



East Palo Alto Unit #472

American Legion Auxiliary – Department of California

The meeting of East Palo Alto Unit 472 was called to order by **Unit President, Kerry Finley** at 7:00 pm on Thursday December 7, 2006. The meeting was opened in regular fashion. 10 members registered as present during the meeting.

The November minutes were approved as posted.

The financial statement for the unit stated the balance on hand as of 11/30/06 was \$1296.29. No corrections were made so it will be placed on file for audit.

It was moved seconded and passed to reimburse Linda Workman \$27.76 for cost incurred hosting the district meeting.

Girls State: Guang Ming asked for volunteers for the Girls State Delegate interview process.

Membership Chairman, Mary Martin: reported we had 2 new members.

The following fund raising activities were presented:

Recycling Week- January 7-14th. Since recyclables might tend to accumulate during the Holidays, we are hoping that at any point during that week, everyone could turn in said recyclables and donate the money from reimbursement to the Unit. Checks can be made out to ALA Unit 472 and are tax deductible.

-Valentine Grams- We are working on prototypes and hope to have samples of Valentine's cards that we will mail to your friends, family, etc for a fee to be determined.

-E-Bay- We would like to see how much support there is in our unit for donating items to list on ebay before we begin making serious inquiries. Etc?

-Chevy's Mexican Restaurant Fundraiser- Tentatively Planned for January 19th. Chevy's offers fundraising support (15% of purchases) to any community organization and makes it quite easy to coordinate a fundraising event at any of their restaurant locations. Since Chevy's is widely known throughout California, we thought we could host fundraising events at several locations up and down the state on the same day.

It was moved seconded and passed to hold a Chevy's fundraiser in January date and place to be determined.

Meeting adjourned at 8:31pm