

Naval Enlisted Bombardier Navigator Association (NEBNA)



Meeting Thirty Two (32) of the Naval Enlisted Bombardier Navigator Association (NEBNA) was held in Sanford FL at the Marriott Spring Hill Suites, Saturday morning 29 June 2013.

The minutes of the meeting are in accordance with the NEBNA BYLAWS, Article VII, Meeting Procedures.

The meeting was called to order by Secretary Denny Noto, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to Our Flag, then a brief prayer from Chick Winship.

The membership role call was recorded. There were 6 NEBNA members present:

1. Feedback, Ralph (“Rotten Ralph”)
2. Markland, Richard
3. Noto, “Denny”
4. Pemberton, “Pem”
5. Pierce, Don (“World Famous”)
6. Winship, “Chick”

Secretary’s Report:

NEBNA Secretary, Denny Noto, read the minutes of the last meeting held on Saturday 16 February 2013. Motion was made and accepted for the reading of the minutes.

Treasurer’s Report:

NEBNA Treasurer, “Rotten Ralph” Feedback

- Operating Fund \$947.37
- Memorial Fund \$55.05
- Memorial Fund CD \$3855.07
- Total Funds in account **\$4857.49**

History Chairman Report:

No additional information

Old Business:

US Naval Museum:

Forget it!

We cannot (It appears that we never will) receive any recognition from the National Museum of Naval Aviation, located in Pensacola, FL.

Fund Raising Account:

- No further discussion on fund raising.

New Business:

Decision time . . . (Note: There was so much “table-talk” that it was hard to say who said what, but in summary, here it is.)

- General discussion on what is in the future for the NEBNA.
- Do we or do we not terminate the existence of the Naval Enlisted Bombardier Navigator Association?
- We still have a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization. What do we do with it?
- The 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization is not that easy to obtain.
- The annual fee for 501(c)(3) not-for-profit organization is partially paid for, from the Memorial fund.
- The six members present (Feeback, Markland, Noto, Pemberton, Pierce and Winship) at this meeting VOTED and APPROVED to keep the NEBNA intact.

What’s next for the NEBNA?

- Our current Mission Statement is:
 - *“It is the mission of the Naval Enlisted Bombardier Navigator Association (NEBNA) to be officially recognized as an important part of Naval Aviation and occupy a place in the National Museum of Naval Aviation, located in Pensacola, Florida.”*
- We will ask the members on some suggestions on how to reword our “Mission Statement”.
- Where do we go from here?
 - Chick Winship noted that we do have a NAS Sanford display located at the Sanford/Orlando International Airport. It may be possible to display some information about the NEBNA in this area. There is rumor that the Airport will expand its area and provide more floor space for additional displays (?).
 - Feeback was tasked to contact Cdr Tise and talk about what can we do.

New elections of Officers for the NEBNA

- The members present VOTED and APPROVED the following:
 - President – Don Pierce (“World Famous”)
 - Vice President – Richard Markland
 - Secretary – Denny Noto
 - Treasurer – Ralph Feeback (“Rotten Ralph”)

Next meeting:

- The members agreed on having the next NEBNA meeting in Sanford FL, Saturday 28 June 2014.
- We will continue to have an annual meeting in Sanford FL on the last weekend of June.
- February meetings in Pensacola FL are on hold, pending interest and members that can attend.

Meeting adjourned:

The meeting was adjourned
Respectfully submitted

Denny Noto
NEBNA Secretary

As of 29 June 2013

President:	Don Pierce
Vice President:	Richard Markland
Secretary:	Denny Noto
Treasurer:	Ralph Feeback