

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS WHITELAKE POST 3256

FEBRUARY 2007 NEWLETTER

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Commander's Corner

Comrades,

At the time of this letter, it looks and feels like our winter is finally here. If you have a chance, call or visit a shut-in.

We have a full schedule of events for the rest of this month and February. This coming weekend, January 20th and 21st, is the Steelheader's Perch Festival. In February we have Super Bowl, Prime Rib dinner, and the Pool Challenge.

There has been a lot of interest in the Pool Challenge. DeLaney's Inn in Fountain has challenged us to compete for a traveling trophy. They will bring the trophy with them and hopefully we can take it from them. Come and watch the fun – bring a dish to pass for the potluck. This will be Saturday February 17th at 2:00 PM.

For all of you that noticed the Yule wreaths outside the club, a big thank you goes out to the Clary's.

The In-House Committee has some major projects coming in the near future and one of them is new smoke eaters for the canteen, which we badly need.

For those of you, who like seafood, watch our dinner menu in March.

The District meeting is February 11th. Anyone interested in going please contact me.

We are still in need of war memorabilia for our walls.

If you have been in the canteen you noticed our new bartender. Say, "Hi" to Paul VanBeukering.

Sick call goes to our ailing vets, especially our own Bill McGoran, Glenn Hamann, and Mike Russell.

In closing, a special remembrance goes out for our departed comrade, John Schmiedeknecht.

God Bless our Brothers and Sisters
Vic – Post Commander

NEED TO GET OUT OF THE HOUSE?
RESTAURANTS TOO CROWDED?
LIKE GOOD COFFEE AND GREAT CONVERSATION?

*Something New at VFW Post #3256
Coffee Social Hours*

Come and join us for Social Hours!!!
The Coffee is on the Post!!!

*From Noon until 2:00 P.M. (starting Feb. 1st) Stop
at the Post, have a cup of coffee, sign the book
and catch up on all the happenings at our Post.*

THE CLUBROOM WILL BE OPEN THE NORMAL
HOURS ALSO

Women's Auxiliary News

Auxiliary Sisters,

Hope 2007 is going well for everyone. We have lots of things going on the next couple of months.

February 4th we are helping some of the MHS band seniors with a Spaghetti Dinner. This dinner is open to the public, watch for details. Also, on February 4th is the Super Bowl Party at the post. Bring a passing dish and enjoy the game!!!!

Our District Meeting is the 11th in Marion, Michigan.

The deadline for recipes for our cookbook is February 12. Please get them in to the Post by that date. Thank you to all that have already sent theirs in.

February 18th is our first "Homemade Soup" Contest. Bring in a crock pot of your favorite soup to share and get a chance to win a prize!! More details will be posted at the club.

The 23rd and 24th we are having our second Antique and Collectables Show. Along with that show we will have a Chicken or Fish Sandwich basket dinner on Friday and Soup and Sandwiches available to the public on Saturday.

We still need bake goods donated for the bake sale during the fish fry on the first Friday each month. Anything is appreciated!!

Last month we had a couple funeral luncheons and I would like to thank those of you that donated cakes or jello, it certainly was a big help!

Don't forget our meetings on the second and fourth Wednesday each month. If you need a ride let me know!! 894-8704 (Next Month watch for our Seafood Celebration Dinner Specials)

Assisting our Veterans,
Evelyn Lovejoy
Auxiliary President

Men's Auxiliary News

Dear Membership,

Welcome new member LaVerne 'Butch' Colby.

Speaking of membership, there are 20 people who have not paid their dues. You know who you are. These 2007 dues are due by January 1st. National has raised them by \$5.00. Dues are now \$30. We need these revenues to function. Please remit.

We're starting up "Burger Sundays" again this winter starting sometime in February. Come enjoy good food and fellowship in our fine clubroom that has three TV screens, a CD jukebox, and a pool table -- all for members in good standing.

If you would like to attend a meeting, we meet the 2nd Thursday of every month at 6:00 PM. We welcome your input

Until next time –stay warm and drink O.J.

For God and Country
Men's Auxiliary President
Mark L. Riggs Sr., American

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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					Fish Fry 5:00-7:30 PM Karaoke	
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MHS Band Spaghetti Dinner Super Bowl	In-House 7:00 PM		Aux Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM Post Meeting 7:30 PM	Men's Aux 6:00 PM	Open-face Prime Rib Sandwich 5:00-7:30 PM	
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
District Meeting in Marian, MI			Aux Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM Women's Aux 6:30 PM		Steak Fry 5:00-7:30 PM Karaoke	Pool Challenge 2:00 PM
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Homemade Soup Contest			Aux Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM Post Meeting 7:30 PM		Antique and Collectibles Show Fish or Chicken Baskets 5:00-7:30 PM	Antique and Collectibles Show
	President's Day			<i>Hi Paige!</i>		
25	26	27	28			
			Aux Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM Women's Aux 6:30 PM			

- February 2nd – Fish Fry and Karaoke
- February 4th – Spaghetti Dinner and Superbowl
- February 9th – Open-face Prime Rib Sandwich - \$7
- February 16th – Steak Fry and Karaoke
- February 18th – Homemade Soup Contest
- February 23rd – Fish or Chicken Baskets - \$6
- February 23rd and 24th – Antique & Collectables Show (Soup and Sandwich Special available to the public)

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