



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS TRIANGLE POST 2799

An Affiliate of VFW of Ohio Charities

JANUARY/FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER



COMMANDERS COMMENTS

I would like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year. Please don't forget to pay your dues for 2010 before the end of the year. Not sure of where to mail your dues? Just send a check to the address on the front flap of this newsletter and it will be sure to get in the right hands as quick as possible. I want to thank everyone that helped to make 2009 a good year for VFW Triangle Post 2799, and hoping for a better 2010 coming up.

Donald Kegarise – Commander

LADIES AUXILIARY NOTES

Well, Ladies, it has been another year that you have helped to make it great. Once again I say THANK YOU to all. We had a great Christmas gathering with all who attended. Have a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year. May God Bless you all.

Joann Riel – Ladies Auxiliary President

MEN'S AUXILIARY NOTES

Greetings! The Man of the Year Buzzard Roast was a big success and a totally wild event. We hope this will be an annual event. Ladies and committee, you are awesome!

The economy, as bad as it is, has not discouraged the members of this Post in its support of our Friday Night Kitchen and our Spaghetti Dinners. Thank you. The Ladies Auxiliary is great to work with, and the Post and local support is appreciated.

Our next meeting will be January 19th at 7:30pm.

Love You All, Alonzo Potts, Jr. – Men's Auxiliary President

CHANGE FOR CANCER

What a SUCCESS. Thank you to all the members who participated. We had 43 jars returned totaling over \$370, plus a donation jar behind the bar. I am not done raising money for Cancer Aid & Research. If you still have a jar to return, or wish to make a donation, it is not too late.

Lori Russell, Ladies Auxiliary Cancer Aid & Research Chairman

CELL PHONES FOR SOLDIERS

Thank you to all who brought in phones. We were able to send in 48 cell phones, which equal 48 hours of talk time for our soldiers. If you would like to learn more about this organization or how to send in a phone and print a mailing label, you can visit www.cellphonesforsoldiers.com.

CHRISTMAS AUCTION

The Christmas Auction was held on December 6th. What a turnout we had. It was literally standing room only in the hall. This was a very good fundraiser for the Scholarship Account. Thank you to all who came out to support this event. Special Thanks to those who were able to assist in setting up, work as runners, kitchen help, at the bake sale table and cleaning up afterwards.

STEAK FRIES

We have a Steak Fry scheduled for January 23rd from 4-7. The Post and Auxiliaries are working together to raise funds to extend the air conditioning to the hall and kitchen. If this Steak Fry is a success, we hope to be able to have one at least every other month. A special treat has been planned for after the Steak Fry as well, we have a live band coming in. Santa Fe will be playing country music for us from 8:00 to midnight. Tickets for the Steak Fry can be purchased in advance for \$12 (available at the canteen, or send in a check payable to the Post and we will hold your tickets at the door for you), or you can purchase them at the door for \$15 the day of the dinner.

2009-2010 Officers

Regular Membership

Commander	Don Kegarise
Sr. Vice Commander	Dave Olekshuk
Jr. Vice Commander	Ray Moss
Quartermaster	Larry Buzzard

Ladies Auxiliary

President	Joann Riel
Sr. Vice President	Arlene Knight
Jr. Vice President	Lauri Moss
Treasurer	Lori Russell

Men's Auxiliary

President	Lonnie Potts
Sr. Vice President	Don Sabol
Jr. Vice President	Rod Allen
Treasurer	Jim Heberling

We would love to see some new faces and hear some fresh ideas at our meetings. Please mark your calendars to attend your meeting.

To those who are ill, we wish you a speedy recovery. To those who have lost loved ones, we extend our deepest sympathies.

Anniversary and Birthday wishes to all celebrating their anniversary or birthday over the next couple of months.

MEMBERSHIP

If you have not paid your 2010 dues yet, PLEASE send them in. Every member counts to help keep our Organization and Post going. The new key cards are available at the canteen. All dues must be paid by December 31, 2009 to be a member in good standing on January 1, 2010 and to receive service at the Canteen.

If you have received this newsletter in error, please contact the Post at 330-542-9928 and ask to have the name removed from our mailing list. If you know of someone that is not receiving this newsletter and is a current member of our Post/Canteen, please have them contact us to be added to the list. Please remember to include the Post on your change of address when moving so we can continue to provide you with information regarding your Post. You can also e-mail your requests to: vfw2799ohio@yahoo.com. A copy of the newsletter is also posted on the website at www.vfwtrianglepost2799.org.

January Events

- 3rd - Breakfast 8:00am - Noon
- 5th - Regular Membership Meeting 7:00pm
- 12th - Ladies Auxiliary Meeting 7:30pm
- 14th - Spaghetti Dinner 4:00pm - 7:00pm
- 17th - Breakfast 8:00am - Noon
- 19th - Men's Auxiliary Meeting 7:30pm
- 23rd - Steak Fry 4pm - 7pm
Santa Fe Band 8pm - Mid.

February Events

- 2nd - Regular Membership Meeting 7:00pm
- 7th - Breakfast 8:00am - Noon
- 9th - Ladies Auxiliary Meeting 7:30pm
- 11th - Spaghetti Dinner 4:00pm - 7:00pm
- 16th - Men's Auxiliary Meeting 7:30pm
- 21st - Breakfast 8:00am - Noon

March Events

- 2nd - Regular Membership Meeting 7:00pm
- 7th - Breakfast 8:00am - Noon
- 9th - Ladies Auxiliary Meeting 7:30pm
- 11th - Spaghetti Dinner 4:00pm - 7:00pm
- 16th - Men's Auxiliary Meeting 7:30pm
- 21st - Breakfast with Easter Bunny 8:00 - Noon

Weekly Events

- Wednesdays – Euchre 8:00pm
- Fridays – Kitchen Open – 8:00 – 11:00
Wings, Fries & more Available

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