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Our Motto: "Supporting our Troops, Past and Present"

COMMANDERS CORNER

Deb and I have just returned from the Department Convention in Rochester. Our new Department Commander is Peggy Moon from the 6th District. Please congratulate her on her new appointment should you have the opportunity to meet her. Also at the convention, we passed a resolution that originated at Post 39. This was the one requesting Congress to change the eligibility date for the Korean War to mirror that of the VFW. This would make all veterans eligible to join the American Legion if they had served anytime from the Korean War to present. This needs to be passed at the National Convention and then by Congress. I will be in Charlotte, NC next month as a delegate of the 4th District. I will keep you informed how this goes.

We continue to talk as a Legion Family on ways to improve the Post and raise funds to help make some much-needed improvements. The wrap booth is going well at the car show. If you can help out, please contact Ken Giannini for details. All of the committees have been meeting, and some exciting fundraisers and events will be coming soon. If you have an idea or would like to get involved, please contact me or any of the Executive Board members from the Post, Auxiliary and SAL. We will be having a Legion Family picnic in the fall. The exact date, time and place will be listed in this newsletter. I hope to see you all there.

We are still looking for people interested in joining the newly-proposed Legion Riders Group. We have had two membership meetings and are very close to creating our first set of by-laws and electing officers. I would encourage anyone interested in becoming a member of the Legion Riders to call me at 651-775-0390. Any member or spouse of a Legion, Auxiliary, or SAL member of Post 39 is eligible to join.

I'm still looking for a person to run the Post's Americanism program. Contact me for more information if you think you would like to help.

The new tile flooring has been installed in the bar area and both hallways. Stop in and take a look. While you're there, please try the tasty food our kitchen is preparing for your enjoyment.

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

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General Membership Meeting June 12, 2014

Actual Gambling Expenses for May
 were \$14,215.73

Pre-approved gambling expenses for July
 are \$16,800.00.

Pre-approved gambling expenses for August
 are \$17,700.00.

Donations will be from the gambling account
 unless noted.

1. \$200.00 for Janie's Playground
2. \$50.00 for the Ramsey Nursing Home
 Foundation

Executive Board Meeting July 10, 2014

1. \$200.00 to the Tartan Area 12U Girls Fast Pitch.
2. Up to \$300 for the Legion family picnic
3. Delegates for Convention: hotel, 45 cents per mile
 and \$45 per diem per day.

North St. Paul American Legion Post 39

Check the Facebook page for current events and announcements.



And click "like"

Hi Ladies

Here it is the end of July and our new year of 2014-2015 is underway with lots of plans for the upcoming year.

The Friday night car shows in North St. Paul are well underway and I would like to thank the Auxiliary members that have volunteered to help get it going. Volunteers are always welcome. We will continue with this through September.

We have chosen a date for our Post 39 Legion family appreciation picnic. The date for this event is Sunday, September 7th from 1-5pm at Housey Park in No. St. Paul. Bring your children and grandchildren. There will be games for the kids. Reservations need to be made by August 29th. Call

Tammy at the Legion Office at 777-3708 to make your reservations. Meat will be provided and those coming will need to bring a dish to pass and alcoholic beverages of your choice.

Volunteers from the Auxiliary and the Legion will be needed to help set up and tear down. Hope to see you all there.

The executive committee will meet the 2nd Thursday, on August 14th at 7pm. Please be there to help plan for the upcoming year.

Hope you all are having a great summer stay safe and see you all soon.

God Bless America
 Sally Strasser
 President Unit 39

BAR &

Happy Mid Summer from the Bar & Hall! So much is going on here at the American Legion Post #39 that we are excited about. First, let me take this opportunity to introduce myself. My name is Kim Schwartz and as of May 27th I have taken the position of Bar and Hall Manager. I was born and raised in St. Paul, and currently live there with my family, including my 3 kids. I have over 12 years of experience in this trade and have held almost every job possible in the bar, including BOH, FOH, & owner. I am overjoyed to be meeting so many new friends. I love this industry and I love working with people, so don't be surprised to see me on the floor serving you drinks and food.

Now that we've been properly introduced, let me tell you about our upcoming events and specials. We have been working on a plan to streamline our Happy Hour and make it more enticing. I think we have come up with a great special. Look for that to roll out next month, complete with a drink price DECREASE and an ALL DAY OPTION!! With Football season right around the corner, I have FUN FUN FUN planned for Sundays as well, including a FREE half time buffet, awesome drink specials, FREE shots, and PRIZES for Vikings games.

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Legion Post 39

August 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2 <i>Legion Revitalization 9 am</i>
					Road House	
3 <i>6-8 pm Hall Booked</i>	4 <i>\$2 Burger Basket</i>	5 <i>Bingo 6:30 pm</i>	6 <i>OMN 6:30 pm 40/8 Meeting 7:30 pm</i>	7	8	9 <i>Benefit for Debi Sparks-Brown</i>
					Fugitives	
10	11 <i>Honor Guard Mtg 7 pm Hall Booked \$2 Burger Basket</i>	12 <i>Bingo 6:30 pm</i>	13	14 <i>General Membership Meeting 7 pm Aux. E-Board Meeting</i>	15	16 <i>Hall Booked</i>
					Crossfire	
17 <i>Hall Booked</i>	18 <i>11-2 pm Hall Booked \$2 Burger Basket</i>	19 <i>Post home Hall Booked Bingo 6:30 pm</i>	20 <i>Hall Booked</i>	21 <i>Executive Board Meeting</i>	22	23
					City Lights	
24/31	25 <i>\$2 Burger Basket</i>	26 <i>Bingo 6:30 pm</i>	27	28 <i>Bar Board Meeting 6:30 pm Hall Booked</i>	29	30
					Crossroads	

HALL

Along with our new Happy Hour options and football specials, we have been working on an improved menu. Mario, the kitchen manager, and I have been very busy testing new sauces, recipes, and foods, even visiting with bakeries. We plan to launch a new menu in early fall that will include more options, better portions, and higher quality ingredients.

Finally, a HUGE thank you to the readers of Lillie Newspaper who voted American Legion Post #39: "Best Place for Happy Hour," "Best Sports Bar," & "Best Place to Dance." Seems fitting with all of the magnificent specials and entertainment we have in store to go along with it. Don't forget we still rock the dance floor every Fri & Sat night with live music at 8pm. Stop in and check out what got us our vote! We are always ready to serve you with a smile, a cold beverage, and delicious fare. I look forward to seeing you! The drinks of the month for August are \$3.00 Caramel Apple & \$2.50 bottles of Honeyweiss.

Kimberly Schwartz
 Bar & Hall Manager