

Sutton Royal British Legion Branch

Minutes from the meeting dated Monday 24th August 2015 at 8pm

The Chairman read the Act of Remembrance

Members Present

Dave Lawrence, Colin Kemp, Jonathan Cawthorn, Sara Lawrence, Marion Hough, John Wells, Edna Bryant, Gordon Godfrey, Yvonne Alger, Judy Kemp

Apologies: Vicky Evans

The minutes from the last meeting were read out and signed as a true record by the Chairman.

Matters Arising

- Marion has the photo of Gordon, Edna and Ron which will have appropriate wording added so it can be hung in the entrance hall of the club.
- Armed Forces Day was a success & was well attended. The Chelsea Pensioners were well received & all agreed they were a great idea. The 'barrow of booze' made an approximate profit of £130
- Jonathan raised £64.17 on a stall selling RBL balloons, keyrings etc. A further £11.25 was made from bar sales of similar items.
- Gordon attended with the Standard & the act of remembrance was said at the flagpole. All agreed that this was very moving & appropriate for the day.
- Colin will chase up the oak for the ceramic poppy

Treasurers Report

Business a/c balance £1217.62

Community a/c balance £11201.81

Secretary's Report

- Details of local events, Branch correspondence & minutes continue to be forwarded to John for him to post on the website.
- We were unsuccessful in our application for tickets to the Festival of Remembrance at the Royal Albert Hall
- Standards have been invited to a few local events - details given to Colin along with dates for Standard Bearer training sessions

Any Other Business

- Gordon & Keith will be Colin's escort at the Remembrance Day service on Sunday 8th November.

Poppy Appeal - 23rd October

- Bill Prenzlau has prepared a quiz consisting of 8 rounds & picture round.
- Dil will be quizmaster
- Judy will do posters
- Dave will organise prizes of wine, sweets & wooden spoons - we will be recompensed at the next meeting.
- Entry cost is £15 per team of 6

Meeting closed 8.40pm

Next meeting arranged for Monday 23rd November 2015 at 8pm

..... D.Lawrence (Chairman)