

**Community Military Appreciation Committee  
Minutes  
February 10, 2017**

**Members Present:** Chairman Larry Smith, Chairman Dan Tarbell, Secretary Anita Stadey, and Treasurer Bruce Evans (excused) Operations Jim Erixson and Mike Burton (excused). Executive Board Members: Advocate Mike Burton(excused), Chaplain James Mead, Marketing Director Samantha Whitley, Outreach Dan Sockle, Safety Roy Billings, Supply/Website/ POW-MIA Bricks Bill Hauser, and Members at Large: Brad Aiello, Sean Gibson, Elizabeth Johnston, and Teresa Wheeler . [11]

Yvette Brown-Wahler (MOAA), Tom Cates (PT Boat 658), Jessica Chapman (American Red Cross), Nelson and Stephanie Collazo Serrano, Jim Czmowski (Young Marines), John Day (PT Boat 658), Stacey Donovan (City of Vancouver), Natalie Hantho (Fort Vancouver Trust), John Hopkins (Combat Veterans International), Kristine Johnson (Costco), June Lasch (American Red Cross), Patrick Locke (Legal Shield), Leonard Mills (Vancouver Elks), Jim Moody (Fort Vancouver Kiwanis), Trish Osilla (Costco), Amy Parsons (American Red Cross), Ron Powers (Power Impact Training), Frazier Raymond (Buffalo Soldiers), George Siegal, Michael Stacey(Pure Kraze Productions), Steven Stanley (Young Marines), Linda Tarbell, Ralph Walker, and Jeff Zawada (Fort Vancouver Trust) [25]

1. **Meeting called to order** by Chairman Larry Smith. Topic of how we should be “Ambassadors of Goodwill” to the youth.
2. **Sickness and Health:**
  - A. **William Wascher (Gumpy)** – Deceased. Combat Veterans International. Prayers to family.
  - B. **Thomas Dombek** – Hospitalized. In rehab and doing better.
  - C. **Bill Moorehouse** - Comfort
3. **Prayer: Chaplain James Mead**
4. **Pledge of Allegiance: Jim Erixson**
5. **CMAC Events:**
  - A. **Our Community Salutes – April 20<sup>th</sup>** Evergreen District Union High School 7:00 PM. Army will lead and coordinate this event. Leonard Mills, representing Vancouver Elks, presented a check for \$2,706.48 to CMAC for the purchase of the coins.
  - B. **Redheart Ceremony – April 22<sup>nd</sup>** Fort Vancouver 10:00 AM. More information to come.
  - C. **Memorial Day Ceremony – May 29<sup>th</sup>** Fort Vancouver Parade Grounds Bandstand. 11:00 AM Ceremony, Reception 10:00 AM to 10:45 AM at the Marshal House. Invitation only – CMAC Members are welcome!
  - D. **Costco “Heroes Night” – June 17<sup>th</sup>**
  - E. **Fort Vancouver National Historic Trust “George C Marshal Award”** – Nominations can now be sent in. Youth Award for High School Seniors, and Adult Leadership Award for outstanding volunteer service 35years or younger.
6. **CMAC News:**
  - A. **Vancouver Barracks Military Association Military Talks – February 16<sup>th</sup>** Marshal House (1301 Officers Row, Vancouver, WA) 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM. Dan Sockle will be speaking “When Tomorrow Means More Than Yesterday, can we ‘Trump’ the Roots of Extremism?”
  - B. **VA Medical Center – March 7<sup>th</sup>** 10:00 AM to Noon. “Dementia 101”
  - C. **Vet Bowl 2017 –March 25<sup>th</sup>** Allen’s Crosley Lanes (9:30AM to 12:30PM), **April 24<sup>th</sup>** Big Al’s (7PM to 9PM). Proceeds will help build Veterans Village located at 5118 NE St. James Rd. Sign up to bowl three games, \$20 entry fee or get 20 sponsors for \$1 each. To sign up go to [www.PureKrazeVeteransVillage.com](http://www.PureKrazeVeteransVillage.com).

**D. Steps 4 Vets 2017** – Walk at your own pace and at a location you choose. Record your steps with a pedometer or FitBit. Ask for sponsors for a penny per step. Record your pledges. Then Walk! Proceeds again go for the Veterans Village. Sign up for free at [www.purekrazeveteransvillage.com](http://www.purekrazeveteransvillage.com).

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**CMAC Meeting Dates**

Feb 17 <sup>th</sup>	40 et 8	8:30 AM
Mar. 3 <sup>rd</sup>	40 et 8	8:30 AM
Mar. 17 <sup>th</sup>	40 et 8	8:30 AM
Mar. 31 <sup>st</sup>	40 et 8	8:30 AM
Apr. 14 <sup>th</sup>	40 et 8	8:30 AM
Apr. 28 <sup>th</sup>	40 et 8	8:30 AM
May 12 <sup>th</sup>	40 et 8	8:30 AM
May 26 <sup>th</sup>	F. V. Band.	9:00 AM

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	Reception	10:00 AM
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- Armed Forces Reserve Center 15005 NE 65<sup>th</sup> Street, Vancouver, WA
- 40 et 8 7607 NE 26<sup>th</sup> Ave., Vancouver, WA