

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS WHITE LAKE POST 3256

OCTOBER 2016 NEWSLETTER

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From the Commander

Fellow Comrades,

Thanks to Andy Hegedus III and Tom Lovejoy for cleaning and putting back up the weaponry in the Club Room.

Thanks to Vic Patton for getting the past commanders photos back up in a better place of distinction. The Club Room looks very nice with these things being done.

The dining hall is going to be painted, and again, we need volunteers to wash down the walls and paint it. We are trying to get this done in the month of October, so if anyone can help, please let one of the canteen workers know. We don't know the exact date, but please keep that in mind.

Have you done your share of help ing the Post last month??

For God and Country,

Jerry Doran
Commander

Mens Auxiliary News

Hey Guys,

The meeting was held with eight of us present and that included me.

We still have lots of things on the table and waiting for more information before making final decisions on what to do with each thing.

The burrito dinner is still going and if anyone can help, please get ahold of Lisa Birkett.

A motion was made to help the Old Newsies with our annual contribution and was carried.

Just a reminder we still have hats and shirts if anyone wants to purchase check with any officer of the Men's Auxiliary.

It is with sincere regret that we have to say good bye to our member Tom Terryn as he recently passed away. Our sympathy goes out to his family.

Our next meeting will be October 13, 2016 at 6:00 P.M. Hope to see you there.

For the Good of All
Paul

There are some T-Shirts available of the "15 Years Biking for our Vets" for \$10.00. See bartender to purchase.

Auxiliary News

Dear Auxiliary Sisters,

Our 15th annual big bike event was a great success. Thank you to everyone that helped.

At our last auxiliary meeting discussion regarding auxiliary president pictures took place. As you may know they are no longer on the hall wall. We decided to invite anyone with suggestions to our next meeting. We will then take a vote and the top two suggestions will be presented to the post.

On October 23rd I will be chairing an anniversary party for 150 people. Please let me know if you would be willing to help prepare food the night before and the day of.

Linda Meier will be resigning as our Membership Chairman. We are in need of someone to step up and volunteer.

Burger Wednesdays are officially back and will be starting on September 29th.

Deloris is in need of steak fryers the third Fridays of the month. Please contact her if you are willing to volunteer.

Shoots is starting back up on October 22nd at 6:30. Please come for a good time. All proceeds help to improve our Post facility.

The deadline for teacher of the year award is November 1st. Gloria Hesse will be submitting Kelly Ritter and Troy Love on behalf of our Post. Please let her know if you have anything you would like to share about them.

I would love for anyone that comes into the club the day of our meeting to please stay or come back and support me and our auxiliary. I hope to see everyone at our next meeting October 12th @ 6:30.

Thank you so much.

Deb Cincush
Auxiliary President

Thank you to the many volunteers that worked our 15th Annual Fund Raiser held September 4, 2016 to raise money for the Grand Rapids Veterans Home 2016 Angel Tree and the Muskegon Food Pantry. Many donated their talent by making items and homemade pies for the auctions, those that donated items for the silent auctions, those that gave a monetary donation, all the workers that helped plan this event, distributing the flyers and networking, those that donated food for the lunch, helped with food set up, clean up, running the poker run, scavenger hunt and the auctions.

Special Thanks to:

Christina McCumber for the wonderful job designing and printing the professional flyers & brochures.

Jim Shereda for the beautiful garden arbor he made and donated, which raised \$445.00.

Jane Kauffman, Marian Trevino, Cyndi Winterstein and Nikki Wentworth that spent many hours and drove many miles collecting the donation items from local and surrounding businesses. The results from their time and efforts was overwhelming and made the silent auction a big success.

Also thank you to all that participated in the poker run, 50/50's and auctions. Without all of you we would not have raised \$3,301.54.

Look for a notice in the spring 2017 to start planning the 16th annual fund raiser, as it will be time to have someone head up the committees and get things rolling.

THANK YOU ALL FOR SUPPORTING THIS FUND RAISER

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OCTOBER 2016 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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2	3 In-House Mtg 6:00 PM	4	5 Post Meeting 7:00 PM Burger Wednesday	6	7 Fish Fry 5:00-7:30 PM	8
9	10	11	12 Auxiliary Meeting 6:30 PM Burger Wednesday	13 Men's Aux Meeting 6:00 PM	14 Shrimp/Chicken Dinner 5:00-7:30 PM	15
16	17	18	19 Burger Wednesday	20	21 Steak Dinner 5:00-7:30 PM	22 Shoots! 6:30 PM
23	24	25	26 Burger Wednesday	27	28 Burrito/Nachos 5:00-7:30 PM	29 Shoots! 6:30 PM
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