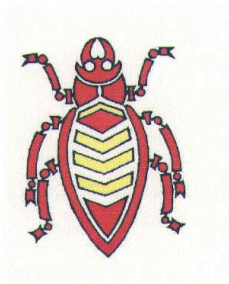




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These minutes are in straight talk or Cootie talk - more or less.

Subject: Grand of Virginia Council of Administration Minutes – 14 Jan 2023

TO: Supreme Commander and All Grand of Virginia Pup Tents

1. Our crummy Grand Commander Ben Guinan opened the Grand Council of Administration (CofA) @ about 1413, more or less IAW the MOC rituals at the VFW Dept of Virginia Winter Conference at Portsmouth, VA. There were a perky 24 Cooties in attendance!
2. Opening Prayer: Our Sky Pilot Ray Delpesche helped the Cooties pray.
3. A roll call of officers was taken, and Cooties were declared absent, present or unknown.
  - A) PT 1 – CCDB +1
  - B) PT 2 – present
  - C) PT 5 – CCDB +2
  - D) PT 9 – SS +4
  - E) PT 13 – SS +4
  - F) PT 14 – SS +4
  - G) PT 17 – SS +1
  - H) PT 18 – SS +1
4. Reading of the Minutes of the Previous Scratch: A motion was seconded and approved by those present to waive reading of the minutes of the last scratch which had been emailed. To receive all correspondence from the Grand, subscribe by sending an email to: [grandofvirginia+subscribe@groups.io](mailto:grandofvirginia+subscribe@groups.io)
5. Reading of Official and Other Communication: None.
6. Report of the C.C.D.B in Detail: The C.C.D.B. gave a detailed report: Opening Balance: \$30,862.54 - Ending Balance: \$25,974.53. An audit by the Trustees has been completed.
7. Reading of Bills: Nope.
8. Cootie or Family member in Distress: A Cootie from PT 13 had a family member hospitalized.
9. Report of Committees - Standing and Special
  - A) Membership Report: Cootie M. Eggers provided a report.

PT Name	PT #	PY Total	Goal	Percent	Start Life	Current Life	New Life	Bond	Warrant
Ocean View Toads	1	35		97.14%	29	30	1	2023	2023
Norfolk Crabs	2	48		75.00%	34	34	1	2023	2023

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Peninsula Fleas	5	23		126.9%	17	18	1	2023	2023
Virginia Beach Coots	9	41		87.80%	23	23		2023	2023
BoonDockers	11	25		28.00%	4	7	3	2023	2023
Rowdy Rebels	13	28		107%	20	22	2	2023	2023
Da-Lec-Ity	14	80		71.25%	56	57	1	2023	2023
Lee-Si-Bugs	17	23		34.78%	6	8	2	2023	2023
Colonial Coots	18								
<b>PT Totals</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>303</b>	<b>304</b>	<b>66.78%</b>	<b>189</b>	<b>196</b>	<b>11</b>		

B) Hospital report: Chairman Cootie Robert “Check” Adamczyk provided a Grand Hospital Report:

Pup Tent	Goal	Rep orts	Visits	Cooties	Patients	Hours	Miles	Gifts	Total Monies	Percentage
(VA1) Ocean View Toads	\$8,750	5	9	34	44	481	4,260	\$2,815	\$14,257.95	162.95%
(VA2) Norfolk Crabs	\$12,000	3	8	68	0	431	2,070	\$0.00	\$10,008.85	83.41%
(VA5) Peninsula Fleas	\$5,750	2	16	19	751	137	1,838	\$2,520	\$5,866.68	102.03%
(VA9) Virginia Beach Coots	\$10,250	6	56	269	601	1,319.75	15,597.5	\$6,193	\$38,137.08	372.07%
(VA11) BoonDockers	\$6,250	7	96	185	1,135	757	7,189.5	\$1,095	\$19,171.96	306.75%
(VA13) Rowdy Rebels	\$7,000	7	239	290	751	621.7	9,850	\$1,137.29	\$16,535.75	236.23%
(VA14) Da-Lec-Ity	\$20,000	7	71	162	354	811.40	10,227.20	\$2,093.07	\$21,822	109.11%
(VA17) Lee-Si-Bugs	\$5,750	7	111	144	806	379.58	4,768	\$5,724	\$14,951.20	260.02%

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(VA18) Colonial Coots	\$0.00	5	0	0	0	0.00	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	%
Totals	\$75,750	249	606	1,171	4,442	4,938.43	55,800.20	\$21,577.36	\$140,751.47	185.81%

Hospital Reports can be found at

<https://hospital.cootie.org/supreme/supremeHospitalReportGrand/grva/2022>

- C) Virginia Ham It Up Program: Cootie M. Eggers provided a report. Membership is growing and there is currently 106 Virginia Ham’s. Annually all proceeds collected from membership, after program expenses, will be donated to the VFW National Home for Children.

Bronze	Silver	Gold
19	1	86

Ham It Up application for membership, which is open to anyone, can be found here:

<https://lotcs.org/programs.html#tabs-9>

- 10. Visitors of Note: Supreme Commander of the MOC Dwight Hara discussed the state of VFW and MOC and the Lousy work the Grand of Virginia is doing. Past VFW CINC, PGC Hal Roesch II soiled our seams and shared his knowledge with Cooties.
- 11. Grand Sky Pilot helped the Cooties remember our National Home for Children.
- 12. Unfinished Business: We finish our business
- 13. New Business:
  - A) Cootie Mark Winn seconded a motion that was made by Cootie Hal Casey and approved by the Cooties present to make a donation of \$100.00 to VFW National Home for Children for a tribute brick for Past Grand Commander Bob Dugas who passed away.  
<https://vfwnationalhome.org/you-can-help/tribute-bricks/>
- 14. Good of the Scratch: Grand Commander Guinan reported on his stuffed animal / critter project. He has received a number of monkeys he carries everywhere. If there is a duffle bag not being used the Grand Commander could use one to carry all these critters. The Grand Commander dropped the gavel at about 1454. Another lousy scratch.

/s/

Ken Eggers  
Grand Adjutant