



WHISPERINGS

Casper Society Internet Base
April through June 2018

USSVI Creed "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."

Treasurer Report:

Bank Account, Balance 31 March 2017: \$ 113.83

Old Business:

Please continue to visit the Base Website at www.caspersociety.com and Casper Society Facebook page for information on the Base and matters of general interest to Casper.

We are still asking for volunteers to fill vacant Base Officer Positions for record purposes; Chaplain, Yeoman, Historian. Contact me if you are interested.

New Business:

As you see our treasury is nearly bare because we don't have much to sell. I plan to buy 50 more Casper Challenge Coins and sell at the reunion. We still have an ample supply of Casper Society embroidered patches and a few lapel pins from Pensacola. If you have any suggestions on items people might be interested in buying please let me know. Also, I have considered a raffle for three (3) days hotel room in North Little Rock at \$5/ticket or six (6) for \$25. That would raise quite a bit of money. The money collected for annual USSVI dues all goes back to the national organization. We could consider implementing dues for membership in Casper Society but what would it contribute to and that might not set well with some who isn't really active or care. FYI, our annual, recurring cost besides the USSVI dues is the website which is about \$20 annually. When mailing is required, that is added to the cost of packaging and

postage. Don't get me wrong, I am not collecting but rather making you aware of not really being able to contribute too much to the reunion costs but they should be minimum if we follow the plan I am working on.

If you are still getting a hard copy the "American Submariner" magazine through the mail and are willing to forego it to see the electronic version of the magazine only, thus saving our organization the postage fee, please e-mail the National Office ASOptOut@ussvi.org

REUNION DAZE:

We have a signed contract for our planned 2018 Casper Society Reunion in North Little Rock, AR,



April 5 through 8. The Wyndham Riverfront Hotel has offered our room rate at \$94 + tax for



double occupancy. Once I get the details a link will be set up for personal reservations. I hope have a good attendance because the area offers many fun and interesting activities.









Casper's in the Community