

NORTHWEST FLORIDA MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION
LUNCH MEETING
3/3/2022

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The meeting was called to order by President Mike Griffith at the Fort Walton Yacht Club at 1200. Chaplain Tom Azar then gave the invocation. Mike led the members in the Pledge of Allegiance. Mike then asked for new members or guests to be introduced...2 guests were present. George Hanks reminded those present that we need their help in recruiting new members and had an informational handout on each table to help them in that effort. Terry Jensen announced that Hurlburt also has a new mask policy and that the details would be emailed out when available.

Following lunch Mike introduced our guest speaker. David Fitzpatrick, Director of the Air Force Armament Museum. Mr. Fitzpatrick gave an interesting presentation on the AFAM noting that it is the only armament museum in the Air Force. He provided interesting stories about the MOAB and other weapons on display and innovations they have initiated such as aircraft wrapping versus painting. He outlined the expansion efforts currently going on at the museum and answered questions from the audience. Following his presentation, Mike presented Mr. Fitzpatrick with the NWFMOA challenge coin.

OTHER TOPICS

Mike then asked the Officers and Board or members present if there were any comments. In Dave Parisot's absence, Fred Westfall conducted the 50/50 Scholarship Fund raffle. The winning ticket selected by Mr. Fitzpatrick was Dan Brown who contributed his \$73 winnings to the Fund. The total contribution to the Scholarship Fund for today's meeting was \$146.

Attendance for the lunch was 39. The meeting was adjourned at 1315.

Following the lunch meeting was a Board meeting.

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Distribution: Email to board members and non-board members in attendance.