



Looking Ahead

Saturday, June 2nd

**Golf with the SAL at Fire Ridge
starting at 1:00 pm**

Monday, June 4th

Post Executive Committee meeting

Monday, June 11th

Post General meeting

Tuesday, June 12th

SAL meeting

Thursday, June 14th



Sunday, June 17th

Fathers Day

Saturday, June 30th

**Holidaze at Centennial Park
Parade at 11:00 am
BINGO starts at noon**



Wednesday, July 4th

Independence Day

Saturday, July 7th

VA Picnic at the Post



**The American Legion National Commander,
Denise Rohan, official thank visit to our Post will
be on Saturday, August 4th.**



Rose Harms Post

COMMANDER'S CORNER-Ken Kasprzak



The 5th Annual Memorial Red Pin Bowling was held at Circle B on April 28. It honors the memory of Daniel Nielsen "Red" who passed away on June 15, 2013. Pictured is the winning team (most pitchers of beer purchased).

Mike Knoppa, Tom Brown, Romie Monarski, Jeff Froelich, and myself. Annual event is organized by Matt Hirst, Jeff Raskiewicz, and Dan Ritter. They will attend our June meeting to present a donation from the dollars raised in memory of their good friend.

MEMORIAL DAY AT VETERANS PARK.

An Excerpt From My Speech.

What does Memorial Day mean to each one of us? To begin I want to share quotes given by American Presidents and a U.S. Army Officer on Memorial Day.

It is foolish and wrong to mourn the men who died. Rather we should thank God that such men lived. General George S. Patton.

Let every nation know, whether it wishes us well or ill, that we shall pay any price, bear any burden, meet any hardship, support any friend, oppose any foe to assure the survival and the success of liberty. John F. Kennedy.

The United States and the freedom for which it stands, the freedom for which they died, must endure and prosper. Their lives remind us that freedom is not bought cheaply. It has a cost; it imposes a burden. Ronald Reagan.

To preserve the peace, we must never forget the sacrifices that have paved the way to peace. Bill Clinton.

On Memorial Day we come together as Americans to let these families and veterans know that they are not alone. We give thanks for those who sacrificed everything so that we could be free. And we commit ourselves to upholding the ideals for which so many patriots have fought and died. Barack Obama.

This year marks the 50th Anniversary of the Tet Offensive, which was launched on January 30, 1968 by more than 80,000 North Vietnamese and Viet Cong. It was one of the largest military campaigns of the Vietnam War. Surprise attacks against South Vietnamese and U.S. Armed Forces occurred throughout South Vietnam. Over 100 cities and towns were affected. It ended on September 23, 1968. An estimated 3,178 Americans were killed. During the Tet Offensive Marine Corps Lance Corporal Marco Francisco Mueller was on a patrol near Khe Sanh that was attacked by North Vietnamese troops. He and his fellow Marines received heavy automatic weapons fire from bunkers and trenches. Corporal Mueller, from Port Washington Wisconsin, was 20 years old and died on May 15. Also, four additional Port Washington Servicemen (PFC Paul Laroy Binder, CPL Jerome Norman Doll, SP4 Lon Paul Gregorash, LCDR James Thomas Kearns) perished during the Vietnam War. These five names are listed on the Vietnam Veterans Wall Memorial.

We as Americans are forever grateful to our fallen heroes. I ask each one of you individually to remember this day throughout the entire year and ask that you never hesitate to thank and honor our veterans, for they will never hesitate for you.

FOODS WITH GOOD CHOLESTEROL

HDL (high-density lipoprotein) is the good cholesterol. Optimum HDL level is 60 or above. Among the foods that help increase HDL are: Beans and legumes; Whole grains (brown rice and oats); High-fiber fruits (mangoes, raspberries, bananas; Fatty fish (salmon, tuna); Flax-seeds; Nuts (almonds, pecans); Olive Oil; Chia seeds; Avocados; Niacin rich foods (chicken breast, tomatoes, lettuce). 05/23/18kk

Highlights from our last meeting

Chaplain Report: Les Williams reported: Harold Walsh 60-year member has died. 14 Post members have died this year and will be honored at the Memorial Day event . . .

Membership: Gary Gilstrap reported: membership at 298. New member, Mark Mcoliczyk, USAF, was welcomed aboard.

Sergeant-at-Arms: Nick Schanen reported: 3 funerals for the month: 2 of them gratis with taps for Harold Walsh following the meeting . . .

Athletic: Doug Arendt reported: the Packer pool is ready – the cost is \$25 a square with pay-outs of \$25 a quarter for regular season games and \$125 a quarter for the Super Bowl. The SAL Golf Outing is scheduled for June 2nd.

Hall Report: Al Richards said that it was a good month for the Hall, but numerous licenses for operation had to be renewed. Refreshments for the evening were compliments of John Fass and Doug Arendt.

Bingo: Jim Arentz reported: bingo fielded 100 players posting a profit of \$257. The checkbook prevails at \$7,795.01. Sign up to help at Holidaze event on Saturday, June 30th at our next Post meeting. Jim also stated that because of the many rentals for June, the tent crew can use some help.

Camp American Legion: Dick Lallensack reported: the pier lay in group is going up to Camp this week to attend to the piers – Vietnam/ Korean Wars vets during the week of June 4th.

Recommendation: Passed

To donate \$250 (from Bingo Fund) to the John Long Middle School Destination Imagination Team to attend global finals event.

New Business:

A motion from the floor was tendered to provide a \$100 sponsorship for a hole at SAL's golf outing on June 2nd. It was seconded and unanimously passed.

Our Post's monthly Calendar Raffle have been mailed out. For only \$10 you have a chance to win every month until next May. The new drawings begin at our July meeting.

Last months winners were;
\$50 – Jean Beck
\$30 – Janet Tillman
\$25 – Joe Salamone
\$20 – Sherrie Pals
\$15 – June Shock
\$10 – Mary Molaski



The election for Post Officers for 2018-2019 was held with the following result:

Commander.....	Ken Kasprzak
1 st Vice Commander.....	Gary Gilstrap
2 nd Vice commander.....	Kevin Dressel
Adjutant.....	Lee Wiskirchen
Finance Officer.....	Ralph Beck
Historian.....	Al Richards
Chaplain.....	Les Williams
Sgt.-at-Arms.....	Mike Knoppa
Sgt.-at-Arms.....	Nick Schanen
Service Officer.....	Ken Klein
Judge Advocate.....	Lee Wiskirchen
1 Year Committee.....	Dick Lallensack
2 Year Committee.....	Steve Shock
3 Year Committee.....	Jim Hilgart



In Recognition of the possession of those high qualities of Courage, Honor, Leadership, Patriotism, Scholarship and Service which are necessary to the preservation and protection of the fundamental Freedoms of our Country.

The Post's Outstanding 8th Grader Students were:

**Julie Marty from St. Joseph's Catholic School,
Ephriam Young from St. Paul's Lutheran School,
Hannah Diggins from John Long Middle School**

Rose Harms Post 355 - Calendar Raffle for 2018-2019

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Drawing at 1540 13th Ave, Grafton, WI 7:00 pm.
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No.

Rose Harms Post 355
1540 13th Ave.
Grafton, WI 53024

2017-2018 Calendar Raffle Cost \$10.00

License No. R0005288A-59716

Winning ticket re-entered into next month's drawing

You need not be present to win

Drawing is the 2nd Monday of every month at 7:00 p.m.

Raffle printed courtesy of PostNet

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Name

Address

Phone

Email

Rose Harms Post Family Night at the Chinooks Baseball Game



**IT'S
OFF THE
HOOK!
AFFORDABLE
FAMILY FUN**



Wednesday, July 18th

Sign up sheet in next months newsletter

Cathy's Thoughts

A social club is a club based around a common interest, activity, or other characteristic shared by its members, formed for the purposes of pleasure or socializing.

According to the Internal Revenue Service, which counts social clubs as tax-exempt organizations, such clubs are marked by Personal contact, commingling, and face-to-face fellowship"; members must have a "common goal directed toward pleasure, recreation, and other non-profitable purpose. Can you figure out ... I found this out from Google!

After reading this I believe our Auxiliary would fit in the category of a Social Club. We are a group of women that have common interest in helping our Veterans and active soldiers along with their families. We have Personal Contact and face to face fellowship at our meetings.

We started a social time at 6:00 pm so we could talk and socialize before the meeting, whether it be questions regarding something we are doing with the Auxiliary or just catching up with each other and seeing how things are going since the last time we saw each other at the last meeting. Even after our meetings we still have people sticking around and talking.

Judy Kuta did an activity with our members at the last meeting. It reminded us of our Auxiliary Mission Statement and a twist of fun. So remember we are not all about business at our meetings, we do like to play.

Please come to our next meeting in August as our June meeting is our Banquet and July there is no meeting.

August is always fun along with our Legion Cook out. Hope to see you!



UNIT MEETING was held May 15, 2018

Judy Kuta started off the meeting with a fun activity to remind everyone of our Mission Statement.

Membership Tammy Hadler reported we have 185 members paid to date/ 18 not paid. Those not renewed membership will be removed from the roster.

We are happy and very proud to announce our Auxiliary member Jenna Klos was awarded a scholarship from Department for \$1,000.00 and one of our Badger Girl's Gretchen Geiser for \$500.00.

Jean Rieck announced Nominations for the 2018-2019 term and the following individuals elected by verbal vote:

President will remain the same Cathy Brunnquell is finishing her second year of the 2 year term

1st Vice President : Amy Luft

2nd Vice President : Lora Linder

Chaplain : Sue Turowski

Treasurer: Pam Klenner

Historian: Patty Wollner

Sargent-at-Arms: Ann Fields

Patty Wollner announced that our Microwave popcorn drive was a success! She shipped 950 bags of popcorn to the troops!

June Banquet will be June 12th at the River Edge's Bunkers. Please note the date change. This is the 2nd Tuesday in June. The change was due to several date conflicts. Price is \$16 per person. Please RSVP by June 5th to Ann Fields at 262-384-1982.

Installation for Ozaukee County will be held on Friday June 29th at the Saukville Post. If you are interested please contact Cathy Brunnquell for the signup sheet

Our annual VA Picnic will be on Saturday, July 7th.

Signup sheets along with information will be provided at the June Banquet.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Honor Flight Dates

June 2nd

June Banquet

June 12th

July Meeting

There will be no meeting

Department Convention

July 12-15 Oshkosh

Trees from Home

August 4th Post 9-1

National Commander Denise will make an official visit to our Post on August 4th.

August Meeting

August 13 Corn Roast with Legion Family



American Legion
Auxiliary

**Golfouting at Fire Ridge Golf Course
on Saturday, June 2nd
Sponsored by
the Sons of the American Legion**

*Whether a single or a foursome,
there is still plenty of room.
Registration starts at noon.*



Sign-up Today!