

# VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS WHITELAKE POST 3256

JANUARY 2008 NEWSLETTER

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## Commander's Corner

Comrades,

I hope that everyone had a great Christmas and may all of your prayers be answered in the New Year.

There will only be one Post meeting during the months of January, February and March. Those meetings to be held January 16, February 20, and March 10.

Also THERE WILL BE NO SHRIMP/CHICKEN DINNERS IN January, February and March.

As you reflect back on this past year and make resolutions for the New Year, we should all think of what we can do to make ourselves a better person, to help other people and to my community. We can always do more than we have in the past.

I would like to thank everyone who has helped on all of the dinners and other functions that we have had this past year. Without your help, things would not have been accomplished. Thank you.

AGAIN, if your dues are not yet paid, PLEASE DO SO!! If they are not paid before January 1, you will not be eligible to be served in the Post Club Room. We do not want to have to turn anyone away, so please get your dues in. Thank you.

May God Bless You All,  
Norm

## Men's Auxiliary News

Dear Membership,

Welcome new members William Trepton and my son Mark Riggs Jr. We welcome your input

If you haven't paid your dues, please do so now. We don't want to waste money on stamps and stationary for a personal notice to you. This is your notice. If you still owe, please pay. As a member, it is the very "least" you could do, or lose all privileges.

We are now incorporated and bonded. If you would like to get involved with your club and have a vote on what we do, a right you can thank a veteran for, we meet the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of every month at 6:00 PM at the Post. You just might like it.

Men's Auxiliary shirts will be on sale in January for only \$15 at the post. We appreciate your support.

Until next time, stay warm.

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

HAPPY  
NEW  
YEAR!

## Women's Auxiliary News

Auxiliary Sisters-

HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!! I hope everyone had a very nice Christmas and a safe New Years!!

The Christmas parade was a lot of fun this year and we even had candy to spare!!!!

The kids Christmas Party was its usual success thanks to the hard work of Joyce and Vic Patton-Thank you both very much.

I would like to thank my officers for handling the December Auxiliary meeting and inspection. I REALLY appreciate you all!!

A few things going on this month so watch the Beacon and check the newsletter calendar.

We still are working on the catering issue and a reminder we still have an open Friday the fourth of the month if anyone would like to chair a dinner!!

Auxiliary Sisters-please try to attend our meetings. We only have one a month and it is so important to have all of your input.

Until next month—

Assisting Our Veterans

Ev Lovejoy

Auxiliary President

### *Kid's Christmas Party*

*Thanks for all who helped and those who brought goodies for the Kid's Christmas Party.*

*Good job Mr Santa and Mrs. Santa!*

*Vic and Joyce*

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2 Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM	3	4 Fish Fry 5:00-7:30 PM Karaoke	5
6	7 In-House 6:00 PM	8	9 Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM Women's Aux 7:00 PM	10 Men's Aux 6:00 PM	11	12
13 VFW 3256 Chili Cook-off 12:00	14	15	16 Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM Post Meeting 7:30 PM	17	18 Steak Fry 5:00-7:30 PM	19
20	21	22	23 Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM	24	25	26 Steelheader's Chili Cook-off 12:00 PM Fish Fry 5:00 PM
27 Steelheader's Luncheon	28	29	30 Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM	31		

- *January 4<sup>th</sup> – Fish Fry and Karaoke*
- *January 13<sup>th</sup> – Mini Chili Cook-off. Winner will move on to the Steelheader's Chili Cook-off.*
- *January 26<sup>th</sup> – Steelheader's Chili Cook-off at 12:00, and Fish Fry at 5:00 PM*
- *January 27<sup>th</sup> – Steelheader's luncheon and activities.*

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