

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS WHITE LAKE POST 3256

MAY 2017 NEWSLETTER

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From the Commander

Fellow Comrades,

Thank you to the volunteers who cleaned up the pavilion and grounds.

We have a very busy month of things going on at the Post

One order of business for our May 3rd meeting is the election of officers for 2017/2018.

The first event is Yard Sale Under will be playing at the Post on May 6th. We need more volunteers to help.

Next, on Sunday, May 7th, we will be having the Muskegon Motorcycle Club's Spring Bike Run stopping in with our Post being their last stop. Again, more volunteers are needed for all the areas.

Poppy sales will be on May 12th. We cannot sell on the corners anymore, but a number of businesses are letting us sell outside of their stores. Sign-up sheets are in the canteen.

Saturday, May 27th, we will be putting on the flags of our departed comrades at the cemeteries.

Monday, May 29th is the Memorial Day parade.

Starting in July dinner prices are being increased just a \$1 for each dinner and dinners will be served from 5:00 to 7:00 PM.

Volunteers are needed to cut the grass at the Post and campground. Please step up to help out.

For God and Country,
Jerry Doran
Commander

A SHIP IN HARBOR IS SAFE, BUT THAT'S
NOT WHAT SHIPS ARE BUILT FOR.

– JOHN AUGUSTUS SHEDD

Yard Sale Underwear "Knickers with Attitudes", is a cover band from Muskegon, MI. They are a fun, high-energy band who know how to party and how to make the people shake their booty! Plus, they wear funny hats! What songs do they play, you ask? Well, all of the best dance hits from the 70s,80s, 90s and today!

Auxiliary News

Dear Auxiliary Members,

I think it is safe to say that spring is here!! The month of May brings flowers and lots of fun activities at our club! Saturday, May 6th Yard Sale Underwear will be playing at the club (there will be a cover charge), this will be a fundraiser for our post, and guaranteed to be a fun time! Then, on Sunday, May 7th we will be the last stop of Muskegon Motorcycle Club's annual Spring Run! We have heard there will be a lot of bikers this year, and pray the weather is nice! We need a lot of volunteers to make this a successful fundraiser/event, so please contact me if you want to help.

Don't forget Poppy Day is May 12th; there is a sing up sheet in the canteen for those who wish to help!

The White Lake Memorial Day event will be on May 29th, meet at the club to help honor our deceased Military heroes.

We held elections at our April meeting, so thank you to those who attended and to those who are willing to accept and hold a position. We will officially install these new officers at our June meeting.

Our newly elected officers are:

President: Deb Cincush

Sr. Vice: Patsy Hilderbrandt

Jr. Vice: Gloria Hesse

Treasurer: Linda Meier

Conductress: Joy Dean

Guard: Paul VanBeukering

3 Year Trustee: Gail Crane

2 Year Trustee: Ann Ward

1 Year Trustee: Lisa Pierce

We are still in need of a couple committee chairpersons as well as an auxiliary secretary, so if you are willing, please let me know and I will give you the information.

VFW Camp Trotter is coming up, if you know of a child between the ages of 7-12 who would like to attend and perhaps cannot afford to attend, please have them ask for the Post/Auxiliary to sponsor them! We have had a few members with children/grandchildren attend, and they say it is a great time!

Huge shout out to Josh Berndt from Whitehall High School, he was our Voice of Democracy winner! WHS will be having their award assembly on May 23, for anyone who would like to attend.

Our next Auxiliary Meeting will be: Wednesday, May 10th and 6:30pm.

Thank you,
Deb Cincush
Auxiliary President

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MAY 2017 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 In-House Mtg 7:00 PM	2	3 Post Meeting 7:00 PM Burger Wednesday	4	5 Fish Fry 5:00-7:30 PM	6 VFW Concert Series Yard Sale Underwear! 7:00 PM - 11:00 PM A great band for all ages and tastes!
7 Muskegon Motorcycle Club's Spring Run	8	9	10 Auxiliary Meeting 6:30 PM Burger Wednesday	11	12 Poppy Sales Shrimp/Chicken Dinner 5:00-7:30 PM	13
14 Mother's Day	15	16	17 Burger Wednesday	18	19 Steak Dinner 5:00-7:30 PM	20 Armed Forces Day
21	22	23	24 Burger Wednesday	25	26 Burrito Dinner 5:00-7:30 PM	27
28	29 Memorial Day	30	31 Burger Wednesday			