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November Newsletter, as I write, here in mid October, Fall has fell, chilly drizzle, and fog. A glimpse, I suppose of things to come, but still time for good weather, fall foliage and white bass runs.

October is a fairly quiet month for us, but the Turkey Shoot started very well despite the rain that drowned the Veterans Picnic out back. Show me the Money will end on Thursday, October 25, for a few months when Donnie and Lonnie join the exodus to the sun belt. We will have our October Fest on Friday the 19th and Halloween Party and Trunk or Treat on the 31st.

November brings the day that is the reason for our existence, Veteran's Day, this one special because the "War to end all Wars" ended 100 years ago. We, our fathers and our sons and daughters have learned the bitter lesson that no amount of horror, bloodshed or destruction is enough to stay the hand of fanatics. We must be strong enough to prove that we can change

our ways through discussion and the ballot box under rules of law, not coercion. The ladies will serve breakfast before we gather to honor those who fight for our freedom and keep our land free.

And now it is time to wish our sun seekers safe travels and fair weather. We will miss you and wish you a great vacation. At home, Jim and Sarah will serve Thanksgiving dinner on the 14th, from 500 PM to 700 PM, join us for a great meal and good time.

The door is now open for the Holiday season, so let's renew our faith in and love for our fellow man, and thank God for all our blessings.

God Bless America Mark

BAR COMMITTEE

Welcome to our new bartender, Rhona Boyert. New mats have been installed for the bartenders making it more comfortable for them. Please keep checking the board forcurrent happenings each month. I hope you are all looking forward to the annual Thanksgiving dinner. Jim Muell always does an outstanding job on preparing this feast. As most of you are aware, Dick Johnson, the past Bar Committee Chairman, passed away. His family will have a Celebration of Life on November 10th at 12:00 p.m. All are

welcome. Thank you for your continued support of the bar and all activities.

Gary Mock



The kitchen committee is working better than we thought. After looking at our budget we figured out we could upgrade some of our appliances. As of September we purchased 2 short steamers and a couple of large deep dish stainless steel bake pan, a waffle maker, and replaced our worn out electric coffee pots with 2-110 cup coffee urns. More will be replaced in the future so those of you on kitchen duty stay tuned as our wish list is a little longer. It's always more enjoyable to work in the kitchen when you have appliances that work for you.

We would like to thank the SAL for their wonderful donation so that we could buy a new microwave for the kitchen. Thanks a lot gentlemen.

Turkey shoot is every Saturday and Bev has stepped up again this year to work the kitchen. Show me the Money on Thursdays is about to shut down for the winter and Barb stepped up and took charge of the kitchen. We want to thank these ladies for their dedication.

Nov 14: 3PM, calendar meeting; and Post Thanksgiving dinner

- Nov 21: Kitchen will be closed for the Thanksgiving which falls on Nov 22 this year
- Nov 23: Kitchen closed
- Nov 26: 1 PM Auxiliary kitchen meeting
- Nov 28: burger nite, always a favorite
- Nov 30: shrimp nite, another favorite
- Dec 10: Aux. to visit St. James, leaving at 10 am
- Dec 19: Post Christmas dinner
- Dec 21: kitchen closed for the Christmas holiday which falls on Tuesday Dec 25
- Dec 26: kitchen closed

<u>2019:</u>

Feb 15-17: Spring Conference, Jeff City, Capital Plaza Oct 18-20: Fall Conference, Jeff City, Capital Plaza

Just a note: I want to remind everyone that we work together to make this post a viable and welcoming place. We all have issues from time to time and as members we should be mindful of this. Our Mission as the Auxiliary is to help our Veterans and that includes the family members and this extended family we call Post 624. Our Community is important to us as well. Without family or our community we can not be happy or successful. Communication is key to this success. We have always been an organization where members can turn to each other for help or just an ear. That is why Veterans organizations have been so successful because they have members who have had similar experiences and can share them with others because they can understand these issues. As we are about to enter the Thanksgiving seasons and then the Christmas holidays, lets give thanks for all that we have, and for the friends we have been lucky enough to have encountered here. God bestowed all of this to us, especially this miracle I call America! There is no nation like it!

Jane Boyce



As Veteran's Day approaches, we especially take this time to thank our veteran's for their service and for the freedom we all enjoy. As the sons of veterans, the SAL exists to honor and support our veterans, active duty military, and country. If you are the son of a veteran we encourage you to think about joining the SAL. We have a lot of fun as we help out around the post and in the community.

The SAL has been busy in the kitchen. We had a good turnout for our October meal. We are always happy to have the Singles Group eat with us! Gary "Bratman" Clapp may be the premier brat cook at the lake. He was at the grill for two days at Bike fest, for the Legion Picnic, and for our Wednesday night meal. Not to be outdone, brother-in-law Mark has proven to be the Master-At-The-Fryer for his excellent tenderloins and homemade chips. It took everyone to make this work last month, and thanks to everyone including Jim, Tom, Bill, Bob, our wives and the Auxiliary for pitching in.

The SAL is not cooking in November and we encourage everyone to attend the Legion Thanksgiving Dinner on the 14th. As we enter the holiday season it's a good time to slow down and appreciate the many things we have to be thankful for. Happy Thanksgiving!

Bob Worthley H 816-850-4935 C 816-304-9132





It seems like we went from summer to the start of winter, no fall season which we can live with but the rain is another story. We have a lunch ride planned for this Thursday the 18th in Sunrise Beach, looks like we should get at least 8 riders for the cool but sunny day. Our monthly riders dinner is scheduled for Tuesday the 16th. We had to move our monthly meeting to Wednesday the 24th because of Halloween. We also have our lunch for vets at the Laurie Care Center on the 23rd. It's always fun to cook for the vets there and swap a few stories with them.

Rick



REMINDER

WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 14TH

6TH ANNUAL THANKSGIVING DINNER

BY JIM MUELL

SIGN UP

FOR DONATIONS





