American Legion General Monthly Meeting 1/7/2026 Minutes

- Call to Order: 1900

- Sergeant of Arms secure door.

- Prayer: Chaplin

- Sgt of Arms
a. Posts POW/MIA flag.
b. Posts colors.

- Commander asks Sgt of Arms if we have a quorum: 16, Yes

- Pledge of Allegiance

- Legion Preamble

- Attendance:

Present	Absent
Commander	1st Vice
2nd Vice	Adjutant
Chaplain	Finance
JAG	
Sergeant at Arms	
Service officer	
Historian	
SAL (Guest)	
Lloyd Niederriter (Guest)	
2 new members (names NA)	

- Guest Speaker: Lloyd Niederriter, representing, Corpus Christi Art Center & benefits for veterans

- New members: welcomed

- Minutes From Last Minutes: Read by 2d Vice, Motion passed.

- Finance Report:
a. Not available due to new finance officer illness.
b. Leo: hard copies should be provided if absent.

- Committee Reports
a. 1st Vice: NA due to illness
b. 2nd Vice:
1. Movie Night starting 1/21: Summer of 1942, Coastal Bend Goes to War.
2. Free Book shelf set up in lounge.
3. December Vendor Fair raised $570, split between Post & ALA.
4. Contacted by Tulso-Midway HS concerning JROTC community service for March/April, suggested support for fish fry.
5. Website up.
c. Chaplain:
1. Welcomed new members.
2. Thanked Llyod.
3. Available to help anyone with issues, prayers

d. SVC Officer: Still learning job.

e. Sargent at Arms: N/A

f. JAG: None

g. SAL:
1. $75 donation for supplies.
2. Replaced light bulbs in lounge with 60w LED.
3. $1 from each member for Children's Welfare Foundation.
4. Installed new swing on hall door.
5. Suggested a restaurant supply store (name NA) to help with supplies.

- Commander's Notes:
a. Both gate doors will be unlocked, safe access/egress better than vandalism.
b. Acknowledged we were behind on taxes, being taken care of by adjutant & finance, at

the moment more important, Quick-book's issue will be brought up later.

- Unfinished Business: Already discussed

- New Business: None

- Good For the Order:
a. Pete: 40+8 chicken dinner to benefit Nurse Scholarship, Friday, 1/9, 5:30-7.
(Commander left for phone call)
b. Leo: Hard copies for staff not present (see above), finance information & other personal info. Should not be on hard copy minutes (addressed by 2nd vice(web site folder deleted), bartender not adequately supported (will be addressed), recommended styrofoam vs. red solo cups, need more participation from officers, less gossip.
(Commander back)
c. Leo: In October suggested using Quick-books IOT save $2k on bookkeeper, resubmitted request.
d. Leo: Need better parking supervision; example issue with ambulance for Bobby.

- Sergeant of Arms: Retired POW/MIA & Colors.

- Closing Prayer: Chaplin.

- Meeting Adjourned: Time: 2000.

C. Roy
2d Vice

Note: Some items here are out of sequence to actual meeting but are listed here in proper order.