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Minutes of the April 15, 2017 Arizona Chapter of MOAA General Meeting

McCormick Ranch Golf Club Scottsdale Arizona.

The April 2017 meeting and luncheon of the general membership of the Arizona Chapter of MOAA was held on Saturday, April 15, 2017 at McCormick Ranch Golf Club, Scottsdale Arizona.

President Lee Lange opened the meeting at 11:50 AM with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by an invocation.

Members present: All new members and guests were introduced.

Lunch was served at 12:00 PM.

President's Announcements:

- President Lee introduced Chuck Ashby from the MANA House who spent some time telling us what he and Ron Green are doing to help the veterans there.
- The MOAA Golf Tournament will be April 21, 2017. All are encouraged to attend. If you cannot play please come for lunch.

Treasurer's report: Charlie Bitner, Treasurer, reported the Scholarship Fund is currently at \$21,888. General Fund at \$7013 including \$200 in petty cash for making change for raffle tickets & lunch, for a total of \$29,101. Note that the report is funds after this year's scholarship money has been taken out of the fund. The raffle grossed \$120 and \$70 was awarded in prizes.

Program:

President Lange introduced the Scholarship Chairman Jon Shawl to present the ASU ROTC Scholarships. Jon asked CAPT Archie Kelley, USN (Ret) to join him at the podium. CAPT Kelley is a WWII Veteran and a survivor of the Pearl Harbor attack December 7, 1941. He assisted Jon Shawl in presenting the awards to the students. CAPT Kelley then posed with the students for photographs. The recipients of this year's scholarships were Army Cadet Daina Cing, Navy Midshipman Britni Barricman and Air Force Cadet Michael Austin. Cadet Cing was presented by COL Bill Roscher USA (Ret). She was accompanied by her mother, a Lieutenant in the Army. Midshipman Barricman was introduced by CAPT Jon Shawl, USN (Ret). Cadet Austin was introduced by LT COL Charlie Black, USAF (Ret). Each recipient presented a summary of their plans for their future.

Closing Comments: President Lange announced that the next meeting would be May 20, 2017. The program will be presented by U.S. Representative David Schweikert, Arizona's 6th Congressional District.



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Meeting adjourned at 1:47 pm.

Respectively submitted: Paul Schnur, Secretary

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