



**Fleet Reserve Association
USS Indianapolis Memorial Branch 130
Newsletter for January 2023**

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Next Meeting of FRA USS Indianapolis Memorial Branch 130 monthly meeting will be held in the Greenwood VFW Post 5864 at 1842 Veterans Way, Greenwood IN 46143 (Phone Number 317-888-2488) on **MONDAY January 9th, 2022 at 1800 hrs.** Refreshments are available at the bar. For more information about directions, or any other concerns, please contact **Branch Secretary Hayes** (317-258-0000).

Shipmate President Marlett called the meeting to order on Monday December 5, 2022 at 1800 hours. Opening Prayer, Pledge of Allegiance, and the FRA Preamble were recited. We had 14 members in attendance.

Minutes of the last meeting:

- Read and approved.

Treasurer's report:

- Read and approved.

The following topics were discussed.

- 50/50 was \$50.00.
- Motion for debit cards for Christmas party.
- Gun raffle.

Correspondence:

- Newsbytes - Branches 136, 316 and 298 Newsletters.

Chaplain Affairs *Chairman: George Dow*

- Nothing to report.

Membership and Retention *Chairman Eugene Maresca*

- Shipmate Maresca requested two members to help with retention.
- 79 members / 0 gains / 0 loss/transfer / 0 join/reinstated / 0 past due / 6 Ready to renew
Dow G. - Hasty J. - Jourdan W. Maresca E. - Whelchel J Miller L. / 1 Terminated
Richards D.

Public Relations *Chairman Jerry Bennett*

- News release sent to four papers.
- A member of the fourth estate will be at the next breakfast.

Unfinished/Old Business:



- 2023 Calendar was worked on.
- New email and Newsletter system in operation.
- Shipmate Hayes will work on Business cards.

New Business:

- A motion was made and 2nd to buy four debit cards for the Christmas party was passed by voice vote.

Good Of The Order: The drawing for the gun raffle was held, Winners were Shipmate Maresca and Shipmate Cleveland.

Shipmate President Marlett closed the meeting at 1846 hrs.

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