



American Legion Auxiliary - East Palo Alto Unit 472

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May 9, 2008

General Meeting: Opened at 7:04 PM (PT) by 2nd Vice President Guang Ming Whitley

Attendance: Susan Middendorf, Lou Thompson, Mary Martin, Angela McCoy, Kerry Finley, Raylene Merino

1. **Minutes** of April 20, 2008 approved by those present.
2. **Treasurer's Report** filed for audit.
3. **Officer/Chairmen Reports**

Poppy :: Chairman Susan reported Poppy Week is next week May 11-17th.

All paid Senior members should be receiving some poppies in the mail this week or early next week depending on where you live. Inside each envelope there should be a letter with suggestions on what you can do with your Poppy's for Poppy Week and throughout the year as well as background information on the poppy and how to fluff them for offering.

If possible, all Junior members should be given a poppy by their senior member to wear on Memorial Day.

Please report your hours, miles, \$\$\$'s and description of your activities for our Unit Report and supplemental ASAP. It is due by Memorial Day.

Remember to send all donations to the Unit Treasurer. Checks should be made payable to ALA EPA Unit 472 earmarked "Poppy Fund."

Physical Meeting Committee :: Chairman Kerry reported The physical meeting planning committee met last night. It was decided that a physical meeting will be held on the weekend of October 10-11th. We will have a social function (dinner) on Friday night for those who are in town. The meeting will take place in Southern CA, specifics to be determined later. On Sat, we will have a Department-sanctioned leadership workshop followed by a social event and fun games that evening. We will be finalizing details on location very soon, maybe as soon as next week. Please mark the dates on your calendar and plan to attend! We will send more information as it becomes available.

4. **Unfinished Business**

Unit Roster :: Secretary Lou reported that the roster has been updated and sent to the Poppy Chairman. It is available to any member who requests it.

5. **New Business**

No new business.

6. Announcements

The delegate and alternate cards are in the mail.

Val just had a counselor back out for Girls State. Anyone know someone who might be interested?

7. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 7:31 PM (PT)

Lou Thompson (Signature)