

Newsletter

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FROM THE COMMANDER

Greetings Comrades and Friends

It is Fall again in Wisconsin, another great opportunity to get out and enjoy the changing season. We also have the opportunity to attend our Veteran's Dinner on Saturday, October 21, 2017, at the Omro Fire Department. If you need tickets or have raffle items to donate please contact Dave Steinert at 920-685-6691. Veteran's Day will be celebrated at the Omro schools on Monday, November 13, 2017, due to Veteran's Day being on a Saturday this year. More information on the schedule for Veteran's Day will be passed along at our monthly meeting on Wednesday, October 25, 2017, at Tanner's Tap & Grill at 7 pm.

See you at the meeting,

Jack Haynes
Commander

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| 10/19/17 | Legion Auxiliary Meeting 6:30 PM Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro |
| 10/21/17 | 6 th District Auxiliary Senior Fall Fun Day @ Winneconne Post |
| 10/21/17 | Veterans Dinner @ Omro Fire House, Social 5:00PM, Dinner 6:00PM |
| 10/23 | Battle for Leyte Gulf (1944) |
| 10/24 | United Nations Day |
| 10/27 | Navy Day |
| 10/25/17 | Post Executive Committee Meeting 6:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro, WI. |
| 10/25/17 | Post 234 Regular Meeting 7:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro, WI. |
| 10/28 | Dedication of the Statue of Liberty (1886) |
| 10/29/17 | 6th District Fall Conference @ New Holstein |
| 10/31 | Halloween |
| 11/10 | U.S. Marine Corps Established (1775) |
| 11/11 | Veterans Day |
| 11/16/17 | Legion Auxiliary Unit Meeting 6:30 PM Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro |
| 11/19 | Gettysburg Address (1863) |
| 11/22/17 | Post Executive Committee Meeting 6:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap |
| 11/22/17 | Post 234 Regular Meeting 7:00 PM @ Tanner's Tap & Grill, Omro |
| 11/23/17 | Thanksgiving Day |

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

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MEMBERSHIP REPORT

October 2017. First the bad news, we lost Armand Lewis to cancer last month. Armand was a US Army Veteran and a 12-year member of our post. The good news is we gained 6 new members adding to the four from last month. Welcome James Besset, Paul Turner, Leonard Esser, Edward Lugwig, Maxwell Wisnefske and Jacob Huth. Max and Jacob are both active duty. To date we have 135 members paid. This next info is a re-post that I will post each month. When you receive your renewal card, you can pay at the meeting, pay by check through the mail or go to <http://omropost234.org/> and pay on line. The dues are the same, \$35.00. In the past several years I have paid several members' dues thru the Poppy fund who hadn't contacted me as I was aware of their conditions. This year I will have to be contacted by you or a family member to continue your membership. This will be confidential as I'm the only one to view these requests. jvonderloh@gmail.com or (920-252-1893) Stay safe. Vondy

CHAPLAINS CORNER

Hi all. It's almost the end of October. The year is really going by fast. I have been up North and was able to see all of the leaves changing to magnificent colors. Only God has the power to do this. We Have to constantly praise Him. I've been kind of out of touch with the Legion so all I can say I am praying that all is well with everyone, See you at the next meeting. Your Chaplin, Tom Artz

ATTENTION COLOR GUARD MEMBERS

We are receiving bills from Stannard Cleaners for cleaning trousers and ascots as well as shirts. The Post will pay for cleaning the shirts only. Anything else will be your responsibility. Any questions, talk to me. Thanks. Dean Larsen

LUNCH WITH THE VETERANS

Attention all Veterans and their families! Come join us at the Messiah Lutheran Church at 7394 Liberty School Road on Saturday, October 28th from 12-2 pm for a "Lunch with the Veteran's". We would like to honor you and the service you have given to our country. There is no charge and the lunch will consist of brats, hot dogs, salads and desserts. There will be door prizes and lots of fellowship.

A free will offering will be accepted to help Veterans, those in active service and Veteran Organizations who lend a hand to those who served and the ones presently serving this great country of ours. Please RSVP by calling 920-685-2371 (Cheryl and Ed Buchanan) or email cjbomro@gmail.com or mandclee2699@gmail.com or contact Dean Larsen at 920-420-0024 or dlarsen513@gmail.com. Please respond by October 21st so they can plan the "chow". This is a Thrivent sponsored event. Thank you for your service and we hope to see you at the Messiah Lutheran Church on the 28th. God bless you.

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

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MEMBERSHIP – 2018 renewal notices were sent out. Dues remain the same, \$25.00 for senior members and \$5.00 for juniors. You can pay your dues over the phone, on line or by check/cash. Please make checks payable to ALA Unit 234 and mail to Diane Steinert, P.O. Box 234, Omro, WI, 54963 or bring to our next meeting. We are currently at 44% of our membership goal. Please get those renewals in as soon as possible.

ANNUAL CHILI SUPPER – The Winnebago County Council Annual Chili Supper will be held Thursday, October 12th at Lucky Dogz, 157 S. Green Bay Road in Neenah. Chili and homemade desserts will be served from 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm (or until gone). Prices are \$6.00 for adults, \$3.00 for ages 3 – 12 and children age 2 and under are free. This event is sponsored by Menasha Unit 152, Neenah Unit 33, Omro Unit 234, Oshkosh Unit 70 and Winneconne Unit 364. Proceeds go to assist local veterans, military and their families. Come and enjoy a delicious chili supper while supporting this worthy cause.

“CAMP SMILE” Dept. of WI JUNIOR FALL CONFERENCE - Saturday October 14, 2017
Please see the attached flyer regarding the Junior Conference. You can still register or order a T-shirt (even if you’re not attending) by contacting Dept. Junior Activities Chairman Lorrie Barber. lorrie.barber@gmail.com

6TH DISTRICT SENIOR FALL FUN DAY – Saturday, October 21st, Winneconne Post
A day filled with fun activities and information on Junior Activities, Education & Scholarships, Membership and Badger Girls programs. New & different spring conference reporting will also be discussed. We will need a unit representative to attend and report back.

POST 234 VETERANS DINNER – Saturday, October 21, 2017
Our Unit is organizing the silent auction and raffle for this year’s event. Gift certificates, hand-made goods or other raffle basket items would be greatly appreciated. If you have items/baskets to donate, please contact me at 920-685-6691 or dsteinert@charter.net for pick up We will also need volunteers the night of the event to collect tickets at the door and for raffle ticket sales. If you plan to attend and have not purchased your ticket yet, please call me to reserve your seat. We need a final count by Friday, October 13th.

Our next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, October 19th, 6:30 pm at Tanner’s. See you there!!

**Diane Steinert
President**

**OMRO AMERICAN LEGION FAMILY
MEMBERS VOLUNTEER AT
"A DAY IN THE PARK FOR JACOB"**



Post 234 Color Guard will be presenting colors at two UW- Oshkosh events

Friday, November 3rd, Oshkosh Community YMCA, 20th Ave., Oshkosh - Ice Rink
UW-Oshkosh Titans vs. Lewis University Flyers from Romeoville, IL. Free admission for all active duty military and veterans. The National Anthem will be shortly after 7:00 pm and the puck drops at 7:20 pm. If you enjoy hockey, come on out!

Saturday, November 4th, Titan Stadium, Oshkosh. UW – Oshkosh Titans take on the UW-Eau Claire Blugolds. Kick off at 2:00 pm. This is Senior and Veterans Appreciation Day and all veterans are admitted free. There will be a food stand south of the Zion Lutheran Church on Sawyer St and it is free for veterans. Plus, there will be free t-shirts (while supplies last) and free raffle tickets. All veterans will be recognized during half time.

If you have any questions, contact Dean Larsen at 920-420-0024 or dlarsen513@gmail.com.

POST 234 VETERANS DINNER - OCTOBER 21, 2017

Our annual dinner will be held Saturday, October 21, 2017. 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 Department Commander Dan Seehafer 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. There are still tickets available and can be purchased by contacting Dave Steinert (920-685-6691).