



Kettering American Legion Post No. 598

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November/December 2015

The Commander's Corner...



It's hard to believe it is already November, so with the Holiday season upon us let's everyone be safe.

We have a lot of things going on these next 2 months, Thanksgiving Dinner, Christmas Dinner, the children's Christmas party, New Year's Eve party, OSU vs. Michigan Party and the always good time Army/Navy Game .. So please attend these events and support the Post.

National has raised our dues \$5.00, so to offset that we have raised our Post dues \$5.00. Starting January 1, 2016 our Post dues will be \$40.00 a year, so if you have not paid your 2016 dues, get them paid before January so you don't have to pay the \$5.00 extra. Also starting January 1, key cards will be going to \$10.00. If you lose your card or it is damaged

it will cost \$10.00 for a new card. We are looking into ways of keeping a better handle on issuing cards and will let everyone know what we decide.

I would like to thank Dave Tracy and his crew he got together for a very successful Rocky Couch Golf Outing. From that and the tips from the Post picnic and the dunking booth we were able to donate \$4300.00 to Hospice this year. Also, from the BBQ cookoff we donated \$3000.00 to the Dayton VA Auxiliary Gift Shop. Thanks to everyone that participated in these events.

Please don't forget the Christmas Auction which is scheduled for December 4 at 7:30 pm. This money goes to the children's Christmas party and the Holiday Baskets. So please support this event, it is for a good cause.

Verizon sold the cell tower to American Tower and we extended

our contract for 30 years. It is the same contract we had with Verizon, just extended and we will receive a \$20,000.00 payment for signing.

Again this year we will be giving out the Holiday baskets, so please drop off any non-perishable food items you can spare. Also, we are doing something new this year. We are a drop point for Toys For Tots. They accept new unwrapped toys only. So please help

In closing, I hope everyone has a Happy Thanksgiving and Merry Christmas and a great New Year.

For God and Country,

Joe Law

Joe Law, Commander

From Auxiliary President...

What a wonderful group of women we have in our Auxiliary!!!

You have volunteered your time, your cooking and baking talents, given items for the baskets that have been raffled, donated and collected coats for our homeless veterans coat drive, helped on Tuesdays with the 50/50, sold and purchased tickets for our many baskets as well as attended the membership meetings. You are all AMAZING and APPRECIATED!!!

Did you know.....

We have an opportunity to have \$100 donated to our Auxiliary fund from National simply by being one of the first three units to have our membership at 100% by

December 31st. The even better news is that we will be entered in a drawing to win \$500. The best news is that we are currently at 48.97%.

TOGETHER WE CAN DO THIS.

Check with your friends and family to be sure they have paid their dues. If your friends or family members are not currently a member of the Auxiliary sign them up. Contact any of your Auxiliary officers with any questions. Let's shoot for Dec. 15th

LET'S DO IT!!!

Remember to check the calendar for opportunities to volunteer and serve.

Regina Goldman
Auxiliary President

From the Adjutant...

Just a quick note...some of you have gotten a second dues notice from National. Sometimes these cross in the mail after you have paid your dues. If you have paid your 2016 dues and you get one of these notices, please disregard it.

Also, if you move, please let me know. And if you are a snowbird, you can send me your new address and I can keep the old one on file and change it when you get back.

For God and Country,
Betsy Law, Post Adjutant
law.19@wright.edu,
937-232-2242

JIM MORRIS'S BBQ RIBS!!!

Sat., Nov. 7
5-7 pm

1/2 Slab Dinner
\$10 in advance
\$12 at the door

Tickets on sale now.
See your bartender.

Stick around after
dinner for entertainment by
Dewey's
Southern Accents!!!!

Constitutional Facts

December 23, 1783
General George Washington resigns
his commission as the Commander-in-
Chief of the Continental Army.

December 15, 1791
Virginia ratifies the Bill of Rights, and
10 of the 12
proposed amendments become part
of the U.S. Constitution.

AUX C&Y Chairmen
Rachael Sparaco & Rhonda Hunter

NOTICE

Anyone needing the services
of Post 598 Honor Guard
should have your funeral
director contact us:

Sergeant at Arms
Jim O'Neil 937-604-3010
Bob Sorah 937-416-0045

or call the Post
937-433-9327.

Kids Christmas Party

December 20
2-4:30 pm

Sign your little one up at
the Post by Dec. 13!

VETERANS DAY!!!

COME JOIN US FOR BEAN SOUP
FROM NOON UNTIL IT'S GONE.
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11

Special Days

Thanksgiving Day
November 26 Post Opens at 2 pm
Christmas Eve
December 24 Post Closes at 6 pm
Christmas Day
December 25 Post Opens at 5 pm

There will be no drawings on these days
but come see how the Mystery Bartenders
fare on Christmas Day!!!

ARE YOU READY FOR SOME FOOTBALL??!!

BROWNS VS. BENGALS
NOV. 5 8:25 PM
OSU VS. MICHIGAN
NOV. 28 NOON
BENGALS VS. BROWNS
DEC. 6 1 PM
ARMY VS. NAVY
DEC. 12 3 PM

OFF TO THE RACES!!!

**Come place your bets on
your favorite pony!!**
November 6 at 7:30 pm



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CHRISTMAS AUCTION

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4 AT 7:30 PM
COME DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY!
PROCEEDS GO TO THE KIDS' CHRISTMAS PARTY
AND HOLIDAY FOOD BASKETS.

New Year's Eve Party!

December 31 from 7 pm to 1 am
Bring in the New Year with
Corky's Old Time Rock and Roll
Revival. Tickets go on sale
November 28 at 1 pm.
Get yours early!!!

KING OF CLUBS DRAWING

Every Monday Nite
7:30 pm
Must be present
to win it all
Don't Miss It!!

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November 2015

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	
1 Joe's Post Brunch 9-11 am-\$7.00 Bengals vs. Stealers 1pm	2 Regular Post Meeting 6:30 pm	3 ^A Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	4 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm	5 Aux. Exec. Board Meeting 6:30 pm Browns vs. Bengals 8:25 pm NO EUCHRE	6 Pork Tenderloin or Fish Sandwich 6-7:30 pm \$5.00 Horse Races 7:30 pm-????	7 Jimmy Morris Rib Dinner 5-7 pm \$10.00 in adv. \$12.00 at door Southern Accents 7:30-11 pm	
8	9	10 ^P SAL Meeting 6:30 pm Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	11 Veteran's Day Bean Soup Noon- Till gone Kitchen Closed HUP Karaoke 7:30-10:30 PM	12 Aux. Regular Meeting 6:30 pm Euchre 7 pm	13 Pizza Night 6-8 pm \$10 Trivia with Chuck 7:30pm	14 SAL Broasted Chicken Dinner 5-7 pm \$9.00 Holly Smith Karaoke 7:30-10:30	
15 Larry's Post Brunch 9-11 am-\$7.00	16 Post Executive Meeting 6:30 pm Bengals vs. Texans 8:30 pm	17 ^S Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	18 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm	19 VA Hospital Visit 6:15 pm Spaghetti Dinner 5-7 pm \$6 Euchre 7:30 pm	20 Free Jukebox 8 pm	21 Thanksgiving Dinner 5-7 pm \$8.00 Colt Douglas 7:30-10:30 pm	
22 Bengals vs. Cardinals 4:05 pm	23 Planning Meeting 6:30 pm	24 ^A Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	25 HUP Karaoke 7:30-10:30 PM \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm	26 <i>Thanksgiving Day</i> Post opens at 2 pm NO DRAWINGS NO Euchre	27 Shrimp Dinner 6-7:30 pm \$9.00 Gary Hill 7:30-10:30 pm	28 OSU vs Michigan Party Noon-???? New Years Eve Party Tickets go on sale 1 pm	
29 Bengals vs. Rams 1 pm	30	King of Clubs Drawing Every Monday Nite 7:30					Sunday Special Buckets of Beer- Every Sunday

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Lunch Served Every Monday-Friday 11:30-1:30		1 ^S Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	2 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm	3 Aux. Executive Board Meeting 6:30 pm Euchre 7 pm	4 Pork Tenderloin or Fish Sandwich 6-7:30 pm \$5.00 Christmas Auction 7:30 pm	5
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20 Larry's Post Brunch 9-11 am-\$7.00 Children's Christmas Party 2-4:30 pm Bengals vs. 49ers 8:30 pm	21 Post Executive Meeting 6:30 pm	22 ^S Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	23 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm	24 Christmas Eve Post Closes 6 pm Kitchen Closed No DRAWINGS	25 Christmas Day Mystery Bartenders Post Opens at 5 pm No DRAWINGS	26
27	28 Bengals vs. Broncos 8:30 pm	29 ^P Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	30 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm	31 New Years Eve Party 7 pm-1 am Kitchen closed		



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2015-2016**

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2nd Vice Commander	Phil Stephenson
Finance Officer	Mike Vickroy
Adjutant	Betsy Law
Sergeant-at-Arms	Jim O'Neil
Chaplain	Don Fanger
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Auxiliary Officers

President	Regina Goldman
1st Vice President	Charlene Fox
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Treasurer	Susan Rembert
Sergeant-at-Arms	Judi Schlenk
Chaplain	Diannah Doughman

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Don Fanger, Chaplain

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New Members

Rodney Keller	Michael Roquemore
Zachary Johnson	Greg Grysko
Robert Beeson	Ryan Barbieri
Michael Devoe	Roger Tyler
Roger Butts	David Wright
William Tertechny	Francis Steve Morgan
James Taggart	Brad Mansfield
Robert Edmiston	Mary Sullivan
Arthur Wills	TH Hall
James Butts	Gary Pezzopane
Tony Lambert	David Phelps
C. Peter Knab	Larry Thokey
Michael Crothers	Steve Carter
Robert Schimmel	

Welcome to Post 598!