



**THE ARIZONA CHAPTER**  
**Military Officers Association of America**  
*Arizona's First Chapter*



**Minutes of the January 21, 2017 Arizona Chapter of MOAA General Meeting**

**McCormick Ranch Golf Club Scottsdale Arizona.**

The January 2017 meeting and luncheon of the general membership of the Arizona Chapter of MOAA was held on Saturday, January 21, 2017 at McCormick Ranch Golf Club, Scottsdale Arizona.

President Lee Lange opened the meeting at 11:47 AM with the Pledge of Allegiance followed by an invocation.

**Members present:** All guests were introduced.

Lunch was served at 11:50 PM.

**President's Announcements:**

- President Lee wished all a Happy New Year.
- President announced that the Congress had passed a defense bill with some very good features in it including the long awaited pay raise.
- President Lee also announced that the scholarship fund was more than \$9,600 with a goal of \$10,000. The wine tasting event was very successful and helped quite a bit.
- President Lee announced that Pat Dale would put on the golf tournament April 21<sup>st</sup> at the Starfire Golf Club.

**Treasurer's report:** Charlie Bitner, Treasurer, reported the Scholarship Fund is currently at \$26,727.84 General Fund at \$7,224.89 including \$200 in petty cash for making change for raffle tickets & lunch, for a total of \$34,152.73.

**Program:**

Bruce Kosaveach introduced the program speaker Matt Scott who gave a very informative and interesting program on the selection and burial of the Unknown Soldier. A very detailed report of the program was presented in the Chapter Newsletter.

**Closing Comments:** Lee thanked those members who have renewed their memberships and urged everyone else to renew online or by mail.

Respectively submitted: Paul Schnur, Secretary