



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS TRIANGLE POST 2799

An Affiliate of VFW of Ohio Charities

MARCH/APRIL NEWSLETTER



COMMANDERS COMMENTS

I would like to thank everyone that has helped to make the VFW as “good as it gets”. I wish for us to have another good year. We have another Steak Fry coming up on March 27th from 4 to 7 – Come one, come all. If you have a family member or friend that would like to join our membership, please contact me.

Donald Kegarise – Commander

LADIES AUXILIARY NOTES

THINK SPRING!

We have a lot of things we can work on this Spring. One of those things we are working on is Air Conditioning the Hall side of the Post Home. This is a joint effort of all the membership of the Post. Help support us all with our Fundraisers. Keep in mind, we will be having Breakfast with Easter Bunny on March 21st with an Easter Egg Hunt to follow for children 10 and under.

Joann Riel – Ladies Auxiliary President

MEN'S AUXILIARY NOTES

Greetings VFWer's –

Karaoke is back, Bands are coming in, and we as a CLUB are coming back.

The weather gave us a set back, but the club has survived and we are looking forward to seeing you back here at the canteen and functions.

A lot of things are being planned; keep informed at the Canteen of upcoming events that don't make it into the newsletters and by attending your meetings

Our next meeting will be March 16th at 7:30pm.

Alonzo Potts, Jr. – Men's Auxiliary President

KARAOKE IS BACK

After a couple months break, Karaoke is back on Friday Nights. Come join us on Friday night from 8:30 to 12:30 for some enjoyable entertainment.

The Kitchen is open on Friday Nights from 8pm – 10pm for Wings, Fries, and much more.

VFW NATIONAL HOME AWARENESS WEEK - March 21-27

The VFW National Home was established in 1925 as a home for the dependants of war veterans and has grown to encompass families in crisis. The home is a private, non-profit, licensed residential child care agency providing long and short term residency to children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of VFW and Ladies Auxiliary members. Services are also available for children of active-duty military service personnel who are not able to provide adequate care for their children through the approved family plan arrangement. The VFW National Home for Children is funded by the gifts of the VFW, Ladies Auxiliary and MOC/MOCA organizations and many individual contributors. The National Home receives no federal or state funding. Additional support is provided through direct mail appeals, planned gifts, Life Membership, special events and earnings from the investment of the endowment fund. To learn more about the VFW National Home, visit www.vfwnationalhome.org.

VETERANS BENEFITS

Veterans, please take a moment to visit www.va.gov when you are surfing the internet. There is a list of many benefits available. Viet Nam Veterans may be eligible for disability compensation and health care benefits for diseases that VA has recognized as associated with exposure to Agent Orange and other herbicides. Gulf War Veterans, there is a section with Information about health problems associated with military service during Operations Desert Shield, Desert Storm and Iraqi Freedom and related VA programs available to you. Visit this website for additional information, or contact the registry coordinator at the local VA medical center. You will need a copy of your DD214 when you register for benefits. To obtain a copy of your DD214, visit www.archives.gov if you have not registered at the Court House.

STEAK FRY

Our Steak Fry on January 23rd was such a success (we sold out), that we will have another one on March 27th from 4-7. Tickets can be purchased in advance for \$12 (through March 23rd), or \$15 the day of the dinner. Santa Fe Band will again play afterwards from 8 – Mid.

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. 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.

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
- 27th - Steak Fry 4pm - 7pm
Santa Fe Band 8pm - Mid.

April Events

- 4th - Easter Sunday - No Breakfast
Canteen will be closed
- 6th - Regular Membership Meeting
Election of Officers 7:00pm
- 8th - Spaghetti Dinner 4:00pm - 7:00pm
- 13th - Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
Election of Officers 7:30pm
- 18th - Breakfast 8:00am - Noon
- 20th - Men's Auxiliary Meeting
Election of Officers 7:30pm

May Events

- 2nd - Breakfast 8:00am - Noon
- 4th - Regular Membership Meeting
Installation of Officers 7:00pm
- 9th - Mothers Day Breakfast 8:00am to Noon
- 11th - Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
Installation of Officers 7:30pm
- 13th - Spaghetti Dinner 4:00pm - 7:00pm
- 16th - Breakfast 8:00am - Noon
- 18th - Men's Auxiliary Meeting
Installation of Officers 7:30pm
- 30th - Memorial Day Services 1:00pm

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