

**YORK COUNTY FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE
LODGE # 73 – MONDAY MARCH 11, 2013 MINUTES**

HOME ASSOCIATION:

President Matthew Emig called the meeting to order at 1905 hours. There were 41 members attending.

Guest Speakers:

1. York County Controller Rob Green was present at the meeting and spoke to the membership regarding re-election and requested endorsement.
2. Pamela Gay was also present at the meeting. She is running for York County Coroner and addressed the membership and requested endorsement.
3. Judge Michael Flannely was also present at the meeting and addressed the membership for their support. He is running for the position of Common Pleas Judge in which he was appointed to complete the term of Judge Chuck Patterson after his death. He also requested our endorsement.
4. Todd Platts was also present at the meeting and addressed the membership for their support. He is running for the position of Common Pleas Judge and also requested our endorsement.

Roll Call of Officers:

Present: President Matthew R. Emig, Treasurer Troy N. Senft, Secretary Donald E. Hopple Jr., Membership Secretary Greg Witmer, Trustee John R. Slater, Trustee Donald E. Gettys, Conductor Daniel Press, Guard James Walsh, and Chaplain J. Thomas Shelley, and Solicitor Edward A. Paskey, Esq.

Absent: 1st VP Tobin L. Zech, 2nd VP Rodger D. Johnson, Trustee Darryl L. Albright, and Past President John H. Fishel.

Minutes:

The minutes from the February monthly meeting were reviewed and approved. Motion to accept by Brother Dan Press, 2nd by Brother Ken Witmer. All in favor.

Treasurers Report:

The Treasurers report was reviewed and approved. Motion to accept by Brother Don Gettys, 2nd by Brother Dan Press. All in favor.

Correspondence:

None.

Committee Reports:

Membership Secretary Greg Witmer advised we had 5 applications for membership and everything was in order on all 5 of them. They are:

1. James Shawn Miller
2. Kristin Miller
3. Barrett Barshinger
4. Zachary Malinowski
5. Jorge L. Alvarez

Motion to accept all five by Brother Don Gettys, 2nd by Brother John Slater. All in favor.

Range Committee – No Report.

Investigation Committee - No report.

Sick Committee – Brother Ken Witmer advised a fruit basket/card was sent to Brother Bill Buckingham.

Oyster Feed Committee – Brother Hopple and Brother Senft gave the final report for the feed. We were - \$658.06 at the conclusion of the feed. It was noted that the turnout was up from last year which was attributed to the new guest policy.

Merchandise Committee – No report.

Audit Committee – Trustee Slater and Trustee Gettys examined the books and advised they were in good order.

Old Business:

None.

New Business:

None.

Good of Order:

None.

Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn at 2023 hours by Brother Troy Senft, 2nd by Brother Don Gettys. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald E. Hopple Jr.
Secretary – Lodge #73

**Attendance report attached.

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Treasurers Report:

The Treasurers report was reviewed and approved. Motion to accept by Brother Don Gettys, 2nd by Brother Dan Press. All in favor. A copy is attached to the minutes.

Correspondence:

PA State Lodge Winter Boards are being conducted from 3/22/2013 through 3/23/2013 in Gettysburg. May 6, 2013 is the PA State Lodge annual police memorial service. The Day on the Hill is scheduled for April 16, 2013.

Officer Reports:

None.

Committee Reports:

Solicitation – President Emig is still looking for volunteers to serve on this.

Membership – Membership Secretary Greg Witmer presented two applications for membership. They are as follows:

1. Sean A. Hightman - WYPD
2. Rikki A. Martin – York Co. Probation

Motion to accept both of the above by Brother Troy Senft, 2nd by Brother Don Gettys. All in favor.

Sick – Brother Ken Witmer advised he sent a fruit basket and card to Brother Walter Groom who had surgery. It was also noted that Brother Terry Witmer has an upcoming surgery.

Audit – Trustee Slater and Trustee Gettys examined the books and advised they were in good order.

Web Site – No report.

Labor Council – No report.

Legislative/Endorsement – Brother Jim Walsh advised the questionnaire for the D.A. is completed. Additional questionnaires will be made for Judge and Coroner. Brother Walsh also advised everything is currently quiet in Harrisburg.

Old Business:

1. President Emig reminded the membership of retirement certificates. He also handed out a retirement certificate to Brother Chris Geary. Congratulations!

New Business:

President Emig discussed the new solicitation company we were looking into. He advised the committee met with Greg Romano with Show Productions. The cut would be 80% to the company and 20% to us. Discussion held. The committee will be pursuing this.

Good of Order:

1. There will be a Fallen Officer Memorial Service on May 17, 2013 at the York County 911 Center. All are invited to attend.
2. The Torch Run will be held on April 27, 2013.
3. “Cop's & Lobster's” will be held at the Red Lobster on East Market Street on May 2, 2013.

Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn at 2040 hours by Brother Troy Senft, 2nd by Brother Larry Myers. All in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

Donald E. Hoppie Jr.
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