

Newsletter

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FROM THE COMMANDER

Greetings Comrades and Friends

Day Light Savings Time has arrived and the days are getting longer. Spring is just around the corner.

We had our bowling tournament at Legend Lanes on February 28th with a very good turnout. I wish to thank all those who participated in this years' event. The proceeds from the tournament will go to the Legacy Fund. I will have more information at this months' meeting.

It is not too early to start planning for our 11th Annual Post 234 Golf Scramble to be held at Lake Breeze Golf Course in Winneconne on May 21st. It will be limited to 36 teams with registration forms available on the Post 234 website or by contacting Dave Steinert at (920) 379-7052. Door prizes (booze, etc.) can be brought to our meetings. I will have more info at our next meeting which is Wednesday, March 23rd, at Tanner's Tap & Grill in Omro at 7 pm.

*Hope to see you there,
Jack A Haynes*

Additional information about upcoming events can be found on the post website:

www.omropost234.org

- 3/17/16 Legion Auxiliary Meeting 6:30 PM Tanners Tap & Grill, Omro WI**
- 3/20/16 Operation Iraqi Freedom Began (2003)
- 3/23/16 Post Executive Committee 6:00 PM Tanners Tap & Grill**
- 3/23/16 Post 234 Regular Meeting 7:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro, WI.**
- 4/01/16 Invasion of Okinawa began 1945.
- 4/04/16 Old Glory Honor Flight,
- 4/09/16 Winnebago County Council Of American Legion Posts – Oshkosh, WI
- 4/10/16 Bataan Death March (1942)
- 4/16/16 Winnebago County Council of Veterans Organizations 9:30 AM @ James Coughlin Building
- 4/18/16 Doolittle Raid (1942)
- 4/19/16 Revolutionary War began – 1775
- 4/21/16 Legion Auxiliary Meeting 6:30 PM Tanners Tap & Grill, Omro, WI**
- 4/24/16 District Spring Conference in New Holstein
- 4/27/16 Post Executive Committee 6:00 PM Tanners Tap**
- 4/27/16 Post 234 Regular Meeting 7:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro, WI**
- 4/30/16 Vietnam War ends (1975)
- 4/30/16 Battle of Dai Do began (1975)

The Mission of Daugherty-Hamilton Post 234 Is To Provide Services to Veterans, Their Families and Our Communities.



Daugherty-Hamilton Post 234 102% Membership

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MEMBERSHIP REPORT

Hello veterans, just a note that I'm leaving my winter home in Florida and returning to Wisconsin. I had a wonderful winter and hope that you did also. My message for renewal this month is that when the new dues are posted and due in July, our dues will increase from \$30.00 to \$35.00. Take good care, be safe and God Bless.

Vondy.

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

Springtime is upon us, and once again we witness the newness of life that God brings to us year after year. Easter is only a couple of weeks away, and as we celebrate the newness of Spring, let us also reflect on the new life that is offered to us through faith in our resurrected Lord. O heavenly Father, who has filled the world with beauty, open our eyes to behold Your gracious hand in all Your works. We celebrate Your creation, and we ask that you would help us to serve You with gladness. May Your blessings rest on our American Legion family as we share Your love with those in need. Amen.

Chaplain, Ralph Beck

**AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY
DAUGHERTY-HAMILTON
UNIT 234**

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MEMBER YEAR-END IMPACT REPORT – Reporting period will be activities from March 1, 2015 through February 29, 2016. Please report your best estimate of hours volunteered, dollars spent and in-kind donations. Reports are due to me by April 1, 2016. If you have questions or would like more information, plan on attending our meeting March 17th. We will work on the reports as a group.

AUXILIARY USO SUPPORT PROJECT – Auxiliary Units were asked to participate in a Challenge of collecting candy bars, powdered drink mix and cookies for distribution to the USO's serviced by the USO Wisconsin, Milwaukee, WI. The challenge started in October with District #1, District #2 had November, and each District following in numerical order. All Units can collect the three items listed for two weeks and then in the third week mail to the USO. **March will be our 6th District.** If you would like to donate, please bring your items to the Auxiliary meeting or call me for pick-up. Thanks.

AUXILIARY 6TH DISTRICT SPRING CONFERENCE – DONATIONS & FUNDRAISER - District will be collecting items for the Camp American Legion craft shop at the ***Auxiliary Spring Conference*** this year. Washable paints, brushes, markers, crayons, paper or any craft kit would be appreciated. If you would like to donate, you can bring the items to our March meeting or you can call me and make arrangements for pick-up. 920-685-6691

There is also an ALA District Penny War Fundraiser to support Diane Duscheck. (Diane is from our district and will be the 2017 American Legion Auxiliary National President.) All unit members are invited to bring their pennies to our next Auxiliary meeting. We will take our collection to the ***Auxiliary Spring Conference*** to add to the District total. The winning District will be announced at the Department Convention and be featured in the *Wisconsin!*

6th DISTRICT JUNIOR SPRING CONFERENCE – The Junior Spring Conference will be Saturday, April 9th in Omro. See the attached flyer for more information.

AMERICANISM ESSAY CONTEST – REMINDER: Dead line for all entries is Thursday, March 17th.

11TH ANNUAL POST 234 GOLF OUTING – We've started plans for the golf outing. It will be held Saturday, May 21st, at Lake Breeze Golf Course. We'll need plenty of volunteers, raffle prizes and of course golfers. Registration forms, donation letters and volunteer sign-up sheets will be available at our next meeting.

Our next general meeting is scheduled for Thursday, March 17th, 6:30 pm at Tanner's. Executive Committee will meet at 5:30 p.m. See you there!!

Diane Steinert, President

Happy St. Patrick's Day!!

*****IMPORTANT*** JR SPRING CONFERENCE & DEADLINES**

Our 6th District Jr. Spring Conference will be Saturday, April 9th in OMRO!!!
We are hosting this year and we are looking for a few volunteers. Please let me know if you are interested.
We are in charge of decorating and food.

It will be held at the Omro City Hall, 205 S Webster St, in the basement.
With it being our spring conference we are looking towards a Spring Theme! :)

I will need ALL RSVP'S by March 17th (we do have a meeting that night)!!!!
I will need to know Seniors, Juniors, and any guests! Please let me know!

This conference agenda:

Business Meeting, Election & Installation, Selection of Poppy Princesses,
Service Project, Flag Folding Ceremony & More Fun!!!

Registration starts at 9am.

Please bring layette item(s) - (outfits, sleeper, onesie for 12 months & up, bath towel or wash cloth, pacifier, booties, bib, powder, lotion, socks, hat, hand knit items, or board books, etc)

These items will be used by babies of our homeless women veterans. 70+ babies are born to woman veterans every year. Please DO NOT wrap items.

We are also looking for **Poppy Posters!** Please have your Jr. make a poster that includes poppies to be brought in that day!!! We would love to see Omro represented with all their talent!

If you would like to bring a fellowship gift to exchange, please bring a gift valued for less than \$5. These you can wrap as we will play a fun game with!

***Also I will need any patch worksheets that you have done and your National Scholarship Money turned in on this day as well! ***

Any questions please let me know!

Thank you!

Angie Schuster

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Omro Youth Cheer Director

American Legion Auxiliary Jr. Member Chairperson



11th ANNUAL AMERICAN LEGION POST 234 SCRAMBLE

Saturday, May 21, 2016

LAKE BREEZE GOLF COURSE

Winneconne, Wisconsin

Registration 7:00 a.m.

Start Time 8:00 a.m.

FOURSOME ENTRY

\$45.00/Person

(Includes 18 holes w/cart and lunch)

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

LIMITED TO 36 TEAMS

Please make checks payable to: American Legion Post 234

Mail entry form and check by **May 14, 2016** to: David Steinert
733 E. Main Street
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Any questions, please call Dave at 920-685-6691 or cell 920-379-7052

THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR 2015 GOLF OUTING

Post 234 Flag Presentation

