

**DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS  
CHAPTER 9  
MARYSVILLE, CA  
MINUTES FOR 8/18/07**

- A. Meeting opens for business 1115
- B. Agenda approved:
  - a. Motion: 1st Bob Logan, 2<sup>nd</sup> Tom Wallach
- C. Roll Call of officers: Commander (Stephanie Ruscigno), Sr. Vice Commander (Tom Wallach, Jr. Vice Commander (Bob Logan), Chaplain (John Boyel), Adjutant (Marvin Bottum. Absent: Treasurer and Veterans Service Officer.
- D. Minutes read by Adjutant and approved by voting body.
- E. Treasurer Report not given
- F. Chaplain Report: e-mail for Chaplain: John Boyel@aol.com  
Jackolin Mack (daughter of Tom Mack) still in recovery from brain surgery.  
Andrew Baker (son of Marv Bottum) returned from Afghanistan safely.
- G. Commanders Report:
  - a. National DAV Convention Report: ref. Oct. 13 Torch of Freedom
    - i. Went to work for Torch of Freedom Recognition and help from other related organizations.
    - ii. Will be getting scanned posters from WWII Museum.
    - iii. Special Delivery (B-25) will be present and will do a fly over as well as to be viewed at Yuba County Air Port.
    - iv. Need volunteers to make school presentations on WWII
    - v. WWII Code Talkers that are living need transportation from New Mexico for the event
    - vi. Fridays activities are on an invitation only bases
- H. Stand Down Report by Bob Logan: need volunteers to man info table.
- I. Town Hall Lineup for Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>. Women Rep., VA rep. DAV rep., Calif. VA rep.
- J. Awards: Nominations for Outstanding veteran of year with a press conference to be held in September.

## **NEW BUSINESS**

- A. Develop a passport of children to encourage them to participate in the Torch of Freedom experience.
- B. Winners of Americanism to receive prizes, talk on warlike talkies, and recognition.
- C. Bob Logan recommended that we donate \$100 toward the Stand Down Committee. Motion passed overwhelmingly
- D. Commander appoints Tom Mack as Judge Advocate for Chapter, accepted by Tom.
- E. Motion made to adjourn and have lunch at Round Table Pizza by Bob Logan, 2<sup>nd</sup> by Mike Payne.
- F. Meeting adjourned at 1120.
- G. Next meeting on 9/15/07.

Submitted by: Marvin Bottum, Adjutant