

# Newsletter

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## **FROM THE COMMANDER**

Hello Comrades and friends,

As I write this, I can't help but think about our comrade, Bob Wipf, who passed away on Memorial Day. He was an important part of our Post and we will miss him immensely. The 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf outing was a huge success. Thanks to all who helped out and supported this event. The Memorial Day procession and ceremony was very solemn. Thanks to everyone that helped out and participated in the ceremony. We will be taking another trip to the Highground this weekend. Our Honor Guard will conduct the presentation of colors, Pledge of Allegiance, and rifle salute, along with the reading of names. This coming month, we will be having elections for new officers. If you are interested in an office, please contact Dean Larsen. The Oshkosh Elks Fisheree is on June 22<sup>nd</sup> at Rainbow Park in Oshkosh. We will be selling beer and refreshments as a fundraiser for our Post. On July 4<sup>th</sup>, we will be marching in the parade. But, before the parade, we will again host a pancake breakfast at Tanners. We will need some help serving. The breakfast runs from 6:00 am to 10:00 am. If you can't help, come on down and eat. Bring your friends, too. After the 4<sup>th</sup>, we will be hosting the Omro Sheephead Fisheree. John Vonderloh and Chuck Schumacher are going to need help on July 6<sup>th</sup>. If you can make it, please sign up at our next meeting on June 26<sup>th</sup>. Hope to see you there!

Yours in comradeship,  
Dave Steinert

## **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

**Additional information about upcoming events can be found on the post website: [www.omropost234.org](http://www.omropost234.org)**

- 6/16/13 American Legion King Day
- 6/16-21/13 Badger Girls State @ UWO Oshkosh
- 6/22/13 Oshkosh Elks Fisheree, Rainbow Park, Oshkosh. (Call Chuck Schumacher to help)
- 6/25/13 Korean War Began - 1950
- 6/26/13 Post Executive Committee 6:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro**
- 6/26/13 Post 234 Regular Meeting 7:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro**
- 6/25/13 Korean War began 1950
- 6/29/13 First U.S. ground forces arrived in Korea
- 7/01/13 Timber Rattler's Baseball Game "Military Appreciation Night" @ 7:00 PM
- 7/04/13 Independence Day-Ride in the parade and celebrate the 4<sup>th</sup> of July in Omro
- 7/04/13 Post 234 Pancake Breakfast at Tanner's Tap (see article)
- 7/06/13 Sheephead fishing tournament (contact John Vonderloh to help)
- 7/11/13 Winnebago County Council Of Veterans Organizations 9:30 AM @ James Coughlin Building
- 7/17-21/13 American Legion Department Of Wisconsin Convention @ Oconomowoc, WI )**
- 7/20/13 Omro Veteran's Memorial Dance 7:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro**
- 7/24/13 Post Executive Committee Meeting 7:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap**
- 7/24/13 Post 234 Regular Meeting 7:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro, WI.**
- 7/27/13 Korean War Ended (1953)

**Post Elections And Approval Of Post 2012-2013 Budget To Be Held At The June Membership Meeting  
Make Your Voice Count, Be There**



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**Service Officer**

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**Dave Schmude**

**Chaplain**

**Ed Mason**

**Historian**

**Darryl Schmidt**

**Parliamentarian**

**Jim Romnek**

**Members At Large**

**Dean Larsen (3 yr)**

**John Vonderloh (2 yr)**

**Ken Jungwirth (1 yr)**

**CHAPLAINS CORNER**

Dear comrades and friends,

Hello everyone, Here we are into June and as I look outside, the weather looks fine. Memorial Day started out good and ended in a tragedy for our post. The loss of Bob Wipf is nothing more than monumental . Bob was not only a great post member, but he was involved in so many other things for the American Legion, the 40 & 8 and who knows what else. Bob was a dear friend and comrade. Bob, you will be missed by all of us, may you RIP. Our thoughts and Prayers go out to the Wipf family, and to Cyndi. If you need help with anything, do not hesitate to call one of us. I am sure we will be able to help you. You will always be a part of our Legion Family. I also would like to mention we received a very nice thank you card from the O'keete Family. Thank you so much, it was our honor.

If I have missed anyone, or did not receive information on anyone, our thoughts and Prayers go out to you and to those that have lost loved ones in the past month from Post 234.

O God of Mercy, Peace, and Love, we remember before you, in this moment, our friend Bob Wipf. We recall with gratitude and respect all that he stood for in his life. Help us to live in the companionship of his spirit. May we be kind to his friends and family he loved; devoted to his community in which he lived; loyal to the causes that he served.

Thus in our life may he still live on, to our great comfort, to the betterment of Your creation, and to the furthering of Your most holy will. Amen.

O God Almighty, the Creator and Ruler of the Universe, we ask that You will strengthen and protect the members of the Armed Forces of the United States of America. In the day of battle, may they be courageous and strong, resourceful and capable, resolute and victorious. In the time of peace, may they serve with dignity and honor, as effective emissaries of good will for their Nation. May their devotion and loyalty to You, and to their homeland, inspire them in moments of challenge, and comfort them in tribulation and long separation from loved ones. Finally, we ask that they may return safely to serve You and our Country in the days and years to come. Amen.

**CHAPLAIN  
Ed Mason**

### **OLD GLORY HONOR FLIGHT**

*Ken Larsen, Post #234 member, has been selected for the June 20th Old Glory Honor Flight to Washington D.C. The flight leaves Outagamie County Airport around 5:30 a.m. and will return around 8:20 p.m. His brother, Dean, has the honor of being his guardian for the flight.*

### ***TIMBER RATTLERS BASEBALL GAME-“MILITARY APPRECIATION NIGHT”***

The Post Color Guard will be presenting colors for the July 1st @ 7:00 PM Timber Rattlers game. All Post members are invited to attend and sit as a group. Contact Dean Larsen (920-685-5610) before June 22<sup>nd</sup> for tickets.

### ***POST 234 PANCAKE BREAKFAST***

We will be having a pancake breakfast on July 4<sup>th</sup> from 7 to 11 at Tanner’s Tap in the dining room. Tanner’s Tap cooks will cook the pancakes and sausage and we’ll serve them. Cost is \$5.00 per person. All proceeds will go to our Legion Post.

### ***OMRO VETERAN’S MEMORIAL DANCE / Annual Fundraiser***

Saturday, July 20<sup>th</sup> @ Tanner’s Tap & Grill, Omro. Live Music by the “BOMB” Starting @ 7:00 PM

### ***MEMBERSHIP REPORT***

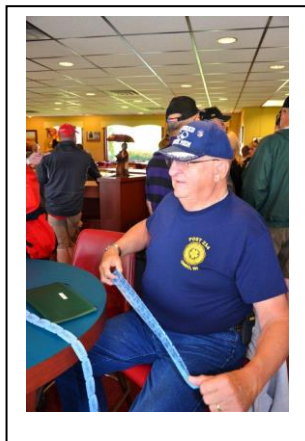
Hello Comrades. This is the last report of this membership year. With two members dropping out and two that just didn't pay we still had a wonderful year recruiting. Thank you so much for your hard work as it's our reputation that builds this club. Last month we had 39 members present at the meeting. Many Posts with twice as many members can't get that many members to attend. Also Ken Larsen will be taking the Honor Flight for Korean veterans with his brother Dean being his escort. Now how great is that.

A personal note, I don't think I can express the loss of Bob Wipf for what he has done for the Legion and our post. Bob & Cyndi took on starting the data base for veterans of our community which is a very big project. Bob also took many calls from me on computer concerns and website education. From all of us, Bob, you will be missed.

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***The Mission Of Daugherty-Hamilton Post 234 Is To Provide Services To Veterans, Their Families And Our Communities .***

***GOLF OUTING***



***MEMORIAL DAY 2013***

