 24 August 2014 from 1100-1200. In attendance were the VGSQ Executive Body, Members-at-Large, Sgt.-at-Arms, members LaCrosse, Jasper, Johnson, Sanders, Farris and outside sponsors J Lynn Manley, Gloria Godchaux, and Heather Entzel.

Items Discussed:

1. Committee Chairs appointed

Chairman Schuhmacher appointed the following committee chairs:

Color Guard – Craig Johnson
Camaraderie – Darryl Farris
Veterans Affairs – Dennis Lacrosse
SQ Media – Jasper
Toy Program – Gary Cooper

Others to be named later.

2. Camaraderie

Heather informed us that she is in possession of our movies. We asked for a list of those movies and are currently looking for a space and time to resume our camaraderie events. If any of our group members have any ideas for a camaraderie event, please notify committee Chair Farris.

3. Veterans Affairs

Mr. Lacrosse introduced several resources regarding veterans' health care. He will be working with our Veterans Information Project Officer Mr. Trent Capell to provide group members with available resources.

4. SQ Media

Mr. Jasper was enlisted to restore the Veterans Group column to the San Quentin News. His first article will talk about the positive new direction of our group. If any group members have an idea for a newsworthy article concerning our group, see Mr. Jasper.

5. Holiday Toy Program

We currently have 90 days to put the toy program narrative together. Both J Lynn Manley and Gloria Godchaux volunteered to sponsor the group over the holiday weekend of Dec. 13, 14, 20, 21, and 25. We will work with the USMC's Toys for Tots program to acquire toys and Mr. Sanders offered to help pay for the costs of the moving truck. If any group members would like to work the Toy program, contact committee Chair Cooper. All C-files will be reviewed for R-restrictions.

It was agreed by everyone in attendance that in order for this group to move forward, we all need to work together. The meeting was adjourned at 1200 hrs.

CURRENT ROSTER as of 9/22/2014

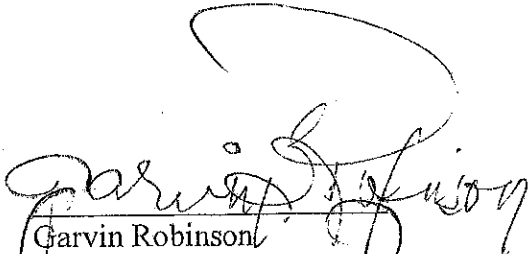
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BEAVERS, LAWSON	P-14974	1N015L	BLA	MEDA	Voting Mbr	VIG / NB Member @ Large
BRYANT, TOMMY	F-95454	5H042L	WHI	MEDB	Voting Mbr	
BUTLER, DUANE S.	D-91464	2N017L	BLA	MEDA	Voting Mbr	VIG
CAPELL, TRENTON	E-91949	3N011U	BLA	CLOB	Voting Mbr	Veterans Information Project
COOPER, GARY	T-15604	3W091L	WHI	CLOB	Voting Mbr	WB Mbr @ Large/ Toy Program
DAWSON, DON	D-77157	1N023L	WHI	MEDA	Voting Mbr	
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ERICSON, ERIC	AL-0979	4H006L	WHI	MEDB	Voting Mbr	
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FARRIS, DARRYL	T-33812	5N071U	BLK	CLOB	Voting Mbr	Camaraderie
FOSTER, JAMES	J-40236	2N075L	BLK	MEDA	Voting Mbr	
GASKINS, SAMUEL	C-27569	4H053L	BLK	MEDA	Voting Mbr	H-Unit Member @ Large
GAZZENY, ANDREW	T-30217	5W039U	MEX	MEDA	Voting Mbr	
GOODLOW, KENNETH	C-75705	1D047L	BLA	CLOB	Voting Mbr	Donner Member @ Large
GUMPAL, MAURO	P-00591	4N036L	OTH	CLOB	Voting Mbr	
HARRIS, MARVIN	C-91589	1W020L	BLK	MEDA	Voting Mbr	
HERNANDEZ, JESSE	K-21116	4W045L	WHI	MEDA	Voting Mbr	VIG / vice-Chairman
HOLLEY, JOEL	B-77761	1W088L	BLK	MEDA	Voting Mbr	
HUTTO, WILLIAM	V-07641	3H100L	WHI	MEDA	Voting Mbr	
JASPAR, MATTHEW	K-93684	1W069L	WHI	MEDA	Voting Mbr	SQ Media
JOHNSON, CRAIG	C-08327	3W021L	WHI	MEDA	Voting Mbr	Color Guard/VIG
JONES, MALCOLM	J-04780	3W024L	BLA	MEDA	Voting Mbr	VIG
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ROBINSON, GARVIN	K-52086	2N008L	BLA	CLOB	Voting Mbr	Secretary/Treasurer
ROOKE, PETE	C-76159	1N020L	WHI	CLOB	Voting Mbr	
SANDERS, GREG	E-05222	4W040L	WHI	MEDA	Voting Mbr	VIG
SCHUHMACHER, C	T-31014	4N093L	WHI	MEDA	Voting Mbr	Chairman
SIMS, TEDRICK	D-82488	2W038L	BLA	MEDA	Voting Mbr	
SOLTERO, DANIEL	D-65858	1W037U	WHI	CLOB	Voting Mbr	Color Guard
STEWART, NORFLEET	E-90026	2W034L	BLA	MEDA	Voting Mbr	Color Guard
TARVAN, DAVID	E-76518	2W100L	WHI	MEDA	Voting Mbr	Color Guard

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	WELLS	K-54573	1W038L	BLA	MEDA	Voting Mbr	VIG / Sergeant-at-Arms
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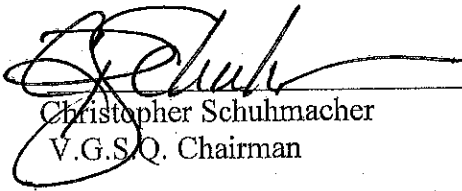
√ = Present

E = Excused Absence

Submitted,


Garvin Robinson
N.G.S.Q. Secretary / Treasurer

9-24-2014
DATE


Christopher Schuhmacher
V.G.S.Q. Chairman

9/25/14
DATE



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