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Bar Hours: Mon-Thurs. 12:00 - 1:00
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Our Motto: "Supporting our Troops, Past and Present"

COMMANDERS CORNER

I want to thank everyone who has sent in their 2015 dues. We are only 3 renewals from making our 100% goal for this year. Let's all try and get them mailed in as quickly as possible. Thank you for taking the time to send your dues in so we can reach our goal.

Also, thank you to all members who have chosen to get their newsletters by e-mail. If you have a computer and an e-mail address, please consider getting the newsletter electronically. Please send your e-mail address to Tammy at legion39office@gmail.com and she will add you to the list. Thank you for helping us with this endeavor.

I have chosen to resign as Commander in order to assume the duties of Gambling Manager. Chuck Peterson, our current Gambling Manager has encountered some serious health problems that have prevented him from continuing his tenure as Gambling Manager. Please keep Chuck and his family in your thoughts and prayers during this trying time. Past Commander and current 1st Vice Commander Larry Ryan will assume my position as Commander until a new one is elected.

Thank you to everyone for your support during my tenure as Commander. We have come to be a family. Please support our new Commander and let's continue to work together to make this the best Post around!!

Our next Membership meeting will be held on April 9, 2015, at 7:00 p.m. I hope to see many of you there.

Please remember all of our service men and women serving our country around the world. Keep them and their families in your daily thoughts and prayers. We hope they will be able to come home soon.

Sincerely,
Randy Bastyr
Commander

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER
Deceased
Muriel Miller • Ken Charpentier

Pursuant to the ByLaws of Post 39, I hereby assume the duties as Commander of the post, having received the resignation of Commander Randy Bastyr. I have appointed Randy as the acting Gambling Manager due to the health status of Charles Peterson. A Special Election for the position of Commander and 1st Vice Commander will be held at the April General Membership meeting, for the remainder of the 2014-2015 terms.

THE AMERICAN LEGION POST 39 BAR AND HALL SHAREHOLDERS MEETING WILL BE HELD AT 6:00 PM ON APRIL 9TH, PRIOR TO THE POST GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING. ALL MEMBERS OF POST 39 ARE SHAREHOLDERS IN THE BAR AND HALL AND ARE ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND.

Larry Ryan

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Local Payroll Service

General Membership Meeting

March 12, 2015

Actual Gambling Expenses for February 2015 were \$14,177.78

Pre-approved gambling expenses for April 2015 are \$18,500.00

Donations will be from the gambling account unless noted.

1. \$100.00 to Memorial Day Association.
2. \$100.00 to Ramsey County Sheriff's Foundation.
3. \$100.00 to Richardson School Carnival.
4. \$100.00 to North High Bionic Polars.
5. \$250.00 to Tartan Senior Party
6. \$100.00 to Cowern School Carnival
7. \$200.00 to Muskies Twin City Chapter
8. \$100.00 to Mahtomedi Area Education Foundation

Executive Board Meeting

March 19, 2015

The following were approved at the Executive Board meeting to be voted on at the March General Membership meeting.

1. \$75.00 to the Knights of Columbus - Ham Bingo.
2. \$500.00 to Veterans Campground on Big Marine Lake.
3. \$150.00 to Gold Star Family Weekend.
4. \$100.00 for tickets to the District Testimonial Dinner.

Hi Ladies,

It was great to see new members at our meeting last month. Please don't forget to bring your friends to the meeting. The more members we have the more volunteers we have. It is great to see new faces.

Spring is here. Our Spring Fling Dinner is almost here.

The date of our dinner is April 18th. We have tickets for sale and we need to get out and sell them so that we can send 3 girls to Girls State in June. Get your tickets; they are only \$15.00 per person and there will also be a silent auction. The Department President Chris Ronning will be in attendance.

Annual reports are due April 15th. Please get your volunteer hours in by the meeting on April 9th we need to complete our reports.

We will be having nominations for next years officers. Please come and join the fun.

There is something at the post for everyone. All our welcome.

God Bless America

Sally Strasser

President Unit 39

American Legion Post 39

CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT

1 p.m. Sunday, April 26

In the Legion Bar

\$10 entry fee per team*
 (maximum 20 teams)

Cash prizes for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and last place, and highest hand. (*Prize amounts will be based on number of teams entered)

To register your team or for more information, contact Ken at kenng5822@hotmail.com or 651.330.9217.

SAL Silver Plate Dinner
 Saturday, April 25, 2015 • Dinner 6pm •
 Raffle Game 7pm

Cost \$60.00 per couple

Dinner for two includes: Champagne Chicken, Beef Burgundy Tips with Mushroom Gravy, Twice Baked Potatoes, Two Steamed Vegetables, Dinner Roll, Tossed Salad, Desert and 1 Bar Rail Drink Per Person.

Tickets are available at the bar or contact Paul Flaherty @ 651-248-4646.
 **All proceeds will be donated to: Veteran, Local Community and Legion related programs to support the 2015 Sons of the American Legion donation plans.

St Croix Turtle Lake Casino Run

Wednesday, April 15, 2015

Cost \$15 per person includes:

- * \$5 in credit on your player's card
- * \$5 to \$50 in instant cash by swiping card at kiosk
- * Motor coach transportation - bus leaves at 9:30 am
- * 4 hour stay at Casino
- * Upon return, receive Two Tacos and "buy one, get one FREE" drink coupon for the Legion bar.

Register by April 6, 2015.

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Legion Post 39
April 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 40/8 Meeting 6:30 pm Darts	2	3 Fish Fry 5-8 pm	4
5	6 Honor Guard Mtg 7:00 pm Hall Booked \$2 Burger Basket	7 Hall Booked Progressive Bingo 6:30 pm	8 Darts	9 6pm Shareholder Meeting General Membership Meeting Aux. Mtg. 7 pm	ARTISAN	
10 Hall Booked	11 Hall Booked	12 Great Northern Pipe Swap 12-6pm	13 \$2 Burger Basket	14 Family Meeting 7:00 pm Lions Meeting 7:00 pm Hall Booked Progressive Bingo 6:30 pm	15 Darts	16 Executive Board Meeting 7:00 pm OBPA Fundraiser 6-9 pm
17	18 Auxiliary Spring Fling Dinner	19	20 \$2 Burger Basket	21 Post Home Progressive Bingo 6:30 pm	22 Darts	23 Bar Board Meeting 6:30 pm Hall Booked
24	25 SAL Silver Plate Dinner	26 Lions Pancake Breakfast	27 \$2 Burger Basket	28 Hall Booked Progressive Bingo 6:30 pm	29 Darts	30 UVC Meeting 7:00 pm
FUGITIVES						

BAR & HALL

Fish Fry
FRIDAYS

February 20 - April 3 5-8pm
Buffet Style in the Legion Hall

Beer battered, deep fried Pollock
(all you can eat)
Plus baked potato, coleslaw
and dinner roll.
Coffee is included.
Chili available, sold separately
Adults - \$12.00
Children (10 & under) - \$9.00

We hope that you have put your snow blower in storage and are enjoying green grass.

Baseball season is in starting so bring your friends and enjoy watching our Twins with a meal and a beverage or two of your choice.

We are offering catering services from our kitchen for hall bookings and events. Please call Tammy Ryan at 651-777-3708 ext. 206 if interested.

The drink of the month is a Pineapple Upside Down Cake - \$3.50. The beer of the month is Miller Genuine Draft - \$2.00.

Have a great spring and remember "the beer is always cold at YOUR American Legion Club 39".

Archie Vickerman
Bar & Hall Board
Chairman

North St. Paul American Legion Post 39
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