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JANUARY 2020

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
REMINDER OF THE MONTH WEDNESDAY DINNERS 5 TO 7 PM JANUARY AND FEBRUARY KITCHEN CLOSED ON FRIDAYS NEW YEARS DAY BRING COVERED DISH 			1 NEW YEARS DAY BRING COVERED	2	3 TABLE TOP 1PM LEGION FRIED CHIX WING DINNER \$8.00 MINI PLATE \$5.00	4 BEV TURKEY SHOOT KITCHEN OPEN 11AM
5 FOOTBALL BRING COVERED DISH	6 BAR OPEN	7 E BOARD MEETING 6:15 GEN MEETING 7PM AUXILLARY MEETING 7PM	8 SAL BAR OPEN KITCHEN CLOSED	9	10 KITCHEN CLOSED	11 BEV TURKEY SHOOT KITCHEN OPEN 11AM
12 FOOTBALL BRING COVERED DISH	13 BAR OPEN	14	15 SUSANN TENDERLOIN SANDWICH SIDE WINDERS COLE SLAW \$8.00 KITCHEN MTG 1PM CALENDAR MTG 3PM	16	17 BUNKO 1PM KITCHEN CLOSED	18 BEV TURKEY SHOOT KITCHEN OPEN 11AM
19 FOOTBALL BRING COVERED DISH	20 BAR OPEN	21 WARRENSBURG VA 40/8 MEETING 6PM	22 SUSANN HAMBURGER CHEESEBURGER ONION RINGS OR FRIES COLUMBIA VA	23	24 KITCHEN CLOSED	25 BEV TURKEY SHOOT KITCHEN OPEN 11AM
26 FOOTBALL BRING COVERED DISH	27 FOLDING NEWSLETTER 9AM NEED VOLUNTEERS TO COME AND PLEASE HELP WEATHER PERMITTING	28	29 BARBARA MEXICAN NIGHT RIDERS MEETING 6 PM	30	31 KITCHEN CLOSED	



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JANUARY 2020



COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

Out with the old, and in with the new. December is the time to look back and see what we've accomplished. Quite a bit actually, new A.C., new Fridge for the kitchen, repairs on the walk-in cooler and freezer, resealed the parking lot, some new chairs for the meeting room, fanciest bar in Missouri (thanks to Mike Rice) while maintaining the best Honor Guard around, probably more but memory fails me as it does more and more. Thank to the efforts of many of our Comrades and the Auxiliary, the Sons and the Riders, all of our obligations have been met and we have even gained some new members. You can be proud of your Post and, at the risk of sounding self serving, your committees and leadership. This Post is prepared to meet the challenges of the new year.

This is the January Newsletter so we look forward as well. We still need to refurbish the Memorial, bids are open at this time, we have more chairs to buy and the washer/dryer in the kitchen needs replacement. Home Depot has agreed to build a smoking room on the back patio, weather permitting. The kitchen will be closed January and February on Friday's due to lack of volunteers.

Other than that, we look forward with confidence to whatever the new year brings we will be equal to the task as we always have been. We have some new blood and some old who have seen it all and will help to guide us through whatever comes. Look to the new year with hope and excitement. It will be what we make of it.

God Bless us all
and God Bless America
Mark



NOTICE: THE KITCHEN WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAYS DURING THE MONTHS OF JANUARY AND FEBRUARY 2020. We have lost a cook permanently and a kitchen team will be impossible to assemble during the winter months.

Garage Sale at the Post: It has been decided to have a garage sale this coming spring Saturday, April 18. Sheila Marlow will be heading this function, any questions please call her 573-745-0654. Start looking for those treasures you want to get rid of.

Our December Christmas party was a lot of fun, and a lot of lap covers donated. Thanks to all of you who brought in your favorite holiday munchie. Our table was covered with good food. I want to give a special thanks to Retta Morton for decorating our meeting room, it was beautiful.

Thanksgiving dinner was wonderful, Sarah and Jim Muel supervised it, the food was really good. Thanks to all who took home a turkey and roasted them, and baked the pies, it helped them out a lot.

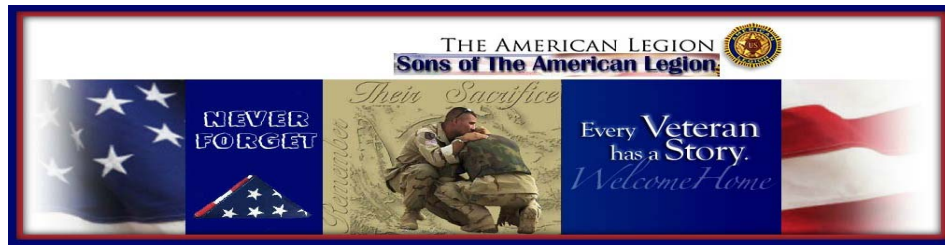
We may have a craft show at the Post next November, stayed tuned.

Jan 16-19 Mid-winter conference at Courtyard Marriot, 1789 Eagle Dr., Bridgeton
Feb. 14 Valentines Day.
March 2020 MOUSE RACES, STAY TUNED.
Mar. 15 American Legion Birthday.
Mar. 17 St. Patrick's day.
May 25 Memorial Day & Poppy drive weekend.
July 4 Independence Day.
Aug. 28-Sept. 3 National Convention, Louisville KY.

I want to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a wonderful New Year.

Jane

SAL



The weather outside is frightful as I sit here and write this article on December 15th 2019. I hope all of you are snug as a bug in a rug & staying safe.

I want to remind everyone the SAL will not be cooking on JAN 8th, 2020 or FEB. 12th. WE WILL NOT HAVE a JAN meeting not sure yet about Feb 5th. NORMAL COOKING AND MEETINGS FOR SURE in March meeting 3-4 and cook 3-11

I am still available by phone and look forward to having fun with our newer members as well as those who have been so helpful over the years. Hopefully this will be the year some of our members who have not held office give it a try. Our primary purpose as a member of Post 624 Family is TO HONOR & SERVE our MILITARY & THEIR FAMILIES. If you have suggestions please call or email me.

BOB WORTHLEY

RIDERS



We hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We took fourteen Christmas gifts to the Laurie Care Center. We also delivered one to a former ALR member in Versailles.

We are working on some organized rides for next year's Bike Fest. I have been invited to the organizers next meeting to discuss and get our activities into their publications. This should help get a larger coverage outside of the area and a lot earlier.

We are resuming our monthly meetings starting January 29, 2020.

Ted York
Director
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