

DEPARTMENT CONTEST SUPERVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING  
September 18, 2009

Meeting was called to order at 2:00 pm in the Sunset East Room of the Eastin Hotel, Roseville, MI.

**MEMBER:** 7 members present, 1 absent

**GUESTS:** 7 guests present

Gary Sammons, Dearborn Convention Committee, stated to the committee that he is going to tell Department that he is in favor of a convention parade at Dearborn in 2010.

**Minutes:**

It was motioned by Wawruck and seconded by Raymond Frank to approve the minutes from Department Convention held June 18/19, 2009 at Lansing Causeway Bay hotel. Motion carried.

**Business:**

Chairman DeCarlo explained forms he had to fill out for the committee.

Whitehall Post 69 explained to the committee where they perform.

Ken Wright stated that he is in favor of hiring two professional judges. One for General Effects and one for Marching & Maneuvering.

Whitehall Post 69 Re: rules. Re: Teams may not compete in more than one competition. Committee will adhere to the National rules.

K. Wright explained that Judges will be used for field judges and ritual teams only.

Warwick stated that the committee should hold a short schooling session for the judges prior to the competition.

It was moved by Wright and Seconded by Baker for Rhonda to contact National for an update on all rules. Color Guard/Ritual/MIA-POW/Flag Retirement/Last Rite.

It was moved by Wright and seconded by Wawruck to pay field judges \$50 and Ritual team competition \$25. Motion tabled.

Frank explained to new committee members what is expected of them.

It was moved by Wright and seconded by Wawruck to sponsor or support Marty's Goldenaires at National Convention to be held in Milwaukee in 2010. Motion carried.

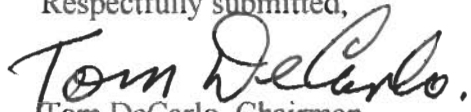
The committee reviewed current score sheets and found them to be current.

A moment of silence was observed to Carl Snyder a long time member of the Contest supervisory committee.

**Adjournment:**

There being no further business to come before this committee, it was moved by Garrett and seconded by Baker the meeting was adjourned at 4:10 pm.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tom DeCarlo." The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, prominent initial "T".

Tom DeCarlo, Chairman

A. Jeffrey, Secretary