

**American Legion Post 523  
P.O. Box 1432  
Harrisburg, NC 28075**

**Membership Meeting**

**Opening:**

The regular meeting of The American Legion Post 523 was called to order at 7:00 PM on March 8, 2011 at The Carillon Assisted Living Center, 6200 Roberta Road, Harrisburg by Commander Robert Macleod.

Opening prayer was officered by \_\_Don

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by \_\_\_Charles Fero

POW-MIA Chair was covered by Ron Freeman

The American Legion preamble was led by Ed\_Lacheney

**Officers:**

Commander	Robert Macleod
First vice	Ron Freeman
Second Vice	Ed Lacheney
Adjutant	Jesus Velez
Chaplain	Charles Fero
Finance	James Larabee
Judge advocate	open
Historian	Robert Crocker
Sergeant at Arms	Mark D'Amore
Service Officer	
Member at large	

**Correspondence:**

**No Correspondence**

## **Reports:**

### **Finance**

James Larabee gave the financial report.

### **Chaplain**

No Report

### **Color guard Committee**

No Report

### **Americanism Committee:**

No Report

### **Post Historian**

No Report

### **Post service Officer Report**

No Report

### **Visitor:**

Mr. John Gallina spoke to the members about the mission of the Purple Heart Homes. They serve all Veterans.

New Member: John Benoid was sworn in.

Transfer: Peter Norman

## **Open Issues:**

Steve Minderlein updated the members about by progress on the Boys State candidates. He has distributed the Application Packets to the Schools. The post will sponsor one candidate and the Jerry Minderlein Memorial Scholarship Fund will sponsor another candidate. He encouraged everyone to visit the Jerry Minderlein Memorial Scholarship Fund page at our web site.

The commander asked members that haven't paid their to pay them as soon as possible.

**New Business:**

Bingo will be at the VA on Sunday at 1:00 PM.

The commander explained the breakup of District 17.

Closing Prayer was officered by Don Freeman

**Adjournment:**

The meeting was adjourned at \_08:30\_ by Commander Robert Macleod.

The next general meeting will be held at 7:00 PM on \_April 12, 2011\_ at The Carillon Assisted Living Center, 6200 Roberta Road, Harrisburg.

The minutes submitted by: Jesus Velez, Post Adjutant

The minutes were reviewed by: Commander Robert Macleod

**Approval of Minutes:**

Motion: \_\_\_\_\_ Second : \_\_\_\_\_