

Kady Brownell Tent #36 Meeting Minutes
October 11th, 2026

Present:

Lynne Dolan

Eileen Sleckman

Janice Guy

The meeting opened at 1 pm with a prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance.

The menu and price of the holiday party, being held on Sunday Dec 6th, was discussed. It was decided to go with menu #1, which offered 4 selections and to set the price at **\$60**. As we enjoyed the sheet cake last year we decided to go ahead with that too. Lynne had some wine and glasses from Gettysburg for a raffle basket. One of the wine glasses has a bullet embedded in it. We will include the latest wish list from the VA in the invitation and also create a few more baskets to raffle off.

Raffle tickets are still available for the Department quilt. It is a beautiful quilt and the drawing will be held on November 11th. A picture of it is in GOs#2, recently sent out to members and also posted on both the Department and Tent websites: nyduvcw.org and kadybrownelltent36duvcw.org. Raffle tickets are **\$5** each or 5 for **\$20**.

Eileen reported dropping off the donation from the Tent of 10 baby comb and brush sets to the Women's Center at the Northport VA as per their request. As per the last meeting, it was voted that **\$100** be set aside from the Tent for the Secret Soldier Santa program and **\$100** for the Hungry Heroes Program.

Lynne noted that GO#2 described the NY Department Convention, being held in Kingston from April 30th-May2nd. Kingston is only an hour and a half north of the city and looks easy to get to.

Officer reports are due soon and Lynne asked that all officers contact her if they need any assistance or information to get their reports done and submitted in a timely manner.

Upcoming Events

A headstone dedication will be held at Babylon Rural Cemetery on Saturday, October 17th at 10 am with the SUVCW Moses Baldwin Camp #544.

The annual procession of patriotic societies will be held at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 5th Ave and 53rd St, Manhattan, on Sunday, November 8th at 4pm.

Meeting adjourned at 2:30pm