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COMMANDERS MESSAGE

Dear Fellow Legionnaires:

It seems as if I ask for volunteers, ask for you to call me with any positive suggestions about what we can do better at the Post, and sign up one new member for our Post. NO RESPONSE. Hello, out there. I do wonder if anyone is reading this Newsletter? I want you to know that none of the officers of this Post perform their duties for their own sake. We do it because we believe we can (and we do) make a positive difference in our Community, State and Nation!

So, if you would please call me and say that you are reading this Newsletter, or getting a new member signed, or thinking seriously about helping at our Carnival early in August 513-688-0007. Enough said.

We have been very successful in sprucing up the Post! I sincerely want to thank all of those who have had a part in these projects! Post looks great!

Please don't forget that our Post Installation takes place on June 23rd at 6PM. Bar opens at 5PM. We will be installing our new Legion, Auxiliary and SAL officers for the coming year. Let's support them!

For God and Country,

Lou Dimmerman, Post Commander

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

PLEASE KEEP THE FOLLOWING POST#484 FAMILY MEMBERS IN YOUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Lou Dimmerman as he continues recovery from recent facial surgery

Arlene Potter as she recovers from recent knee injury & subsequent surgery

Leigh Harwood (Grandfather of Noah Harwood S.A.L.) as he continues his chemotherapy treatment

Walt Crowait, Tom Dreyer, George McDermott,

Hugh Scott, Lynn Sollberger, Warren Anderson

Ron Murphy, James Tennant, George Ahlrichs

Mary Hughes, Dave Hurst, Dave Robinson

Denny Lahey, Larry Latham, Jerry Harmon,

Jim Brown, David Ficks, Bob Carr, Ken Klein
Larry & Jeanne Foster, Francis Transbarger
George & Lois Henson

OUR ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY MEMBERS

Dave Hurst, Chaplain

AMERICANISM

On Saturday, May 26, our Post reps, with the help of Cub Scout Pack 867, will place flags at the monuments of Veterans in 5 Cemeteries. Anyone wishing to help may report to our Post at 9 A.M.

Our Drill Squad will begin the Memorial Day Commemoration at 7 A.M. Monday, May 28. Then the Squad will depart the Post to fire at 6 Cemeteries and the McNicholas Monument. Legion family and friends are welcome to accompany group. Later, a Parade will commence at 10:30 A.M. at Stanbery Park and end at the Post Monument. There, a Patriotic Ceremony will be conducted with key comments by Past SAL Commander Bill Hosking.

Glenn Johnson Americanism Chairman

COMMUNITY RELATIONS REPORT

The budget of Governor Kasich allocated \$36,000 for the construction of a building in Stanbery Park. The allocation was strongly urged by Representative Tom Brinkman. The new place will be used for stage concerts, and movie entertainment through the Summer months. Stanbery Park will also host other events, including farmers markets.

Glenn Johnson Chairman

POPPY COMMITTEE

Well the Month of May has finally arrived, and that means its Poppy Month. These poppies are made right here in Ohio by hospitalized veterans. We are asking everyone to remember that 100% of all Poppy donations go to Veterans and their families.

The 484 family will be passing out Poppies at the Mt. Washington Kroger store On Friday, Saturday and

Sunday May 25th, 26th and 27th. We need everyone (Legion, Sal and Auxiliary) to give a little of their time on this Holiday weekend to help our Veterans.

I will be at everyone's May meetings with a signup sheet and anyone that is willing to sign up at that time can do so. I will also have it posted in the club room.

Remember these Men and Women gave their all, can't you give just a few hours?

Liz Castle 232-5648

CINCO DE MAYO DANCE

The Legion Riders will sponsor a Cinco De Mayo dance on Saturday, May 5 from 7:30PM to 11:30PM. Advance tickets are \$15 single and \$25 for a couple, \$20 single and \$30 couple at the door. There will be draft beer, food, and door prizes along with a cash bar for canned beer and mixed drinks. For advance tickets call: 513-659-5231, 513- 400-7485, 513- 305-0925, 513-885-4405.

Gary Holden

COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

The team determined that a primary problem was a lack of communication across all legion family groups; this results in a failure to get adequate information to publicity media (both public and internal). It was felt that a communications network could help to correct this.

The network contact personnel are:

Bill Hosking (SAL)

Shannon Harwood & Jackie Ruzsa (Auxiliary)

Gary Holden (AL Riders)

Steve Ervin & Nick Hillebrand (Legion)

As mentioned on numerous occasions, our website needs updating. The present website design is almost 20 years old and the contract expires in July so, after looking at several proposals and discussing them, a developer was selected. Nick Hillebrand will work with the developer to finalize details and present initial costs to the executive board at the next board meeting. The team established a monthly meeting time - first Wednesday of each month at 7PM.

2018 POST 484 CARNIVAL

At the April 9th carnival meeting the following dates were established; the carnival will take place on Friday, August 3rd and Saturday, August 4th. This means first set up date will be Sunday, July 22nd at 8 am. At this time we will set up the booths so the electrical work can start on Monday. This is a day when we need people with trucks and strong muscles to move the booths and other materials from garage to the carnival area.

The second set up date will be Sunday, July 29th when the tables and chairs need to be set up, tops

placed on the booths, bring the equipment and supplies from the carnival room down to the Hall. The set up takes some time and man power to get the job done and we need all of the help we can get. Please put the set up dates on your schedule and plan to help with this major endeavor. We will have some refreshments for you and lunch if needed.

Sunday, August 5th will be "tear down day" at 8 am. This is another day we need lots of help. We will need to tear everything down and return it to the garage or the carnival room. The hall will need to be cleaned and prepared for the Monday Night Bingo. Again please plan to be at the Post to help tear down and clean the area.

There will be a few changes made for this year such as; craft beer, some booths may be relocated etc. We will keep you informed if other changes are made. We need the support of all of the members of the Post 484 Family to have a successful carnival!

POST 484 2018 ELECTION

It is that time of the year again and we will vote on our officers for the 2018-19 Legion years at the May 1st meeting. This year is a little different since we have 3 positions being contested. It is great to see some of younger members take an interest in the Post and decide to run for office. They are the future of our organization. The following is a list of the candidates running for office:

Commander: Steve Irvin & Chester Canter

First Vice Commander: Tony Hartlaub

Second Vice Commander: Nick Hillebrand & Chris Stemmer

Third Vice Commander: Gary Holden

Adjutant: Ryan Cook

Finance Officer: Jerry Halvorsen

Service Officer: Lou Dimmerman

Chaplain: Dave Hurst

Sergeant-at-Arms: Randy Maifeld

Trustee: Matt McElhaney & Chuck McDonald.

The following group are running to be delegates to the Fourth District and the Ohio Department:

Fourth District (4 candidates):

Charlie Sollberger, Denny Lahey, & Steve Ervin.

Lou Dimmerman & Dave Hurst are past Fourth

District Commanders and are automatic delegates.

Ohio Department (4 candidates):

Charlie Sollberger, Dave Hurst, Steve Ervin &

Walt Crostwait. Lou Dimmerman is a past State

Commander and is an automatic delegate.

BUCKEYE BOYS STATE

As of April 10th we have 17 young men enrolled to attend BBS sponsored by our Post. I am still waiting on several more schools to send additional delegates. I want to again thank all of our supporters

who have helped pay for these kids to go so far. 484, SAL Squad, PCLM club, Glenn Johnson, Dick Vliet and TP White have donated to pay the cost of this great leadership program.

If any other person wants to be a sponsor for this tax deductible 501C3 fund, please call me at 753-7327 and I will be happy to have your support.

Next month I will report on the final numbers that we will send to Miami University on June 10th.

Again thank you for those who have or will be a Sponsor.

Charlie Sollberger, BBS Chairperson

spaghetti dinner last month. The dinner was a successful event and gives us additional funds to sponsor activities for Veterans.

Also, a very special "THANKS" to the many volunteers, Auxiliary, Legion, Sons and others, who came to perform the many duties to make this event a success. We are looking forward to having this dinner again in 2019 so please plan to come.

Again thank you!

Ron Wissman & Denny Lahey, Co-Chairmen

SPAGHETTI DINNER

Sons of the American Legion Squadron 484 would like to "THANK YOU" for your support of our

VETERANS BREAKFAST

The veterans breakfast at New England Club will be held on May 10th at 9AM. The guest speaker will be Bob Cavanaugh, who will speak on military intelligence.

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 TrusteeDan Mugavin

May 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 7PM Post Mtg Election voting from 5:30to 7:30PM	2 7PM Communication Committee Mtg 7:30PM H.C.C. Mtg @ Post #425 (Cheviot	3 10:30AM Bingo 6:30PM 4th District Exec Bd Mtg @ Post #550(New Richmond) 7PM S.A.L. Mtg	4 8:30AM-Noon Delivery of election equipment 6:30PM Cinti VA Hospital (CLC)	5 7:30-11:30PM Legion Riders Dance
6 Noon 4th District Horseshoe Tournament @ #484	7 7PM Primary Election Set-Up 7PM Auxiliary Exec Bd Mtg 8PM Boys Soccer Assn Mtg	8 5:30AM-10PM Primary Election	9 7PM Carnival Mtg	10 10:30AM Bingo 7PM Auxiliary Mtg	11	12
13 9AM-Noon Buffet Breakfast	14 8:30AM-Noon Pick-Up of election equipment	15	16	17 10:30AM Bingo	18 6:30PM Social Night 7PM Boys State Orientation Mtg	19
20	21	22	23	24 10:30AM Bingo 7PM Legion Riders Mtg	25	26
27	28 7AM Cemetery Services 10:30AM Parade	29 7PM Post Exec Bd Mtg	30	31 10:30AM Bingo		