



ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

Patron H.M the Queen

Registered Charity Number 219279

Amesbury Branch (BR2562)

MINUTES OF AMESBURY ROYAL BRITISH LEGION

EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING

Tuesday 27th November 2018

Present

President	Mr. T Pryor-Jones
Chairman	Mr Reg Hughes
Vice Chairman/Treasurer/ M Secretary	Lt. Col. G Southwell
Secretary	Mr. P Smith
Area Poppy Organizer	Mr. G Jones
Standard Bearer	Mr. J Raymond
Branch Member	Mr. J Swindlehurst
Branch Member	Chief Tech. H Griffiths
Branch Member	Maj. N Estlick
Branch Member	Mr. M Pattenden
Branch Member	Mr. T Bebbington
Branch Member	Mrs. B Bebbington
Branch Member	Mrs. P Pryor-Jones
Branch Member	Mrs. P Jones
Branch Member	Mrs. P Bishop
Branch Member	Mr. G Deeley
Branch Member	Mr. A Graham
Branch Member	Mr. N Darg-Forsyth

Apologies

Branch Member	Fr. D A'Court
Branch Member	Mrs. J Swindlehurst
Branch Member	Mr. R Allen
Branch Member	Mrs. P Allen
Branch Member	Mr. R Prentice
Branch Member	Mr. J Kirkcaldy

1. Exhortation

Prior to the Exhortation, the Chairman advised "it is with much sadness I have to report that, sadly, Henry Parker (Wg Cdr HI Parker) a member of this Branch, passed away last Thursday following a Stroke, as funeral arrangements are known, these will be shared with you, after the Exhortation, please remain standing for one minute where silence will be observed."

The Exhortation was said by the Chairman and a respectful silence was observed.

2. Chairman's Welcoming Comments

The Chairman welcomed all present, provided an overview of the agenda and asked that a branch member volunteered for the post of Branch Secretary.

3. Electing a Branch Secretary

Paul Smith the current Branch Secretary provided an overview of the roles & responsibilities of the Secretary, before asking all present if there was a volunteer for the post, Chief Tech. H Griffiths (Griff) volunteered to take on the role of Secretary, but as at the AGM was voted in as treasurer, advised he was resigning that post.

Griff was proposed by our President Tony Pryor-Jones & seconded by Pauline Jones, a vote followed "For" was unanimous and the decision was, Chief Tech. H Griffiths (Griff) was "elected" as the new Amesbury Branch Secretary.

Our Area Poppy Organiser Mr. G Jones (Glyn) volunteered to take on the role of Treasurer, he was proposed by Nigel Estlick & seconded by Gerry Southwell, a vote followed "For" was unanimous and the decision was, Mr. G Jones (Glyn) was "elected" as the new Amesbury Branch Treasurer.

4. Any Other Business

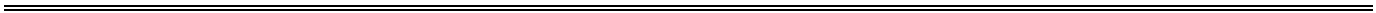
Gerry Southwell advised that there would be a post Remembrance Parade "Curry Lunch" in 2019, then confirmed that this event would be managed by Freda Hedge and himself, with the expectation being that it would be hosted in "The George Hotel"

5. Chairman's Closing Remarks

The Chairman advised he would like to thank Paul Smith for his years of service as both Secretary & Standard Bearer, the Chairman then presented a bottle of wine to Paul who received it with thanks.

The Chairman then thanked both Glyn & Griff for volunteering.

There being no other business the Chairman closed the meeting at **19:50hrs**



Proposed:- Seconded:-

Voting:-

- For
- Against
- Abstentions

Approved:- Date:-