

Great War Association G-8 Meeting Minutes
11/04/2007 08:30 AM

Present:

Jim Kidd, President
Jeff Redrup, VP
Brad Busch, Secretary
Randy Gaulke, Treasurer
Rob Zienta, CP Combat Commander
Merlin Hanson, CP Rep.
Jon Kulaga, Allied Rep.

Observers:

Jeff Holder, Allied TM
Steve Wiser, GWA Site Caretaker

Next Meeting: 4/20/2008 08:30AM (Tentative)

- Event (11/2-11/3/2007) Observations
 1. Flairs fired to low.
 2. Hand bomb construction has been made outside of our regulations.
 3. Safety committee members need to inspect bombs at random during events.
 4. Parking lot improvements are needed. Logs or wire rope can be used to denote parking area. Move vendors to area around the registration area and out of parking area.
 5. Usage of period looking trench passes by each side. (Allied and separate one for CP)
 6. Pay Pal \$2.00 fee not being paid by many.
 7. Attendance Low 300's.

- Officers Report
 1. CP Combat Commander
 - Need to clarify the "Rules of Engagement".
 - Indiscriminate cutting of wire in the frontlines.
 - Wire cut Friday night cannot be fixed during non-combat times.
 - 3rd Minen Werfer (?) Property was damaged and thrown around.

 2. Allied Combat Commander
 - Equipment was thrown over parapet.

 3. Allied Rep.
 - Not enough port-o-john's. Need one more at registration and one more at period camp.

4. CP Rep.
 - People registering as part of units they are not a part of.
5. Treasurer
 - Could pay off mortgage 2 years early.
 - Clean and green lowers taxes.
- Wrap Up Discussion
 1. Must register as an approved unit only and operate as that unit.
 2. Ground charges were a good idea and should be continued.
 3. At unit-sponsored events the sponsoring unit is financially responsible for the sight.
 4. Lock Black and White car gate during the event. No vehicle will be allowed during event times.
 5. Possible use of wagon for roads again.
 6. Lumber abandonment/donation piles for GWA use.
- Motions
 1. 8 total events a year at the GWA site. PASSED 7-0
 2. Fix the structural integrity of the farmhouse for GWA use. PASSED 7-0