

PIEDMONT CHAPTER MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

MARCH 18, 2021 LUNCHEON MEETING MINUTES

The luncheon meeting was held at Tuckers and called to order at 11:45 by President Wayne Watson who welcomed all members, new members and guests.

The invocation was delivered by Chaplain Howard Jones.

The Pledge of Allegiance was directed by Howard Stammerjohn.

While lunch was being served, Wayne gave us an update on the M.J. Dolly Cooper Veterans Cemetery Scattering Garden. It should be ready for planting in April.

Guests included:

Christina Martin from the Anderson Veterans' Association. Christina gave an extensive update on current legislative affairs.

Wade Breaud, Cemetery Superintendent.

Wayne introduced the speaker Captain Taylor Donald Wilson, Air Defense Officer, 263d AAMDC Aide-de-Camp who gave a detailed description of his duties and that of his unit. His most memorable activity was his participation in helicopter reporting in the aftermath of a hurricane.

Captain Wilson introduced Captain Justin Adams who was involved in the first group to go to Europe after Covid.

At the conclusion of the meeting, General Sheriff gave an uplifting review of the military's current status as the protector of the country.

Angie Pellegrini was thanked for her role as the Chapter Webmaster.

Linda Stammerjohn won the Door Prize.

Chaplain Jones gave the benediction and the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon Jacobs, Secretary