



Air Force Sergeants Association
Thunderbird Chapter 985
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14 February 2019

Meeting and Luncheon Convened at 1100 hours with President Frank Zamorano presiding, a quorum was declared.

1. Opening Ceremonies:

- A. Invocation: Terry Turner
- B. Pledge of Allegiance led by: SrA Kristina Song
- C. AFSA Preamble Read by: SrA Kristina Song
- D. Airman's Creed rendered by: All present

2. Members Present: 30 Members & Supports Present

- 3. Special welcome:** Chief Master Sergeant Melissa Erb, Command Chief Master Sergeant, 72D Air Base Wing Tinker AFB. : Commanders, Directors, Vice Commanders, Deputy Commanders, Chief Master Sergeants, First Sergeants, Supervisors and Coworkers were recognized for supporting their personnel and directly contributed to Chapter 985 successful year. In addition, Emcee Song read list of chapter accomplishments for 2018 to all in attendance.
- 4. Installation of Officers:** MSgt (Ret) Terry Turner installed the new elected/appointed officers for the coming year at previous meeting conducted February 8, 2018.

President – MSgt Damont Cooley

Vice President – SSgt Hugo Perez

Trustees – Kristian Song, Brandie Benoit, Manuel Munoz, Henry McRoberts, Rafe Holmes, Soladeem Anderson, Michael Lawhorn

Airmen Activity Coordinator – SrA Kristina Song

Secretary – SSgt Charlotte Crosby

Treasurer – A1C Christa Yarbrough

Historian – MSgt (Ret) Terry Turner

Senior Advisor – Frank Zamorano

- 5. Awards: Presented by** President Frank Zamorano, Emcee SrA Kristina Song

A. Outstanding Chapter Supporters:

- Michelle Devinney, **FNB Community Bank**
- Jaime Schmidt, **Tinker Federal Credit Union**
- Ms. Johnson, **Tinker AFB Main Exchange**
- CMSgt Melissa Erb, **Command Chief Master Sergeant, 72D ABW**

B. Top Gift Wrap Fundraiser performers, booth time:

Hugo Peres (78 hrs), Betty Worley (60.25 hrs), Yewande Mohammed (49 hrs), Seth Rollins (47.5 hrs), Brandie Benoit (44.5 hrs), Manuel Munoz (43.5 hrs), Terry Turner (35.5 hrs), Morgan Hatfield (17 hrs), Kristina Song (16 hrs), Donna Rocha (12.5 hrs)

C. Volunteers of the Year: (plaques in 4 categories recognizing contribution to our humanitarian/outreach programs throughout the year): Vice President Hugo Perez (Active Duty), Betty Worley (Retiree category), Christina Hymes (Reserves) and Erin Brown, Gary Brown, Kaleigh Brown and Aidian Flores (Family Matters).

D. Presidential Volunteer Service Award: A letter, certificate and pin presented on behalf of President of the United States for members who logged over 100 hours in 2017 on chapter volunteer activities.

Recipients are:

Member Betty Worley (Silver 279.3 hrs), Historian Terry Turner (Silver (276.25 hrs), Member MSgt Christina Hymes (Bronze 179 hrs), Vice President Hugo Perez (Bronze 130.50 hrs), Trustee Manuel Munoz (Bronze 129 hrs), Member Alphonzo Glover (Bronze 111 hrs), Trustee Brandie Benoit (Bronze 111 hrs), Trustee Kristina Song (Bronze 106 hrs)

E. Volunteer Service Award of the Year: Betty Worley

F. Individual Legislative Award: Historian MSgt (Ret) Terry Turner

G. Member of the Year: Vice President Hugo Perez

H. Airman of the Year: Trustee Manuel Munoz

I. NCO of the Year: Trustee Brandie Benoit

J. AFSA Chapter 985's SMSgt (Ret) Donald D. Sullivan Leadership Award: Betty Worley.

6. **Old Business:** Regular business not conducted due to length of today's ceremonies. The open Old Business initiatives are documented on Jan 201 meeting minutes and will be addressed at the next meeting.
7. **New Business:** None discussed due to the awards luncheon and any new business will be discussed at March GM.
8. **Closing** – President Frank Zamorano provided closing comments.
9. **Ceremonies adjourned at 12:30 hours.**

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Homero Morales, Secretary

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Damont Cooley, President