

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS WHITELAKE POST 3256

MARCH 2007 NEWLETTER

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Commander's Corner

Comrades,

When I was a kid March meant cool days and kite flying weather. Now as I grow older and beginning to hate winter all I see out my window is snow. Think Spring!

We were well represented at Winter District Conference with four members. Out of twenty-three posts, only eleven was present. The State Commander was present and made a motion to cancel our February meeting and go to three meetings a year. The motion was passed.

We have had a very busy month of February. Attendance has been down a little at our dinners but probably due to weather. It seems the prime rib dinner goes over very well so look for another in the future.

Our Post, as of this newsletter, stands at 98% for membership dues paid. Please pay your dues so we can be an All State Post. If dues are not paid by March 1st, canteen privileges will be discontinued.

Check out this month's calendar for all the seafood dinners coming up in March. We found Nemo!

The In-house committee has had new smoke eaters installed in the canteen. They seemed to be working very well. They also are having 8" of insulation put in ceiling to save on heat.

Watch for new changes in the canteen and new specials every week.

In closing, remember our sick & homebound comrades all throughout our Great Country especially our own Stan Gale, Bill McGoran, Paul Simonson, John Pawlowski, Frank Burt and Mike Russell. A special remembrance goes out to our departed Comrade Roth "Tiny" Kroll.

God Bless our Brothers and Sisters
Vic – Post Commander

V.F.W. Post #3256

March Seafood Celebration

March 2nd – Fish Fry

All you can eat fish, Fries or Baked potato/Coleslaw-\$8.00

March 9th – Shrimp Boil

Boiled Shrimp/Red Potatoes/Tossed Salad-\$8.00

March 16th – Clam Strips

Clam Strips or Chicken Strips/ Baked Potato or Fries/Pasta Salad-\$7.00

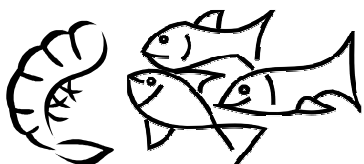
March 23rd – Shrimp Scampi

Shrimp Scampi/Angel Hair Pasta/Tossed salad- \$8.00

March 30th –Fish Boil

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Women's Auxiliary News

Auxiliary Sisters,

THANK YOU!!!! To all of you that helped out by donating something for the February Bake Sale!!! We made \$118.00, one of the best months yet!! A special thanks to Post Member Lyle Lipka and his DELICIOUS chocolate cake!!!

Another THANK YOU!! To all of you that sent in recipes for our cookbook. Organization for that is under way and hopefully we will have it published by this summer.

And ANOTHER THANK YOU!! To those who participated in the first "Soup Contest" We had six entries and the winning soups were 1st Place- Linda Meier with Taco Soup, 2nd Place-Wendy Wittebort with Seafood Chowder and 3rd Place-Leonard & Karen Irvin with Gypsy Soup. Hopefully we can get all six recipes for our cookbook as they were all GREAT and it was a very close contest!!!!

And yet ANOTHER THANK YOU!!!! To all that helped and donated items for the recent luncheons we have put on.

This month, and throughout the season of Lent, is our "Seafood Celebration". We will also be having a St. Patrick's Day Dinner on Saturday March 17th Corn beef & Cabbage, Cabbage & Ham and Reuben Sandwiches. Come in and join us!!!

Sisters, one of the BEST things about being the President of our auxiliary is having so many wonderful people to work with and that are so willing to help out in everything we do. That goes for the Post Members and the Men's Auxiliary Members also. I'll end this months letter the way it started-THANK YOU!!!

Assisting our Veterans,
Evelyn Lovejoy
Auxiliary President

Men's Auxiliary News

Dear Membership,

Welcome new member, Rick Hyatt. Speaking of membership, there are still 14 people who have not paid their 2007 dues. Please remit \$30 to Men's Auxiliary A.S.A.P., as our Department Headquarters would like an updated roster A.S.A.P.

We started '**Burger Sundays**' for Sunday afternoons during the winter months, feature soups when available. Come enjoy fellowship and food and drink in our fine clubroom.

Until next time –stay warm and change your furnace filters.

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

TO ALL CARD PLAYERS:

By many requests, there will be 2 (two), 1 day,
10 game set-back tournaments.

The dates are:

Sunday March 11th

Sunday March 25th

Play begins at 1:00 PM, please come early to sign-up.

Burgers will be offered by the Men's Auxiliary.

Hope to see you there!

Mark & Juls Riggs

Relay for Life

We are starting to organize our Relay for Life projects, for more information call Bette Bloomberg at 894-6902, or Rita VanDyke at 893-8845.

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				1	2 Fish Fry 5:00-7:30 PM Karaoke	3
4	5 In-House 7:00 PM	6	7 Aux Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM Post Meeting 7:30 PM	8 Red Cross Blood Drive Men's Aux 6:00 PM	9 Boiled Shrimp 5:00-7:30 PM	10
11 Daylight Savings Time- Spring Forward	12	13	14 Aux Bingo 10:00-2:00 PM Women's Aux 6:30 PM	15	16 Clam or Chicken Strips 5:00-7:30 PM	17 Corn Beef & Cabbage, Ham & Cabbage & Reuben's Noon-7:30 PM
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