



NOTTS BRANCH SEAFORTH HIGHLANDERS ASSOCIATION

The meeting was held in Pleasley Miner's Welfare on 12th February 2010 in the Chair Mr Tommy Riddell

Act of Homage. The meeting stood in silent tribute to fallen comrades, the Chairman welcomed Jim Riddell and Don Wilson to the meeting both had served as Cameron and QO HLDRS. The Chairman opened the meeting at 2015hrs.

Apologies. Proctor, Simpson, Ward, Biddles, Hallam

Scattered Members. Rowan, Dodd, Calloway, J McLucas, Jim and Jack Knight, Wood, Gough, Graham, Rogers, G Taylor, Venables, Moore, Tytgatt.

Min 1. Minutes of the previous meeting were passed as read

Min 2 Matters arising nil

Min 3 Correspondence – Bill Simpson is in Hospital, (unfortunately Bill has passed away) we are awaiting a report from Jim Biddles (via Dagger's Stepdaughter) as Dagger may well be in Hospital in Leicester. Letter from the Royal Marines Association and the London Branch minutes were circulated. Thank you letters/cards for the Christmas gifts from Margaret Simpson, E Merson and M Thompson sending best regards to all members. Letters sending subs and donations from Jim Biddles, Jack Knight, Jim Knight and John Proctor all sending their best wishes to all members. Christmas cards to the branch from Jack Knight and Susan and John Proctor. Thank you card from the family of Ken Wright to Tommy for attending Ken's funeral and arranging a Piper.

Min 4 Matters arising – Nil

Min 5 Relief – No new cases reported and none pending.

Min 6 Pipes and Drums Report – Practices on Thursdays are well attended and Chris Boddell is kindly helping out teaching the Drummers.

Min 7 100 Club – still in suspension.

Min 8 Good News. Tommy brought in a large dram for all to celebrate his 80th birthday and to wet the head of his great grandson Isaac. Stuart has got a granddaughter Erin, and Keith is going to Murrayfield to watch the Scotland v England game with his Grandson.

Min 9 AOB. Leicester Pipes and Drums Dinner on 20 Feb. Our Annual Dinner is on 17th April 2010 at the Masonic Hall Mansfield tickets £19.00 each order from the Secretary. All the usual helpers agreed their tasks for the Dinner. Subs are due still only £3.00 (bargain). Raffle prizes for the dinner are always gratefully received.

Next Meeting – 9th April 2010
Next Raffle Prize – John Proctor (already received)
This month's raffle winner – Don Wilson

There being no further business to discuss the Chair thanked everyone for attending and wished all members a safe journey home.

Members Present: Riddell, Galloway, Collins
B McLucas, Holburn, Dear, Hill, Fawthrop, Croft, Everill, Brooks,
Gusterson, J Riddell, D Wilson

Yours Aye
Charlie Gusterson