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American Legion Post 39

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

COMMANDERS CORNER

Deb and I are on the road again. This time we are headed out east, first to visit her parents in Pennsylvania, and then down to Charlotte, NC for the American Legion National Convention. I hope to learn a lot and bring back some good ideas that will help our Post grow. I will also keep an eye on the resolution that will help post-Korean Veterans eligibilities to join our ranks. This needs to be passed at the National Convention and then by Congress. I will keep you informed how this goes.

We continue to talk as a Legion Family on ways to raise funds to help make some much-needed improvements. The picnic is scheduled for Sept 7th; call Tammy to RSVP and for any additional information. I hope to see you there. We are running a Hunters Raffle; 3 guns will be raffled off on November 2nd. Stop by the Post and purchase some tickets and maybe pick a few extra to sell to your friends and family. The wrap booth is going well at the car show. If you can help out, please contact Ken Giannini for details. 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.

On August 12 we installed our officers for the Post 39 Legion Riders. We are still looking for people interested in joining the newly-formed Legion Riders Group, currently consisting of 8 members. I would encourage anyone interested in becoming a member of the Legion Riders to call President Wes Buttz @ 612-418-8234. 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 Bar and Hall are running several new football specials. Stop by and check them out. While you're there, please try the tasty food our kitchen is preparing for your enjoyment. Also look for a new menu to be rolled out very soon.

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 August 14, 2014

Actual Gambling Expenses for June were \$14,884.00
 Actual gambling expenses for July were \$15,808.00
 Pre-approved gambling expenses for September are \$16,800.00.
 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 August 21, 2014 No Action Taken

Hi Ladies

We are into our new year for 2014-2015. Bring a friend and a Junior, we would really like to get the Juniors going this year. I know there are girls out there that want to be active. One of our Juniors went to the Junior Fun Weekend in August at Legionville and she will be at our September meeting to talk about what she did. So please bring a Junior to the meeting.

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 and still needed, we will continue with this through September 19th.

We have a lot planned this year so please come and get involved. We have changed the date of the Holiday Boutique. The date has been changed to Nov. 2nd. Time will be from 11-4pm.

The meetings are at the same time as the Legion the 2nd Thursday of the month at 7:00pm

Hope to see you all in September and don't forget to bring a Junior and a friend.

God Bless America
 Sally Strasser
 President Unit 39

Golf Tournament 18 hole Scramble

Date: October 2, 2014 (Saturday)
 Time: 10:00am Shot Gun Start
 5:00pm Dinner and Program at the Legion
 Location: Stillwater Oaks (formerly Sawmill)
 Entry Fee: \$300 per team or \$75 for individuals.
 For more information call Ken at 651-330-9217

Blood Chairman Report Jim Hamilton

Give the gift of Life. Be a Blood Donor

Each year Blood donations increase by 2-3 percent but the demand for Blood climbs at a rate of 6-8 percent because of an increase in medical procedures that use Blood products. Blood is a perishable product with a shelf life of only 42 days and platelets just days. So it must be replenished constantly - there simply is no substitute.

Under normal circumstances about every two seconds someone in America will need a Blood transfusion. The next Blood Drive will be at the American Legion in North St. Paul on Monday, Nov. 17, 2014, at 1:00 P.M. until 6:00 P.M.

Call Joanne Brown at 612-840-3610 for an appointment.

HOURS

VA Medical Center

Tuesday
 11:00 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.
 Friday
 9:30 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.

Bloomington Blood Donor Center

Tuesday and Thursday
 1:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.
 Wed and Sat
 7:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M.

55 Alive AARP Driver Refresher Course

Monday, October 20th 12:30pm - 4:30pm

Pre-registration is required as space is limited

Call 651-777-3708 ext. 206 or email:
 tammylegion39@yahoo.com

BAR &


Hello from the Bar and Hall Club. Things have really been buzzing for us here at Post #39! With fall fast approaching we have been talking a lot about football. We have some great specials starting in September. For Sunday Vikes games we will be offering \$3 drinks and a FREE Halftime Buffet, as well as prizes and giveaways every quarter. This comes fresh off the first of three awards, being voted "Best Sports Bar" by Lillie News readers and we plan to live up to it. We would like to thank all of our members who participated in the Reader's choice awards. Look for a follow up article next month with a special coupon to show our appreciation. In conjunction, we have lowered, YES! LOWERED, Happy Hour prices and extended the hours. We now offer Happy Hour All Day from Noon-6pm, Mon thru Sat. This is to ensure we continue to offer "Best Happy Hour" to our members and the community. Furthermore, we're still "Best Place to Dance" on Friday and Saturday

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September 2014

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	1	2	3	4	5	6
	<i>\$2 Burger Basket</i>	<i>Bingo 6:30 pm</i>			Sugartree	
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
<i>Benefit for Mike Charles 1-6 pm</i>	<i>Honor Guard Mtg 7 pm</i> Hall Booked <i>\$2 Burger Basket</i>	<i>4th District: Shop, Ship and Share 7 pm</i> Hall Booked <i>Bingo 6:30 pm</i>	<i>RCCC Meeting</i> <i>Darts</i>	<i>General Membership Meeting</i> <i>Auxiliary Mtg. 7 pm</i>	Way Back Whins	
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Hall Booked	<i>\$2 Burger Basket</i>	<i>Bingo 6:30 pm</i> Hall Booked	<i>Executive Board Meeting</i> <i>Darts</i>	<i>Fall Round Up Parade</i>	Fugitives	
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Hall Booked	<i>\$2 Burger Basket</i>	<i>Bingo 6:30 pm</i>	Hall Booked <i>Legion Family Meeting 7 pm</i> <i>Darts</i>	<i>Bar Board Meeting 7 pm</i> Hall Booked	<i>Benefit for Robert McLean 3-10 pm</i>	
28	29	30			Wild Fire	
	<i>\$2 Burger Basket</i>	<i>Bingo 6:30 pm</i>				

HALL

nights with your favorite bands playing LIVE music 8:30pm-1am. Finally, to wrap it all up we have improved our menu, adding several new dishes and upgrading the quality of our products. Stop in and try something for dinner, let us know what you think. We hope to expand the kitchen to include lunch and weekends in the future, so we're eager to please our members with new food variations. These food modifications have inspired us to begin an in house catering menu as well, so don't forget about our huge hall when planning your next event, we'll even cook for ya! Hope to see you soon!

Kimberly Schwartz
 Bar & Hall Manager

North St. Paul American Legion Post 39
 Check the Facebook page for current events and announcements.

 And click "like"