



Charleston Chiefs' Group

Minutes for 21 October 2004



MEMORANDUM FOR: ALL CHARLESTON CHIEFS' GROUP MEMBERS

FROM: CHARLESTON CHIEFS' GROUP PRESIDENT

SUBJECT: MEETING MINUTES - 21 October 2004

1. ATTENDANCE: 21 Chiefs and 1 Visitor

2. The meeting was opened with the introduction of Tina Doscher, Business Development Director from Heritage Trust. Tina spoke of hours of operation of the mobile unit and the progress of the new branch on Dorchester Road. She also discussed identity theft and interest rates, including the 3.95% interest rates on cars.
3. Chief Strother called the Chiefs' Group meeting to order at 12:03. The meeting was opened with the members reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.
4. Chief Strother welcomed newcomers Chief Evelyn Irwin, 317 AS, and Chief Mary Hamlin, 315 AMDS.

5. THE MINUTES:

Chief Danko provided a copy of the minutes for September. **(APPROVED)**

TREASURER'S REPORT:

Chief Terry reported the total balance in checking and savings is \$3037.16 with \$2423.10 in checking and \$614.06 in savings. **(APPROVED)**.

6. OLD BUSINESS:

- **Chiefs' Induction Ceremony: (Open) POC Chief Charlie Hall**
Active duty Chiefs' list will be announced on 10 November. The Chief Induction Planning Committee still needs a backup guest speaker, National Anthem singer, and two masters of ceremony. The idea of a Chiefs' Honor Guard will be discussed at the next planning meeting. The date of the next meeting will be e-mailed to all Chiefs.
- **Chiefs' Group Headdress: (Open) POC Chief Withers**
New headdress is on order. Upon arrival of new headdress, presentation of the old headdress to Airman Leadership School will occur during the ALS Chiefs' panel.
- **Fish Fry: (Closed) POC Chief Clemons**
Fish Fry was a huge success. Chief Clemons briefed the results of the fish fry and thanked everyone for their support. It was voted on and passed to have another fish fry in the spring. Chief Clemons will again be the POC.

7. NEW BUSINESS:

- **Chiefs Hall and Farewell**

Chief Tom Hare Retirement - March 05, Ceremony - 10 December 04

Chief George Swinehart Retirement - April 05, Ceremony - 28 January 05

• **Command Chief Update**

Chief Willis spoke of congratulating the new Chiefs on 10 November and the celebration at the club. He also mentioned Combined Federal Campaign and ensuring 100 percent contact.

- Chief Strother expressed his appreciation to all Chiefs who participate in the ALS and Colonels/Chiefs volleyball challenges, along with the Chiefs' panels.
- A motion was passed to give \$100 to the Holiday Cheer program. A collection of \$50 was added for a total of \$150.
- The Chiefs' Group Nomination Committee is soliciting nominations for officer positions. Nominations can be presented to any member of the Nomination Committee. The committee members are Tom Angel, Georgia Fallaw, and Gil Lozano. Nominees will be presented at the December meeting with an opportunity to accept or decline. An election will be held during the Jan 20th meeting.
- **Auction**
Chief Strobel auctioned a Chiefs' jacket as a fundraiser. Chief Allen was top bid of \$20.

8. **NEXT MEETING: 18 November 2004, 1100 lunch, 1130 meeting**

9. **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- Chiefs' Promotion List - 10 November
- ALS Volleyball - 8 December, 1530
- ALS Graduation - 9 December, 1830
- Chief Tom Hare Retirement Ceremony - 10 December, 1000 at Club

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