



## Rose Harms Legionnaire

## Thank you to everyone who helped make our Post cookout another big success!



Michael McKelvey (right) and Zachary Ryan (left), from Grafton High School, spoke to the membership, after the cookout about their experiences at this years Badger Boys State held at Ripon College.



# Our next big event is our annual Post Golf outing on Saturday, September 13th.

#### Other upcoming events

Sept 1st Executive Committee meeting

Sept 4th Ozaukee County meeting—Cedarburg

Sept 6th 2nd District Riders at the Port Post

Sept 8th Post meeting

Sept 9th SAL meeting

Sept 9th BINGO

Sept 13th POW/MIA March in Watertown



### Highlights from our last meeting

ing in for Les Williams reported that Gene Hadler is home in good spirits and doing well.

Sergeant-at-Arms: Mike Knoppa reported two funerals for the month with one being a "gratis", and the other a memorial service for Ike, a Post member who died 2 months ago.

Athletic: Doug Arendt reported on the \$1,000 worth of great prizes available at the Post Golf Outing on September 13th. Also, the 2<sup>nd</sup> District Outing was a great event on a beautiful day. The Post will host the 2<sup>nd</sup> District Outing again next year.

**Hall Report:** Al Richards said Hall business for the month was a slow for the summer. Beer and soda for the evening were compliments of Commander Jim Arentz and Romie Monarski's birthdays.

**Building:** Butch Paegelow reported the Post window project is in progress. Some of the old windows have been taken and the news have been ordered.

**POW/MIA:** Jim Stencel donated a framed picture containing an US Postal Service - American Commemorative - POW / MIA stamp "Never Forgotten".

Executive Committee Recommendations Passed; To donate \$250 to the Dry Hootch.



Dryhootch is a place where Veterans gather informally in a coffee house; a safe, comfortable, drug-and-alcohol-

free environment. The idea revolved around the creation of a retail coffee shop run by and for Veterans, which would also support an extended network of Veteran families. It also encourages Veteran interaction with the community as a whole. "Hootch" is military jargon for a hut or safe place to sleep during combat. The term "dry" denotes the organization's mission to provide a social gathering place for Veterans that is free of alcohol - one of the major problems plaguing Veterans of all eras.

Chaplain Report: Nick Schanen who was stand- Good of the Legion: Thanks to Marty Wegner and Steve Shock who cooked and worked to make this year's corn roast such a success. Marty Wegner reported that either the Eagle and Legion logo shirts are available for \$22.

Correspondence: Commander Jim read;

- A thank you letter from Kyri Kozak for the Post's support at his Eagle Scout project.
- A thank you letter from Amy Luft, VA Picnic Chair, for the Post's support of the annual picnic for Veterans from the Zablocki VA Hospital.



#### September 15th Historians' Club—Guerrilla in the Philippines.

Lewis Crisostomo joined the Philippine Scouts and did not surrender when Bataan and Corregidor fell. He took to the jungles where he fearlessly fought the Japanese through the duration of World War II.

#### Calendar Raffle:

\$50.00 - Ron Shifter \$30.00 - Butch Paegelow \$25.00 - Steve Shock \$20.00 - Tom Matthaeus \$15.00 - Barb DeBroux \$10.00 -Brian Bould

## **Calendars are still available at the Post**





Riders.

Thank you to everyone who rode to make the "Russ Cantrall Memorial Ride" a big success. We raised about \$1,500 that went to "Camp Hometown Heroes".

Unfortunately, we had really crappy weather for escorting the Traveling Vietnam Memorial Wall to Sheboygan. Cudo's to those who brave it.

**Sunday, August 24th** - The Richfield Days parade starts at 11 am. Staging is at the intersection of Hwy 175 (Appleton Ave) and Hubertus Rd in Richfield. We usually stage next to the True Value in parking lot.

**Friday, September 12th** Veterans' Day Care Picnic. 1130- 1400 hrs, we will meet at or near Post 457 in Mequon at 1030hrs for those who want to ride down to Zablocki VA Hospital as a group. If you can, please bring some kind of handout for the Veterans.

Our next meeting will be on September 6th at 10:00 am, at the Port Washington Post. Post 82 435 N Lake St Port Washington, WI 53074

#### **AUXILIARY AWARENESS**

Hello American Legion Family,

Thank you to all who were at our Annual Corn Roast on August 11, 2014! Thanks to the Legion for another fabulous meal and Thanks to those in our Auxiliary who provided salads and desserts!



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Congratulations to Our Ozaukee County Council, District 2 on the President's Excellence award for Operation Dust-Off and Membership Tea.

Congratulations are also in order for Our Unit receiving the President's Award for Excellence for the 4th year in a role, Great Job Ladies for all of our efforts!

Please remember to call Pam Klenner if you are planning to attend the Fall Forum in Eau Claire this year September 19 - 20th. She has the registration sheet and the deadline for registration is September 2, 2014.

Amy Luft reported that there are still WWII veterans on the Honor Flights and that there will actually be 3 flights this fall. September 13, October 11 and November 1, 2014. Please try to get to the airport to welcome home these amazing veterans!

A Special Thanks goes out to all who helped on Saturday August 16, 2014 at Lime Kiln Park. We raised \$750.00 from Kapco for helping with the carnival games at their company picnic.

The Ozaukee County Tea is being held at our post this year. Any women interested in helping please contact Linda Faas. Also attached in this newsletter you will find our invitation. Ladies, this is really a lot of fun and something you may want to consider doing with your daughter's or granddaughters.

Until we meet again, Serving Our Veterans, Their Families and Our Communities,

Sue

## **Rose-Harms 21st Annual Golf Outing**



Edgewater Golf Club

Saturday, September 13, 2014

1:00 pm Shotgun Start

Dinner @ Edgewater Golf Club



Golf, Dinner and prizes: \$35.00 (cart included for outing)

Golf and prizes Only: \$20.00 (cart included for outing)

-Edgewater members reduce price for golf by \$14-

Name (foursomes golf together, others will be made into foursomes)	Golf and Din- ner \$35.00	Golf Only \$20.00	Dinner Only \$18.00	Total
Total Amount Enclosed (Checks Payable to Rose-Harms Post #355)				

Please have money and reservations to the Post by Friday, September 5, 2013.

Return (with payment please) to:

Rose-Harms Post #355

Attn: Golf Outing

1540 13th Avenue

"This year's outing raffle will have prizes totaling over \$1000 worth! This is a great event for golfers of all ability levels. Come see your Legion friends in a setting outside of the Post. The price is low due to our raffle successes in the past and strong corporate backing.

A good time will be had by all."