

FORT RUCKER CHAPTER AT FORT NOVOSEL
MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA
BOARD OF DIRECTOR'S MEETING
JULY 8, 2024

The meeting convened at 1155 on 8 July 2024 at the Divots Restaurant at Silver Wings Golf Course, Fort Novosel, AL and chaired by Ron Kaita. Attendees were Ron Kaita, Dennis Newton, Carolyn Wooley, Loel Ewart, Frank Estes, Othan Gilbert, Faye Swinehart and Susanne Bailey.

Dennis Newton opened the meeting with the invocation.
Ron Kaita led us in the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

Old Business

- Minutes of the 10 June board meeting were approved.

New Business

- The Treasurer's 8 July 2024 finance report was approved. Loel stated that with Carolyn Wooley help the audit has been completed and sent to the Post.
- Ron Kaita gave the Ambassador Program report. He reported he recruited 54 for MOAA National yesterday. He said there will be a graduation this coming Wednesday.
- Frank reminded everyone to get news articles to him by the 17th or earlier. He shared a preview of this coming newsletter.
- Ron announced for Randy that our speaker for August Dinner will be Shannon Smith. She is Congressman Barry Moore's spokesperson.
- Othan reported that our membership is at 122 with 20 surviving spouse members. He stated that we lost a sponsor, Sorrells Funeral Home, and suggested that we try to enlist a funeral home from Ozark to take its place.
- Susanne said she is working on the menu for August chapter dinner. She will have that information to Frank for our next newsletter.
- Ron reminded everyone about the Eagle Rising Society tomorrow at 2 P.M. He hoped that all of us would attend. Lt. Gen Brian Kelley is flying in for this event.

The board adjourned at 1212

The next board meeting will be on 12 August.

Carolyn Wooley, Secretary