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MEMORANDUM FOR: Central Valley Chapter # 1551
Spirit of Sacramento Auxiliary Chapter # 0270

SUBJECT: NCOA/Auxiliary General Membership Meeting Minutes (4 Apr 07)

1. Meeting called to order at 1905 hours at VFW Post 4647 by Chapter Chairman, CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan.
 - a. Pledge of Allegiance led by CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan.
 - b. NCOA Creed read by MSgt (Ret) Terry Shannon.
 - c. Moment of silence observed.
2. **Executive Committee Members:**
CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan, Chairman, Present
SMSgt (Ret) Wes Wheeler, Vice-Chairman, Present
CMSgt (Ret) Jim Kearns, Treasurer, Present Sgt Michael Smith, Secretary, Present
MSgt (Ret) Terry Shannon, Special Projects Coordinator, Present
3. **Auxiliary Executive Committee Members:** Tammy Sullivan, Chairman, Present
Jean Krocke, Vice Chairman, Present Lauren Wheat, Secretary, Present
Teri Page-Gleason, Treasurer, Present
4. **Members Present:**
SKCS (Ret) Norma Von Dohren MSgt Kenneth Gleason MSgt (Ret) Nick Everett
MSgt (Ret) George Wheeler TSgt (Ret) Carl Cooley SrA Elisabeth Cook
Yvonne Cooley, Auxiliary
5. **Guests Present:** Maj Gen (Ret) Jim Hopp
6. Maj Gen (Ret) Jim Hopp spoke about the Da Vinci Experience and the need for volunteers. Training sessions will be conducted 14 and 18 April. Grand opening of the exhibit will be 20 April. Gen. Hopp left handouts and signup sheets. He also discussed upcoming events as part of Air Force week. They include AF Appreciation Night at Raley Field and Tops in Blue in several locations. He also talked about two new airplane exhibits expected at the museum by the end of the year. Thank you MG Hopp for the presentation.
7. **Chairman's Comments:**
Regular: CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan presented the Super Saxon awards for those volunteers with over 50 volunteer hours. Thank you everyone for all your help in the past year.
Auxiliary:
Tammy Sullivan presented the Super Saxon awards for the auxiliary members with over 50 volunteer hours. Thank you everyone for your help in the past year.

8. **Membership Coordinator:** 126 regular members, 48 auxiliary members.
9. **Treasurer's Reports:** CMSgt (Ret) Jim Kearns gave the treasurer's report.
Balances - Regular: \$3,158.94 Auxiliary: \$1,313.59
10. **Legislative:**
Legislature is on Easter break.
11. SMSgt (Ret) Wes Wheeler resigned as Vice-Chairman. Thank you Wes for all your past efforts and leadership. MSgt (Ret) Terry Shannon has agreed to fill the position of Vice-Chairman for the remainder of the term.
12. **Unfinished Business:**
 - a. Sacramento Stand Down. CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan still waiting for the contact person at the Stand Down to generate a letter to take to the possible towel donors. As a result of the non-responsiveness on their part Jim will send a letter stating that we cannot guarantee an amount of towels to donate. (OPEN)
 - b. CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan passed around pen samples to give new members. (OPEN)
 - c. Capital Air Show 9 –10 June. CMSgt (Ret) Jim Sullivan passed around signup sheets and gave a list of the requirements for volunteers. (OPEN)
 - d. Aerospace Museum of California – 20 April to Sept. The Da Vinci Experience run time at the museum has been extended about a month. Volunteer days and times are still being formulated. Volunteer forms were handed out; Jim will contact persons at Beale. (OPEN)
 - e. Memorial Day Parade – 28 May. We will take part in the parade with a banner. (OPEN)
13. **New Business:**
 - a. Watt Avenue Cleanup 18 May 1500 -1800 and 19 May 0800 -12 noon. Meet at the North Highlands Community Center. A BBQ will be held at 1400 at Freedom Park for all volunteers. (OPEN)
 - b. 2007 NCOA annual meeting 16-18 Aug will be held at the El Tropicana in San Antonio, TX. All are encouraged to attend. (OPEN)
14. Meeting adjourned at 2005 hours. The next meeting is scheduled for 2 May 07 at 1900 hours at the VFW Post 4647.

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JAMES N. SULLIVAN, CMSgt, USAF (Ret)
Chapter Chairman

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MICHAEL SMITH, Sgt, USAF
Chapter Secretary