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### COMMANDER'S REPORT

Well, I'm back. Oh, wait a minute, I've said that before, haven't I?

I spent close to three weeks at Bethesda North ICU. Thru the persistence of the doctors there, they discovered a 1" by 4" tumor in my heart, surrounded by a blood clot. I had open heart surgery to remove it. After a week more recuperating there, I was sent to a physical rehab facility. The doctors say I am doing well.

On to business. Our Post has been the recipient of two (2) bequests. A large one for our Scholarship Program, and one smaller (but still significant) to update our Legion Post.

Don't forget Charlie & Vicki's dinner for our Buckeye Boys State and Girls State delegates on September 17th. You are all invited, but you must sign up at the Legion Post. As I have been out of the process for almost two (2) months, you will find more information in this Newsletter.

Don't forget our regular meeting is at 7:00 P.M. the first Tuesday of every month--Join us! This month will be our Post Everlasting Ritual, where we will honor our recently deceased members. Because of that, I am asking our Officers and Chairmen to keep their reports brief.

For God and Country,  
Lou Dimmerman, Commander

### THIRD VICE COMMENTS

**Special thanks** to Jerry, Kevin, Rick, Randy, Ryan, Mary & Debbie for their invaluable help with installing our new sign. And the S.A.L. and PC/LM for their financial contributions !!!!!

**American Legion Riders:** Legion, S.A.L., or Auxiliary motorcycle riders who are interested in starting an ALR chapter at Post 484. Please contact Gary Holden At 513-659-5231 A.S.A.P. THANKS!

Gary Holden, Third Vice

### CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

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

Shirley Wallace (wife of past post commander Jack Wallace) as she continues treatment for cancer family of Carl Quinn on passing of Carl\_8/3/17  
Kevin Nelson as he recovers from recent facial injury sustained in a fall on 8/3/17

Marlene Collier as she continues hospitalization for ongoing medical care

Lou Dimmerman in his continuing recuperation from hospitalization, surgery and rehab

Dick Ruzsa and family on passing of Dick's father on 7/31/17

Family of Ray Springer on passing of Ray - 7/24/17

Walt Crowait in his continuing recovery from recent hospitalization and medical treatments

Larry Latham - Denny Lahey - Dave Hurst - Hugh Scott - Jim Brown - Ron Loebker - Ken Klein -

Tom Dreyer - George Ahlrichs - Dave Robinson - Madalena Hanthorn - George Mcdermott -

Dan Carr - Vince Montelisciani, sr - Gerry Harmon - David Ficks - Larry & Jeanne Foster - Bob Burns -

Bob Ober - George & Lois Henson - Francis Transbarger - Warren Anderson -

Lynn Sollberger -

AND OUR ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY MEMBERS

Dave Hurst, Chaplain

### CINCINNATI VA JULY 4th PICNIC AND BINGO

I would like to thank all of the post 484 family members who came over and volunteered their time with the veterans on The Fourth of July at Cincinnati VA CLC Facility picnic, carnival, and Bingo.

We had a great turn out of volunteers from the Post Family. We had one member from squad 534 and the new Legion Fourth Commander Mike Bender also from post 534. They did all the grilling for the event and what a great job they did on a hot

day. We served 50 veterans from the CLC Unit and some of their family members who were visiting plus the staff. I would also like to thank the Legion, Auxiliary, District Commander Chuck Castle, John Ratchford, George Monroe, Squadron 534 and VAVS Representative Dave Hurst for their donations to this event.

This was the first year for the carnival atmosphere plus taking a picture of each veteran and putting it in a patriotic keepsake folder. I think next year with a little tweaking of things this could be one of the great premier events at the Cincinnati VA Facility.

The veterans at Cincinnati VA CLC Unit were the winners on the Fourth because of the Post 484 Family caring and devotion to the veterans in this Greater Cincinnati area.

Thanks again and hope to see you next year.  
Ron Wissman SAL Squad VA&R Chairman

### **BUCKEYE BOYS STATE**

This is the time of year when we invite all Boy Stators and Girl Stators to our post for a dinner and to listen to all their experiences they enjoyed at both programs.

All legionnaires, auxiliary and SAL members are invited to attend. There is a sign up sheet on the Post's bulletin board to sign up. We need to know the number of people joining us when preparing food.

If you sign up to come, please make sure you attend. Thank you, see you on the 17th of September at 5:00 p.m.  
Charlie Sollberger 753-7327

### **2017 POST CARNIVAL SUMMARY AS OF 8-8-17**

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you. The first Thank you is for God, who provided the great weather for the whole carnival week. The next Thank you is for Mike Dadosky, for all the work and expertise in setting up and tearing down the electrical wiring needed for each booth and the entire area where power was required. The third Thank you is for each booth chairperson and all their workers for making each booth a valuable part of this event.

This was a "Family" affair with the Legion, Auxiliary and the Sons for making this a success. A special thank you to all who helped setting up on July 23, July 30th and tear down on August 6th.

This as always is a lot of work to make the carnival work.

As of this date 8-8-17 I have no idea of how successful this year's carnival was. By the time the next Bugler is written I will give a full report of all the final profits and any other information concerning this year's event.

I didn't want to list the names of people to thank, as I have personally thanked most if not all who took part. However, I want to mention Ed Benken for his assistance to Mike Dadosky with the wiring and Jerry Halvorson and Larry Latham for their assistance to Finance Officer Bob.

A big "Thank You" for all the people who bought tickets and or sold tickets for our Major Awards Booth. Bob Basler sold \$ 435.00 of tickets. He is awarded the top prize of \$100.00 for his great effort.

A Thank you for all the booth sponsors this year. We had a number of new sponsors this year: Brackman Heating & AC, Tony Ramando Pizzeria, Average Joes Gym, The Hair Factor and Blue Rose Supply Company.

A Final Thank You" for all that has been written above.  
For God and Country I Thank You.  
Charlie Sollberger

### **AMERICANISM REPORT**

September is an important month for declaring and enforcing human rights in our Country.

September 2, 1783, was the day of the final signing of our Peace Treaty with England. That Country relinquished all claims to our Government, property, and territorial rights.

The Constitution was finally signed on September 17, 1787 by the delegates assigned to draft it..

September dates of Importance:  
Labor Day; 1st Monday in September - Sep.4 this year.  
Birthday of William Howard Taft -the 27th President of the U.S. - Sep. 15,1857.

The Drill Squad continues to serve the civil and religious needs of its members and friends. On Saturday, August 22, 4 Squad Representatives acted as a firing squad to honor a recently deceased Legionnaire. The 4 reps were Tony Hartlaub, Ryan Cook, Will Lemming, and Glenn Johnson.

The honored Legionnaire was Bob Ruge, who left a generous endowment to our Post.

Mt. Washington's sesquicentennial celebration will take place on Saturday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> and

Sunday, September 24<sup>th</sup>. Although plans are not finalized at this time, we know that there will be various tables or booths in Stanbery Park from 9 to 6PM on Saturday. Post 484 will have a table displaying our history and possibly attracting some new members. On Sunday, the community may hold a parade. If the parade takes place, the Post 484 Drill Squad will participate.  
 Glenn Johnson Americanism Chairman

are now with our Supreme Commander in Post Everlasting.

**PAST COMMANDERS AND LIFE MEMBERS**

The PCLM will hold its meeting on Tuesday, September 19<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM.  
 Dennis Lahey

**VETERANS BREAKFAST**

The New England Club monthly veterans breakfast will be held there at 9AM on Thursday, September 14<sup>th</sup>. The guest speaker at the breakfast will be Gary Holden, a post 484 officer who has skydived over 1000 times.

**POST EVERLASTING CEREMONY**

The September 14<sup>th</sup> meeting is the time that we will honor and remember the Post 484 members who have died in the past year and

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 1st Vice Commander.....Tony Hartlaub  
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 Immediate Past Commander.....Charlie Sollberger  
 Service Officer .....Jake Suttmiller  
 Chaplain .....;.....Dave Hurst  
 Sgt.-at-Arms .....Randy Maifeld  
 Trustee..... Ed Benken  
 Trustee .....Jerry Halvorsen  
 Trustee .....Dan Mugavin

September 2017						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1- 6:30 PM Cinti VA Hospital (clc)	2
3	4	5 7PM Post Meeting (Post Everlasting Ceremony)	6 7:30 PM HCC Meeting at Post #199	7 10:30AM Bingo 7PM S./A./L. Meeting	8	9 2-5 PM Hall Rental
10 9AM-Noon Buffet Breakfast	11 7PM Auxiliary Exec Bd Meeting 8PM Boys Soccer Assn Meeting	12 7:30PM Auxiliary Meeting\	13	14 10:30AM Bingo	15 Social Night	16 Hall Rental
17 5PM Boys/Girls State Banquet	18	19 7:30PM Past Commanders/Life Members Club Meeting	20	21 10:30AM Bingo	22 7PM Pool Tournament	23 10:30AM Golf Outing at Little Miami G.C.
24 10AM 4th District Fall Conference at Post #180	25	26 7PM Post Exec Bd Meeting	27	28 10:30AM Bingo	29	