

United States Submarine Veterans, Inc.

Pocono Base – Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, 15 February 2017



USS Trout (SS-202)

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Meeting was cancelled by Base Commander Bob Smith due to poor road conditions due to heavy snow.

In remembrance of the following US Submarine Force Losses during the Month of February:

11 Feb 1942	USS Shark I	SS-174	58 Men
16 Feb 1943	USS Amberjack	SS-219	74 Men
27 Feb 1944	USS Grayback	SS-208	80 Men
29 Feb 1944	USS Trout	SS-202	81 Men
4 Feb 1945	USS Barbel	SS-316	81 Men

Calendar of Events:

25 Feb 2017: Eagle Scout Court of Honor for a Jason Gonzales, Jr. at the Pocono Summit Volunteer Fire Company in Pocono Summit

12 Mar 2017: St. Patrick's Day Parade in Jim Thorpe, PA.

15 Mar 2017: Regular membership meeting at 1900 hrs at the Wilson-Fischer Post.

19 Mar 2017: St. Patrick's Day Parade in Stroudsburg, PA.

2 Apr 2017: Eagle Scout Court of Honor for Ryan John Stewart at the Trexler Scout Reservation in Kunkletown, PA.

22 Apr 2017: Eagle Scout Court of Honor for Matthew William Cully at the Mountain Center in Tobyhanna, PA.

Next meeting will be held on Wednesday, 15 Mar 2017 at 1900 hrs. at the American Legion, Wilson-Fischer Post.

“To perpetuate the memory of our shipmates who gave their lives in the pursuit of their duties while serving their country. That their dedication, deeds and supreme sacrifice be a constant source of motivation toward greater accomplishments. Pledge loyalty and patriotism to the United States of America and its Constitution.”

Respectfully submitted
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