



AMERICAN LEGION



DAUGHERTY-HAMILTON POST 234

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Post/SAL 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.

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COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

Greetings Legion Family and Friends – Happy 249th Birthday U.S. Marine Corps!

Trust you were able to exercise your right to vote on Election Day. Personally, I am excited that the commercials are over; my mailbox is much lighter, and the recycling bin will be getting a lot less use!

Veterans Day has several opportunities for all to participate in starting on Sunday with a mass honoring Veterans in Waukau. Monday brings events at our local care centers, schools, and Omro's Veterans Memorial. Post 70 Oshkosh is hosting a Veterans Day Dinner with a speaker Monday evening. I am looking forward to seeing you somewhere in the mix!

Camp American Legion is now accepting applications for the 2025 season. A link on the Post online calendar is available for you to apply.

Along with having turned your clocks back an hour this month, remember to change the batteries in those smoke/carbon monoxide detectors too!

A reminder that the PEC has moved back to 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm. Reserved for socializing, is the half hour before the regular meeting at 7:00 pm. Come mingle and share what you have been up to, anyone bag a deer yet?

Happy Thanksgiving.

Commander Laura Heried
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6TH DISTRICT S.A.L.

Hello Friends - Happy Veterans Day to All!!

Our 6th District S.A.L. Conference is Monday, December 2nd hosted by Squadron 234 at Tanner's Tap, Omro. Social begins at 6:00pm, call to order at 6:30 pm. Detachment Commander and Detachment Vice Commander scheduled to attend. All S.A.L. members are encouraged to attend!

Happy Fall and Happy Thanksgiving from my family to yours.

6th District S.A.L. Commander John Hoeft II
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CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

I have no reports of any sickness or distress at this time. If you have anything to report, feel free to text or phone me @ 920-376-2063 and leave a message or e-mail me at bigshu03@gmail.com. Have a safe day and may God bless you.

Your Chaplain, Chuck Schumacher

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello,

Autumn! We are fully into my favorite season of crisp mornings, colorful afternoons, and fresh air. Most of us take this opportunity to check on our homes and prepare them for the coming winter. We also need to take this time to reach out to our Legion family to see if anyone needs assistance with their own preparations. Just like the seasons, we change and so do our abilities. It's just how it is. Please, ask if you need help. Please mention if you can help. That is family and I for one, am thankful for my Legion family.

Speaking of taking care of each other, we will be making up our Christmas military care packages after the upcoming meeting. I'm sending a shout out to ALL bakers; all hands-on deck! We'll need between 350-375 cookies. If you can donate some, please let me know by November 18th. We look forward to another year of celebrating the holidays with our service members.

With that said, I hope to see you at the November 21st meeting. There are a lot of items to discuss and cookies to sample, I mean, pack. Until then, take care of each other and remember to be kind.

Sincerely yours,
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AUXILIARY CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

In this time of year our thoughts are often of the things for which we are thankful. I am thankful to have a nice home, plenty of food, my family, good medical facilities and the opportunity to be part of a worship community of my choice. I'm thankful for our Veterans who have helped protect our freedoms and our current military who are following in the examples set for them.

"A thankful person can find contentment anywhere." - Anonymous

We would like to wish a very happy birthday to those sisters with November birthdays: Lynn Beck, Laurel Frank and Amelia Serate! Please join our wishes with your own greetings when you can.

Congratulations to Paige (Roesler) and Taylor Albright on their recent marriage!!

At this time, I'm not aware of any illness or other concerns. Please let me know if you know of any. Remember to be Kind.

God's peace to you,
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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- 11/11 **VETERANS DAY!**
- 11/18 **Bingo @ Omro Bowhunters**
- 11/21 **Legion Auxiliary Unit Meeting 6:30 PM @ Tanner's**
- 11/27 **Post Executive Committee Meeting 5:30 PM @ Tanner's**
- 11/27 **Post/SAL Regular Meeting 7:00 PM @ Tanner's**
- 11/28 **HAPPY THANSIVING!**

NO DECEMBER PEC, POST MEETING, UNIT MEETING OR NEWSLETTER

- 12/2 **6th District S.A.L. Conference @ Tanner's**
- 12/3 **Auxiliary Winnebago County Council Meeting hosted by Winneconne Unit 364**
- 12/14 **Post Christmas Party @ Tanner's**
- 12/16 **Bingo @ Omro Bowhunters**
- 12/25 **MERRY CHRISTMAS!**
- 1/1 **HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

BINGO VOLUNTEERS NEEDED* MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18TH & DECEMBER 14TH ***Omro Bowhunters Club, 1230 E Main St, Omro***

Set-up starts at 8:30 am on the day of bingo. In addition to setting up tables and chairs, we must make sure the equipment is set up and working properly.

The doors open at 5:00 pm and bingo starts at 6:30 pm. Volunteers sell bingo cards and raffle tickets, work the cash register, are floor workers and bingo callers and clean-up at the end of the night.

OMRO LEGION FAMILY MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Legion Post – The weekly membership report shows we are at 76.04% of our goal, with 146 members paid. If you haven't paid your dues, please do so soon. We would like to be 100% by the end of the year.

Auxiliary Unit - Thanks to our new members and those that have already renewed we are at 74.46% of our goal. Please get those renewals in so we can reach our goal by the end of the year. Thanks for all you do!



Monday, November 11th we will participate in the Veterans' Day programs at the Omro Schools. HB Patch program starts at 8:15 am, Elementary at 9:10 am and Middle/High School will follow at 10:00 am. All Color Guard members that can attend are encouraged to do so in Uniform. We always need 10 to carry the flags. Please be at the HB Patch by 8:00 am. We will meet at the Omro Veterans Memorial immediately following the schools.



CHRISTMAS PARTY

Date: Saturday, December 14th
Place: Tanners Tap & Grill
Time: 5:00 pm Social and 6:00 pm Dinner (Family Style)
Cost: \$20 per person

Reservations with payment can be made by contacting Ken Flock at 920-420-0605 or at the November Post meeting. Seating is limited.

*Wisconsin American Legion
2025*

*Midwinter Conference
January 16-19, 2025
Appleton, WI*

*American Legion Auxiliary Session
Saturday, January 18, 2025*

*Schedules and training opportunities have been
completed and posted on*

<https://wilegion.org/midwinter>

*You will also find registration, housing, and
more.*

2025 CAMP APPLICATIONS OPEN!

Wisconsin Veterans or Active Duty Members interested in attending Camp American Legion in 2025 can go to <https://wilegion.org/camp-american-legion> for the qualification, application, schedule and more.

