



DAUGHERTY-HAMILTON POST 234

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Post meetings held the 4th Wednesday of the month and Auxiliary meetings held the 3rd Thursday of the month at Tanner's Tap & Grill 207 W. Main St., Omro.

COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

Hello Comrades and Friends,

Well summer is coming to an end and it sure is a wet one, if anyone has had any flooding related issues the American Legion Emergency Relief Fund may be able to help you out. Look on-line or drop me a note and we will see if we can get you some assistance. Our annual Veteran's Dinner will be held Oct. 20th. If you haven't purchased your dinner tickets yet, contact Dave or Diane Steinert. Our gun raffle fund raiser is in process right now with the winners to be announced at the Veteran's Dinner. If you need more raffle tickets, contact Jack Maloney. Hope to see you all at this month's meeting on September 26th at Tanners. Hope this finds everyone in good health.

Respectfully,

Gary Allen, Commander

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MEMBERSHIP REPORT

September 2018: Greetings: Proud to announce that we have another new member, Norm Shurtz, USMC lifer, Norm serves on the United Veterans Honor Guard and will be serving on our post Honor Guard also. Welcome Norm. As of my last post membership transmittal we have 20 members paid up life and 103 members paid for 2019. Keep up the good work and pick up your annual dues notice and send in your dues if you have not already.

As in the past, let me know if you're without resources to pay your dues of \$35.00 as the post will pay them. This will be confidential as I'm the only one to view these requests. Stay safe. Vondy.

John Vonderloh, Membership

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CHAPLAINS CORNER

Hello, by the time you read this Dave Schmude will be home and on his way to recovery. I know that each and every day we get older, which makes it more difficult to continue the life style we're used to. For those of you that are having a difficult time, we your brothers and sisters continue to pray for you.

If you know a member of our Post who is having a difficult time, contact me so I can send a card or connect with them.

PS: Hoping this day brings a little sunshine into your life. Vondy

John Vonderloh, Chaplain

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AUXILIARY NEWS

We have all had a busy summer I'm sure. I hope you made some excellent memories with your family and friends. Remember to check your emails for the American Legion Auxiliary Perks discounts and coupons. Use these discounts to make some more family memories! There are many benefits listed on the national website www.alaforveterans.org that you can use just because you are a member!

September has already seen lots of Auxiliary activity. We had lots of laughs, some fun and a little wine as well at our Fall Fun Day in Oshkosh on September 8th. Then on Sunday, September 9th, we held our annual Care Package Drive for our service members. We will be doing this year-round now so keep your eyes peeled for good deals on anything we can put in the care packages.

Don't forget our annual Veterans Dinner & Fundraiser on October 20th. It will be held at the Omro Firehouse. You can contact Diane or Dave Steinert for tickets. It is always a good time!

Our next Auxiliary meeting is Thursday, September 20th at Tanner's beginning at 6:30pm. Please continue to clip those Sunday paper coupons for our troops overseas and bring them to the meeting. As you know, every penny helps! If you can't make the meetings, contact me at 685-1008 or jkallas5@yahoo.com and we can set up a visit.

Take care –

Jodi Kallas, President
Unit #234

WHAT'S HAPPENING

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 9/20 Legion Auxiliary Meeting 6:30 pm @ Tanner's
- 9/20 Winnebago County Legion Meeting
- 9/21 National POW/MIA Recognition Day
- 9/26 Post Executive Committee Meeting 6:00 pm @ Tanner's
- 9/26 Regular Post Meeting 7:00 pm @ Tanner's
- 10/6 Winnebago County Auxiliary – Soup/Sandwich Fundraiser, Oshkosh Post 70, 12 – 4 pm
- 10/7 6th District Auxiliary Jr Fall Fun Day @ Neenah Post 33
- 10/18 Legion Auxiliary Meeting 6:30 pm @ Tanner's
- 10/20 Annual Veterans Dinner @ Omro Fire House
- 10/24 Post Executive Committee Meeting 6:00 pm @ Tanner's
- 10/24 Regular Post Meeting 7:00 pm @ Tanner's

13TH ANNUAL POST 234 VETERANS DINNER

Our annual dinner will be held Saturday, October 20, 2018 at the Omro Firehouse. Social hour will begin at 5:00pm with dinner starting at 6:00pm. Tanner's Tap & Grill will once again be catering the event. Past National Commander Denise Rohan will be our guest speaker. We will be presenting Post 234 Legionnaire of the Year and Patriot Awards. There will be a silent auction and raffles. The cost of the dinner is only \$20. Tickets can be purchased at our next meeting or by contacting Dave Steinert (920-379-7052).

Our Ladies Auxiliary is once again organizing the silent auction and raffle for this year's event. If you have items to donate, please bring them to our next meeting or contact Diane Steinert at 920-573-1846 or djdmsteinert@gmail.com for pick up. Gift certificates, hand-made goods or other raffle basket items would be greatly appreciated.

Volunteers for this event can sign up at our next meetings or by contacting Dave or Diane.



**ATTENTION 6TH DISTRICT JUNIORS
JR FALL FUN DAY!**

Date & Time: Sunday, October 7th, 1 – 3pm

Location: Neenah Post 33
451 Green Bay Rd.

Cost: \$3.00 for registration & treats

WEAR "PLAY" CLOTHES

Bring 1 pr. of men's socks to send to
Veterans at King!

RSVP to Advisor Char by October 1st
920-558-4224 or char.kiesling@gmail.com

Senior members are invited to attend!

**SOUP & SANDWICH
FUNDRAISER**

ALA Winnebago County

SATURDAY, OCT. 6, 2018

Noon – 4pm (OR UNTIL SOLD OUT)

**OSHKOSH POST 70
1332 SPRUCE STREET,
OSHKOSH**

**COST \$6.00 and includes a bowl of
soup, sandwich, dessert and a
beverage.**

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR

*Volunteers needed to make sandwiches and serve
food. Please contact Diane (920-573-1846) for
more information. Thanks!*

RIFLE RAFFLE

**Anderson Model AM-15 Rifle
NO SUBSTITUTIONS**

**Rifle donated by: Malchow's Sport Shop
Wild Rose, WI**

**Drawing will be on October 20, 2018
8:00 pm at Veterans Dinner
Omro Fire Station**

NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN

Tickets \$5.00 Each*

Tickets can be purchased from Legion members or
contact Jack Maloney (920-410-0121) for more
information.

***Must be 18 years or older and legally able to possess
firearms in Wisconsin!**

License # R0025560A-92226

**SONS OF THE AMERICAN
LEGION**

We are in the process of organizing our own S.A.L. Squadron. All male descendants, adopted sons and stepsons of members of The American Legion, and such male descendants of veterans who died in Service during World I, World War II, the Korean War, the Vietnam War, Lebanon, Grenada, Panama, the Persian Gulf War and the War on Terrorism, during the delimiting periods set forth in Article IV, Section 1, of the National Constitution of The American Legion, or who died subsequent to their honorable discharge from such service, shall be eligible for Membership in the Sons of The American Legion.

If you would like more information on joining, or having one of your male descendants join, please contact Dave Steinert at 920-379-7052 or email djdmsteinert@gmail.com