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American Legion Post #76

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ANNUAL LEGION EVENTS

HAM SHOOTS
(9:30 a.m. to dusk) .
3/13/16
3/20/16

TURKEY SHOOTS
(9:30 a.m. to dusk)
11/8/15
11/15/15
11/22/15

SPECIAL EVENTS

8/15/15 Post Installation
10/3/15 Octoberfest Family Dinner

Wheaton Post 76 - BINGO
American Legion Hall • 570 Gary Avenue

22	45	52	
10	16	44	58 61
5	17	FREE	51 64
4	29	36	60 74
	26	43	55

FRIDAY NIGHT
7:00 pm



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Post #76 News

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August 2015



COMMANDER'S COMMENTS

Bob Mischler, Commander

Bob.mischler@gmail.com

630-768-4666

As my first year as your commander comes to an end this month, I look forward to how I can better serve our Post in the coming year. I thank everyone who helped me throughout my first year. We have a few new officers added to our executive board this year and look forward to new ideas. I am always open to suggestions.

By now you should have received your membership renewal information. We have made no changes in our dues. Turn your renewal in soon so we can quickly get to a 100% membership status again.

On August 15th, we are having our induction ceremony and dinner. Open to all members. Cocktail hour starts at 5:00pm, Dinner at 6, and ceremony at 7.

If you haven't been to a post meeting lately, stop by on the first Tuesday of the month at 7:30pm. I've been able to keep our meetings under an hour and our Sgt-at-Arms always comes up with an excellent dinner.

Nothing great is ever achieved without enthusiasm.

Bob



Auxiliary #76 News

Lisa Mattingly, President

lam1776@yahoo.com

630-204-4984

The time is up it was a great experience

It is really hard to get the help needed to raise money for our projects especially helping the veterans but we did a lot of good helped a lot of people and I really thank all of you that helped and donated we really try hard to do good things thanks again.

Lisa



SAL Squadron 76

Ken Anderko, Squadron Commander

k_anderko@hotmail.com

313-218-4765

Nothing much happening this month, our next meeting will be in September. We could always use more help for our Friday night bingo. As always, please remember our vets and have a great summer.

Ken, aka "Curly"

In the event of death or illness, please contact either the Commander, Chaplain, or Color Guard Commander.

Chaplain: Stanley Luboff, 630/871-0227

Color Guard Commander: Sandv Lvkins. III. 630/436-0241

**PERROTTET-NICKERSON POST 76
AMERICAN LEGION**

Minutes of the regular meeting held 7 July 2015

Call to Order: Commander Mischler called the meeting to order at 1930 hours.

The colors were saluted, Chaplain Luboff offered opening prayer. The POW/MIA flag was properly placed on an empty chair in accordance with National Resolution 288. The pledge of allegiance and the Preamble of the Constitution of the American Legion were recited in due form.

Reading of Minutes: The minutes of the meeting of 2 June 2015 have been published and copies circulated around the Post hall. Luboff moved for approval, seconded by Fietsam. Motion passed.

Committee Reports:

Adjutant: 2016 dues package has not been received from Department as yet.
Read letter from Roanoke Post 463 requesting donation to help relocate flood damaged Post home.
Referred to Executive Board for consideration.

Finance Officer: Meyer reported the Post bank balance. Motion by Goepel, seconded by Fietsam to approve report subject to audit. Motion passed.

Senior Vice Commander: No report.

Junior Vice Commander: No report

Color Guard: Lykins noted that the Color Guard did not participate in the Wheaton Independence Day parade. Post declined to pay the \$80.00 fee. It appears that we may be invited next year with the fee waived.

Executive Board authorized the purchase of new flag stands and covers, plus gloves.
Looking for new members.

Building & Grounds: No report

Auxiliary: Mattingly help is needed for the State Baseball Tournament meals.

SAL: No report

Baseball: Lykins stated that the tournament banquet would be catered by Sharko's.
This will be a family style dinner. It is not an open event. Attendance by invitation only.
Luboff noted that Governor Rauner's appearance is questionable.
Volunteers from the Post are needed at the box office and in the kitchen for meal service during tournament week.

Boy Scouts: Mischler mentioned that there would be an Eagle Scout ceremony on July 12, at 1 PM. Bill Bober will be receiving his Eagle Scout badge

Boys State: No report

Sick Call & Memorials: Luboff noted that member Harold A. Schoene had passed away.

Service Officer: Mero mentioned a “Hometown Hero” project being run by other Posts. He will bring brochure and specific information to a future meeting.

As of July 1, veterans can have their Illinois driver’s license with “Veteran” noted on it. Anyone interested must take their DD-214 to the state VA office, and they will certify your application for submission to the state.

County: Fagel noted that he was elected Senior Vice-Commander of County. County installation will be at Wheaton Post on August 2.

Old Business: None.

Initiation of New Member: Commander Mischler and Chaplain Luboff initiated new member Dan Fitzhenry. Dan was welcomed to the American Legion and our Post.

New Business: None

Good of the Legion: Meyer mentioned that there is virtually no information available to local residents regarding the State baseball tournament. More exposure to the public is necessary to gain support for the tournament.

Lykins reiterated the need for help with tournament meal preparation, serving, etc.

Mero has a signup sheet for tournament cashier volunteers

Calendar Review: The calendar for the next two months was reviewed.
Next Post meeting on 4 August.

Commanders Comments: None...

The POW/MIA flag was recovered.

Luboff offered the closing prayer and the colors were saluted.

Adjournment: Meeting was adjourned at 2016 hours.

William F. Andersen
Adjutant



From your Service Officer

DuPage Veterans Stand Down

August 20 – 21, 2015. It's still at the DuPage County Fairgrounds. We're always looking for volunteers to be part of one of our committees or volunteering at the event. We're looking for donated items and monetary donations. Please spread the word to any homeless Veterans that you know. We fall under the Chicago Stand Down organization for non-profit, tax exempt status. For more information, contact Pat Wasisco at: 630-585-1853, Patricia.Wasisco@va.gov or go to www.chicagostanddown.org DuPage Stand Down Tab.

Below is a list of clothing that are needed for the Homeless Veterans Quad County Stand Down. We stress gently used or new clothing. For your convenience the drop off points will be either at the Naperville Township office at 139 Water Street or Judd Kendall VFW Post 3873 at 908 West Jackson. The time you can drop off at the VFW Post is between 9AM & noon or after 4PM.

Any gently-used or new clothing for adults
preferably summer/fall attire - preferably male (as we have some female already)

Ideas include:

Interview appropriate attire (suits, slacks, dress shirts, ties, dress shoes, etc.), Jeans, Sweat pants, Slacks, Polos, Dress shirts, Tshirts, Sweatshirts (some ok but prefer not to have too many of these)
Remember that accessories are important: Belts & Shoes.

Illinois Secretary of State: (a point of clarification)

Beginning in July the State of Illinois will be able to put "VETERAN" on your driver's license. To get this done, you will have to take your DD-214 to your County Department of Veteran's Affairs Office. The Veteran's Representative there will make a copy for their records, make a second copy and stamp it the back. It is THAT stamped DD-214 you will need to that to one of the driver's facilities to obtain your new license.

I am not sure where the previous process instructions came from, but I went to the Wheaton Secretary of State's Office in early July and that is what they instructed me to do. I have recently visited the DuPage County Veteran's Affairs Office and obtained the "stamp" on my DD-214. Hopefully that will get me my new "Veteran" license.

Thank you for your continued commitment to our Legion and Post.

Michael Mero

Post Service Officer

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630-772-8782

August 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
26	27	28	29	30	31	1	
		Baseball Tournament					
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> County Installation 12-4 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Post Meeting 7:30PM 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bingo \$500 7:00 PM 		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 11th Dist Installation Naperville 11am 					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bingo \$500 7:00 PM 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Post 76 Installation 5:00-6:00-7: 	
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exec Meeting 6:30PM B & G Meeting 7:30PM 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 40et8 Promenade Downers Grove 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bingo \$500 7:00 PM 		
23	24	25	26	27	28	29	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2nd Div Installation Naperville 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Newsletter 6:30PM 			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bingo \$500 7:00 PM 		
30	31	1	2	3	4	5	

September 2015

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30	31	1 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Post Meeting</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">(B&G Annual)</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">7:30PM</div>	2	3	4 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Bingo \$500</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">7:00 PM</div>	5
6	7 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Labor Day</div>	8 7:30pm - SAL	9 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">County Meeting</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Downers Grove</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">7:30 PM</div>	10	11 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Bingo \$500</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">7:00 PM</div>	12
13	14 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Aux Meeting</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">6:30PM</div>	15	16	17 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">40et8</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Promenade</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Downers Grove</div>	18 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Bingo \$500</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">7:00 PM</div>	19
20	21 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Exec Meeting</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">6:30PM</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">B & G Meeting</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">7:30PM</div>	22 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Newsletter</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">6:30PM</div>	23	24	25 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Bingo \$500</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">7:00 PM</div>	26
27 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Aux 11th Dist</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Caravan - 9am</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">Meeting - 12pm</div>	28	29	30	1	2 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Bingo \$500</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">7:00 PM</div>	3 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; margin-bottom: 2px;">Octoberfest</div> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px;">5-7PM</div>



11TH DISTRICT

JOINT INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

Please join us for the joint installation of the 2015-2016 District Officers

Date: Sunday, August 9, 2015

Location: Judd Kendall VFW Post 3873
908 W. Jackson St.
Naperville, IL 60565

Time: Installations begin 11:00am
Lunch 1:00

Cost: \$10 paid in Advance

Menu: Your choice of Roast Pork Loin or Vegetarian Lasagna
Each served with Au gratin potatoes, tossed salad, dessert and coffee
(Please specify when you RSVP)

RSVP: Advance PAID Reservations **MUST be received** by Wednesday August 5.

Make checks payable to: Naperville American Legion Post 43
and mark them for the 11th District Installation

Please mail this RSVP sheet and your check to:

Paula Krasnow 75 Andover Dr. Roselle, IL 60172

_____ Number of People Attending X \$10 each dinner = \$_____

____ Number of Roast Pork Loin Dinners ____ Number of Vegetarian Lasagna Dinners

Your Name _____ Your Post/Unit # _____

Questions call: Paula Krasnow 630-205-5241 or John B. Reece Jr. 847-975-9643



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