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**Command Staff Meeting Agenda** 

Tuesday, November 12, 2024, 7:30 PM

Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/91290681960?pwd=z21WamgGEeli5CiqRQX8IfbcfhcWrT.1">https://zoom.us/j/91290681960?pwd=z21WamgGEeli5CiqRQX8IfbcfhcWrT.1</a>

**Attendees:** Lt. Col. Michael Graves, Capt./ Adjutant Dylan Potter, Col./ Recruiting Officer Bob Falotico, Col./Quartermaster Paul O'Shaughnessy, Capt./ Paymaster Leonard Torto, Capt. Shaun Timberlake, Sgt. Major Ken Mental, Sgt. Justin Murray, Sgt. Jonathan DeRosa, Sgt. Khalid Antar, Fife Major George Souza

Meeting called to Order: 7:38

I. Opening Remarks: None.

- II. Meeting minutes, October 1, 2024: Approved
- III. Company/ Regiment Interactions: We are a regiment and member of an army. A lot of times we go to events with unfavorable scenarios, but we still have to go with the scenario. Companies/ units can't go off on their own. Unfortunately, if there is a set scenario, we have to follow it.
- IV. Quartermaster Updates
  - a. Muskets ready for four recruits
  - b. Bertolaccini has purchased and received a musket
  - c. Rest of November is devoted to muskets and belting
  - d. No need to buy more leather just yet
  - e. Waiting on a scabbard for musician hanger
  - f. Looking for sources for enlisted lace
  - g. Request from the 16<sup>th</sup> QLD to purchase our extra cocked hats.
    - i. We don't have enough to be in a position to sell cocked hats.
    - ii. Leonard Torto will let them know we can't sell the hats.
  - h. Update on cartridge pouches LT will reach out to Jason
- V. Paymaster Updates
  - a. Money outstanding is only about \$600
- VI. Recruit Updates
  - a. Adam Cahna

- i. Not quite sure with funding. Only wants to be a Colour Ensign.
- ii. Has conflicting meetings on Saturdays.
- iii. Recommend to NOT move forward
- b. Committee is working really well. Thank you for the hard work

#### VII. Recruit School

- a. Where? St Brigid's or Fayweather again? Need to confirm.
- b. When: January dates?

#### VIII. Drill Hall 2025

- a. May have to move away from third Wednesday if it is not available
- b. Will need to confirm payment

### IX. Company Transfer Request

- a. Cervantes officially requested to join Grenadiers
  - i. Will transfer after Patriots Day
  - ii. Proceed with transfer

#### X. MRG Update

- a. Clinton Papers
  - i. DP hired a grad student but no information was found
- b. Light Infantry cap-hats and Grenadier/musician hats
  - i. Cap-hats and hats will be a solution for heat
    - 1. DP to make a cap hat out of a cheap hat blank to see how feasible it is
  - ii. Remove white taping for Grenadiers and Musicians

#### XI. Fort Ti Messing De-brief

- a. Survey sent out after Ft Ti to gauge feedback on mess idea
  - i. Popular and most would like to try it again
  - ii. Participation was high
  - iii. Camraderie was high and it went really well
- b. Bring it up to do more often? One a year?
  - i. Guys enjoyed having an authentic sutler setup
  - ii. May be a way to work it out in the future

#### XII. Social Media

- a. PO has access to the main 10<sup>th</sup> Facebook Page
- b. DP to put an email out to the Regiment to see who is in charge of which account
  - i. JD has Instagram
  - ii. Paul has 10th FB
  - iii. JM has Grenadier Facebook
  - iv. IZ has Light Infantry Facebook and YouTube

#### XIII. Patriots Day 2025

- a. Logistics
  - i. Haven't heard from Lexington PD
  - ii. Lexington would put us in the back of the parade if we participate
  - iii. North Bridge ceremony getting there and getting back will be an issue
    - 1. Too many British reenactors there and too many other people
- b. Nothing planned for Monday
- c. Not participating in the Concord Parade
- d. Arlington wants to change scenario to make it longer
- e. Lexington Parade vote: Will not participate in the parade

#### XIV. Year-End Party

- a. Dec 7, 6 10 PM
- b. Isaac will be putting together a video
- c. Tammy will contact The Fours with the headcount for food

#### XV. British Brigade vote

- a. Dues are \$30
- b. Hasn't been any change in leadership: We made a decision to leave based on those issues
- c. Will we receive backlash from other groups that left
- d. We will likely get invited to events regardless because host units invite people, not the British Brigade.
- e. 2 events under consideration for 2025: St Jean, Mt Harmon
- f. At this point we are not considering re-joining
- XVI. Next Meeting: Tuesday, January 7<sup>th</sup>

Meeting adjourned 9:14PM