

# VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS WHITELAKE POST 3256

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## From the Commander

Post Members,

We finally broke into the Michigan Winter mode. Please keep our seniors in mind with the snow falling and ice, we need to make calls to ensure safety for our Veteran families.

As with every winter our Post dinner attendances are down. Help your post by attending your favorite.

As we move into Spring our in-house members have quite the agenda. Most of the projects can be completed by our own members. These projects are all during the Spring and Summer. A list will be included in the next newsletter. Remember that as a member you should try and contribute at least three hours a month to help support your great Post. That really isn't much.

Remember also that some members that cannot help due to illness or physical conditions still help with financial contributions.

In- house meeting is February 6th and the Post meeting is February 15th.

A BIG thank you to all of you that worked together on the Perch Festival Dinner. A special Thank You to Linda Meier. I really appreciated your help.

Thanks also to all of you for the Get Well card and your thoughts and prayers.

Stay warm, enjoy the season-

Bless Our Troops and Our Post

Thomas Lovejoy  
Post #3256 Commander

## Mens Auxiliary News

Hey Guys,

Our meeting went well with ten members present. Please pay your dues.

I was amiss last newsletter and forgot to give our condolences to Patty Botbyl and family with the loss of Larry. He will be missed.

We also would like to hope Tom Lovejoy does well after his surgery.

Our Burgers are going well at the Club on Sundays, thanks to your support.

Our Pizzas are now for sale at the Canteen anytime for \$8. Hope you enjoy them also.

The first Burrito Night is the 24<sup>th</sup> from 5 to 7:30 or until we run out. So get there early! We will let you know how they went next newsletter.

Next meeting is February 9<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM. Hope to see you there.

For the Good of All  
Paul

## Ladies Auxiliary News

Auxiliary Sisters-

Welcome to WINTER!!!! Be extra careful out there!! Today I left for work in a thunderstorm, got to work in 44 degree temps, left work in 35 degree weather with rain, went to Muskegon in sleet, got back home in the snow!!! Gotta love MICHIGAN!!! and I do!!!

Last month's Auxiliary Christmas Party was a lot of fun. Only had about twelve but it was nice!

A special Thank You to all that helped with the Perch Festival weekend. Especially to the Sunday afternoon crew-you were great!!

Congratulations to Loretta Miller who won the Post Mini Chili Cook off. And thanks for representing us at the Perch Festival Cook Off!!

I personally would like to thank all the members, Post, Ladies Aux. and Men's Aux. that have been so supportive to Tom and I during his recovery from surgery. He is on the mend and we appreciate the calls, cards, and well wishes, it means a lot.

A reminder that next month, March 11th is the District Meeting at our Post. Please try to attend.

There will be a new dinner (actually started in January). The Burrito Dinner--Check it out!! This dinner will be held on the fourth Friday of the month.

A decision was made to not have Bingo on the first Wednesday of the months of February, March and April. In April a decision will be made as to whether or not to continue Bingo at all. PLEASE if you possibly can, support our Bingo.

Keep safe-until next month-

Assisting Our Veterans

Ev Lovejoy  
Ladies Auxiliary President

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<b>FEBRUARY 2012 CALENDAR OF EVENTS</b>						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3 Fish Fry 5:00-7:30 PM Karaoke	4
5 Burger Sunday 1:00 – 400 PM	6 In-House Mtg 6:00 PM	7	8 Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM  Women's Aux 6:30 PM	9 Men's Aux 6:00 PM	10 Shrimp Dinner 5:00-7:30 PM	11
12 Burger Sunday 1:00 – 400 PM	13	14	15 Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM  Post Meeting 7:00 PM	16	17 Steak Dinner 5:00-7:30 PM Karaoke	18
19 Burger Sunday 1:00 – 400 PM	20	21	22 Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM	23	24 Burrito Night 5:00-7:30 PM	25
26 Burger Sunday 1:00 – 400 PM	27	28	29			

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