



**Sons of The American Legion
Detachment of Indiana
Post Convention
Detachment Executive Committee Meeting
July 12, 2025**

Commander Ken Corbeille opened the meeting at 2:46 PM with a right-hand salute to the Colors of our Nation. Acting Chaplain Richard Castillo gave an opening prayer. The POW/MIA chair was in place. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Commander Corbeille. The Preamble to the Constitution of the Sons of The American Legion was led by Commander Corbeille. The Blue Star Banner was in place.

Commander Corbeille called on Asst. Adjutant Chris Carlton for a roll call which showed the following:

Commander:	Ken Corbeille
Northern Vice Commander:	Noble Pulsipher
Northern Vice Commander:	David Parker
Southern Vice Commander:	Dustin Owens
Southern Vice Commander:	Rick Lohrum
Sgt.-at-Arms:	Mike Abel
Finance Officer:	Doug Heiser
NEC:	Joseph Schultis
Alt. NEC:	Jimmy Martin

District Commanders:		
1 st :	Bill Duncan	(EX)
2 nd :	Jimmy Edwards	
3 rd :	Mark Smith	
4 th :	Cliff Anderson	
5 th :	Jay Huffman	
6 th :	Mark Davidson	
7 th :	Gary Black	
8 th :	Jimmy Martin	
9 th :	Kennth Jones	
10 th :	David Brown	
11 th :	William Barnett	

District Advisors:

11th: Steve Tansel

Past Detachment Commanders:

David Stephens	Larry Paulus	Don Stephens
James Arter	Raymond Giehll, Jr	David Ridenour
David Brown	David Siggers	Richard Pfeiffer
Mark Tansel	David Hanson	Greg Spaulding
Chris Carlton	Joe Schultis	Dewey Long
Doug Heiser	Jimmy Martin	Charles Gemlich
Paul Rush	Andy Byers	

Commander Corbeille asked for a reading of the previous minutes.

PDC Raymond Giehll Jr made a motion to suspend the reading of the minutes until they are published, 2nd by PDC Richard Pfeiffer. Motion passed.

Guests:

Commander Corbeille called on NEC Joe Schultis for introductions.

NEC Schultis made the following introductions:

Bill Clancy, leading candidate for SAL National Commander from the Detachment of New York

Unfinished Business: None

New Business:

Commander Corbeille passed out a list of his appointments for the coming year's officers, which are the following:

Adjutant	Raymond Giehll Jr
Asst. Adjutant	Chris Carlton
Asst. Adjutant	James Arter
Asst. Adjutant	Joe Schultis
Chaplain	Richard Castillo
Historian	Robert Craig
Asst. Sgt-At-Arms	Cliff Anderson
Asst. Sgt-At-Arms	Clifton Morlan
Asst. Sgt-At-Arms	Randy Wilkening
Judge Advocate	Richard Pfeiffer
Asst. Judge Advocate	Mark Franke
Membership Chairman	Dave Pearson
Public Relations	David Parker

PDC Andy Byers made a motion to accept Commander Corbeille's appointments, 2nd by PDC Richard Pfeiffer. Motion passed.

Commander Corbeille passed out a list of his appointments for Commissions and Committees, Corrections to the list are the following: Jimmy Edwards Athletic Chairman, NEC Joe Schultis Resolutions Chairman.

While the Commanders list was being reviewed, PDC Raymond Giehll Jr made a motion to dissolve the Detachment Campout along with the Committee. NEC Joe Schultis 2nd.

Discussion:

PDC Carlton asked if it was possible to dissolve the committee and keep the line item in the budget for possible reconsideration in the future.

PDC Raymond Giehll Jr stated that it would remain as a line item for this year because our budget has already been approved for this year and be taken out for the following years.

Northern Vice Commander Noble Pulsipher asked if this motion would be a suspension of the committee and not dissolution.

The answer was no it was to dissolve the committee.

With no more questions or discussion. The motion passed.

There was a question about whether Dave Hanson was staying on the Athletic Committee. Dave Hanson stated he would stay on through the golf tournament. Jimmy Martin has been added to the Athletic Committee.

Don Stephens was added to the Children's Hospital Committee and Mark Davidson was removed.

NEC Joe Schultis made a motion to accept Commander Corbeille's appointments for all the Commissions and Committees with the changes. PDC Charles Gemlich 2nd. Motion passed. (See attached list)

Sick Call & Relief:

Commander Corbeille stated that Larry Horvath was home now but would be returning to the hospital next week.

Commander Corbeille also informed us that Mike Arend was having issues with a heart valve.

Correspondence:

Adjutant Raymond Giehll Jr. announced that the Organizational meeting would be July 19, 2025, at noon. He said he would send a reminder out.

Good of The Sons of The American Legion:

Jimmy Edwards announced that the Detachment golf tournament would be held on September 13, 2025. Asking for each District to sponsor their corresponding hole. He has flyers available for anyone who would like to sponsor any hole for \$75.00

With no further business to come before the meeting Commander Corbeille called for a closing prayer. Chaplain Richard Castillo gave a closing prayer. With a right-hand salute to the colors of our Nation the meeting was closed at 3:20 PM

2025-2026 Commissions & Committees

Americanism Commission

Chairman: Noble Pulsipher
Jimmy Martin, Jim Arter, Gary Black

Committees:

Athletics

Chairman: Jimmy Edwards
Al Pulido, David Hanson, Randy Wilkening, Jimmy Martin

Hoosier Boys State

Chairman: Mike Abel
Greg Spaulding, Tom Nedele, Fred Motley

POW&MIA

Chairman: Ron Ripperger
Charles Gemlich, Mark Smith, Rick Lohrum

5 Star-10 Ideal

Chairman: Tom Nedele
David Mummert, Bill Barnett, Robert Craig

Children and Youth Commission

Chairman: Jeff Gresley
Andy Byers, Dustin Owens, Jimmy Edwards

Committees:

Child Well-Being Foundation
Chairman: Fred Motley
Mark Smith, Kevin Byers, Chris Carlton

American and Government
Chairman: Dave Siggers
Mark Franke, Brian Hauser, David Hanson

Children's Hospital
Chairman: Bill Paulus
Dustin Owens, Don Stephens, Andy Byers

Law Cadet Academy
Chairman: Cliff Stephens
Dave Hanson, Kent Walker, Mike Shuler

Shooting Sports
Chairman: Mike Shuler
Cliff Anderson, Craig Titzer, Brian Hauser

Special Olympics
Chairman: Brian Gilbert
Logan Pipher, Mike Abel, Mike Pipher

Oratorical
Chairman: Greg Spaulding
Mike Pipher, Mark Franke, Brian Gilbert

Internal Affairs Commission

Chairman: David Miller
3yr Andy Byers, 2yr Paul Rush, 1yr Charles Gemlich

Committees

Community Involvement
Chairman: Randy Wilkening
Cliff Anderson, Mark Davidson, Dave Brown

Information and Training
Chairman: Dave Parker
Chris Carlton, Joe Schultis, Doug Heiser

Public Relations & Information Technology
Chairman: Dave Parker
Chris Carlton, Raymond Giehll, Jr., Doug Heiser

Convention
Chairman: Mark Davidson
2yr North, Noble Pulsipher 2yr South, Joshua Sroufe
1yr North, Bill Duncan 1yr South, Dustin Owens

Legislative
Chairman: Richard Pfeiffer
Mark Franke, Dave Brown, David Miller

Scholarship
Chairman: Dave Parker
Raymond Giehll, Jr., Chris Carlton, Cliff Anderson

Religious Emphasis
Chairman: Richard Castillo
Larry Paulus, Fred Motley, Kevin Byers, ALL DISTRICT CHAPLAINS

Rehabilitation Commission

Chairman: Rick Lohrum
3yr Charles Gemlich, 2yr Dustin Owens, 1yr Greg Wagner

Committees:

Homeless Veterans
Chairman: Mike Bottom
Robert Craig, Andy Byers, Kent Walker

IVH
Chairman: Bob Shields
Chairman Emeritus: James Arter Sr.
Bill Duncan, Steve Brock

VAVS
Chairman: Jay Huffman
3yr Ron Ripperger, 2yr David Stephens, 1yr Jimmy Martin

VE & E
Chairman: Jason Lambert
ALL Detachment Vice Commanders, All District Commanders

Stand Alone Committees

Distinguished Guests
Chairman: Joe Schultis
Raymond Giehll, Jr., Richard Pfeiffer, Chris Carlton

Finance and Budget
Chairman: Raymond Giehll Jr.
3yr Jimmy Martin, 2yr Greg Spaulding, 1yr David Siggers

Resolutions
Chairman: Joe Schultis
Richard Pfeiffer, Mike Pipher, Bill Duncan

Sons IN Need (SIN)
Chairman: Mark Smith
Doug Heiser, Dennis Budd, Charles Gemlich

Membership & Squadron Expansion
Chairman: David Pearson
ALL VICE COMMANDERS & ALL DISTRICT COMMANDERS &
ALL SQUADRON COMMANDERS