

Kettering American Legion Post No. 598 5700 Kentshire Drive Kettering, OH 45440-4248 Phone: 937-433-9327

May/June 2016

The Commander's Corner...



I would like to start by thanking everyone who helped with the installation of the new ceiling tiles in the canteen. It looks a lot better than it did.

The SAL is having permanent water installed in the park area. A big thank you to them for this great donation to the Post. It will be a big asset to the area.

As some of you have heard, we have received from the county and state our tax exempt status on the property. We will get at least two years' of taxes back. I want to thank Mike Vickroy, Terry Brooke and Tom Bradley for getting all the paperwork together and submitted that was needed to get this accomplished.

I'd also like to thank Tom Bradley for making the new podium for the sign-in for the drawings. They look great and create more room in that area.

I would like to thank everyone for another successful year at the Post. Without the support of the members we would not be able to survive.

I also want everyone to know that I am running for 3rd District Finance Officer and Commander of our Post. Hopefully I will be both. You have my word that the Post comes first. Because without the Posts there is no District. So lets keep Post 598 going strong in 2017. Our 50th anniversary year.

We have some good events and dinners coming up these next two months. Mothers Day Dinner, Memorial Day celebration at Beaverton Cemetery followed by the cookout at the Post, our golf outing in June, Fathers Day Dinner.

So come out and have fun at all the events at the Post.

Just a reminder for everyone. The first row of parking spaces right in front of the building is for handicap parking only. If you do not have a handicap sticker or placard displayed please do not park there.

Voting for your Officers will be on May 2. You must have your Membership card with you to vote. Voting is from 11 am till 5:30 pm. Let's have a good turn out.

In closing I want to thank everyone again for their continued support.

For God and Country,

loe Law Joe Law, Commander

From Auxiliary President...

Ladies, Auxiliary is our striving to reach 100% of our membership goal. We are currently at 80% at the time of this letter. Membership renewal dues are only \$30 for the year.....Did you realize that is less than \$.09 a day! Seventeen dollars (\$17) of the dues is sent to the District of Ohio ALA. The balance of thirteen dollars (\$13) stays here with Unit 598

Each year we (YOU) donate to the ALA Department of Ohio. This year you donated over \$3200. To name a few of the recipients: \$1000 to the Dayton VA, \$900 to Military Family Assistance Fund (Ohio Veterans), and \$488 to The American Legion Child Welfare Foundation (National).

Some of the fundraiser monies are used for these donations as well.

Remember, by being a member we are lucky enough to enjoy this wonderful facility! Most of all ... you are giving back and serving the men and women that have served us so courageously.

So if you have not renewed your membership or you know someone that should be a member...please contact an Auxiliary member or officer and they will help you complete the necessary paperwork.

Anyone that has renewed their membership from March 15 until May 30 will have their name entered into a drawing to win of three one gifts..... Wine Cheese, Premier and

Jewelry, or a basket of Beauty Products. In addition, if a current member is responsible for a member renewing her name will be entered into the drawing also. We can do this!!!!!

Did you know..... The mission of the American Legion Auxiliary is to support The American Legion and to honor the sacrifice of those who serve by enhancing the lives of our veterans, military and their families.

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

Regina Goldman Auxiliary President Cincinnati Reds Bus Trip June 29 - Leaves Post at 10 am Belmont Catering Box Lunch & Beer on the Bus! Reserve Your Seat Now for Just \$40 per person





SUNDAY, JUNE 12, 1-4 BRING YOUR CLASSIC CAR OR JUST LOOK!! FOOD WILL BE AVAILABLE!

ELECTIONS OF OFFICERS

Elections of new officers are in May.

Regular member voting times are 11 am to 5:30 pm on May 2. Auxiliary elections are during the May regular meeting.

10th Annual

Ohio Veterans Barbecue Cook-off State Championship Call for Sponsors

We are looking for sponsors for the 10th Annual Ohio Veterans BBQ Cook-Off. If you are interested or if you know someone who may be, please contact Jim Dell at dellji@yahoo.com.

Thank You

Auxiliary Pork Chop Dinner by Jimmy Morris

Saturday, June 4 5-7 \$10 Tickets on sale May 1 in the canteen

Bragging Right/ Golf Outing

June 5, 2016 8 am Shotgun Start Community Golf Course \$55 per person See the bartender to sign up. Dinner, Door Prizes If you would like to be a hole sponsor or donate door prizes please see Joe Law. Thank You

NOTICE

Anyone needing the services of Post 598 Honor Guard should contact:

Sergeant at Arms Jim O'Neil 937-604-3010

or call the Post 937-433-9327.



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MAY 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Regular Post Meeting 6:30 pm Election of officers	3 s Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	4 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm	5 Aux. Executive Board Meeting 6:30 pm <i>Euchre 7 pm</i>	6 Pork Tenderloin or Fish Sandwich 6-7:30 pm \$5.00 Matt Scholt 7:30-10:30 pm	Kentucky Derby 7 Party 3 pm Mother's Day Dinner 5-7 pm \$10.00 Moms eat free
8 Mother's Day	9	A 10 SAL Meeting 6:30 pm Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	Larry's Open Mic 11 7:30-10:30 PM 11 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm	Aux. 12 Regular Meeting 6:30 pm Election of officers Euchre 7 pm	13 Pizza Night 6-8 pm \$10.00 Gary Hill 7:30-10:30 pm	14 Post Steak Fry Cooked To Orde 5-7pm \$10.00 Free Jukebox
Larry's 15 Post Brunch 9-11 am \$7.00	16 Post Executive Meeting 6:30 pm	17 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 <i>Euchre 7 pm</i>	Honor Guard 20 PorkLoin Sandwich and Cole Slaw 6-8 pm \$7.00 Delynn 7:30-10:30 pm	21 SAL Broasted Chicken Dinner 5-7 pm \$9.00
22	23	24 Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	HUP Karaoke 25 7:30-10:30 PM \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm	26 Euchre 7 pm	27 Shrimp Dinner Baked Potato or Fries 6-7:30 pm \$9.00 Free Jukebox	28
29	30 Memorial Day Ceremony 10 am Cookout 1-4 pm	31 Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	Sunday Special Buckets of Beer- Every Sunday King of Monday Nite Every Marso			
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5 Golf Outting 8 am shotgun start	6 Regular Post Meeting 6:30 pm	7 Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	Larry's Open Mic 8 7:30-10:30 PM \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm	9 Aux. Regular Meeting 6:30 pm <i>Euchre 7 pm</i>	10 Pizza Night 6-8 pm \$10 Free Jukebox	Post Steak Fry Cooked To Orde 5-7 pm \$10.00
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26 Department Convention	27	28 Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm	29 Reds Bus Trip Leave Post at 10 am NO BURGER NIGHT	30 Euchre 7 pm	King of Clubs Drawing Every Monday Drawing 7:30 Nite	



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POST 598 OFFICERS 2015-2016

Post Officers

Commander Joe Law 1st Vice Commander Bob Mays 2nd Vice Commander Phil Stephenson Mike Vickroy Finance Officer Adjutant Betsy Law Sergeant-at-Arms Jim Ó'Neil Chaplain Don Fanger Canteen Manager Tom Bradley

Auxiliary Officers

Charlene Fox

Marianne Frauenknecht

Jane Mays

Susan Rembert

Judi Schlenk

Doug Spisak Clay Bates Jeff Hecht

Bob Tonar

Gary Pester

Tom Storck

Robin Peck

Bob Mavs

Regina Goldman President **1st Vice President** 2nd Vice President

Secretary Treasurer Sergeant-at-Arms Chaplain **Diannah Doughman**

SAL Officers

Commander 1st Vice Commander 2nd Vice Commander Finance Officer Adjutant Sergeant-at-Arms Chaplain Advisor

New Members

William Bloodhart **Dennis Burcham** Kelly Coleman **Robert Connor** Michael Craven **Christopher Creech Tim Creek Michael George**

Terrance Knight Robert Koenig Leroy Kressin David Lotz **Roger Pack Charles Smith** James Wheeler **David Wicks**

Welcome to Post 598!

Post Everlasting

Joseph Anderson Chalmer Conley **Eugene Emmons Huston Glass Harold Newland** Lloyd Rouhier **Raymond Strehle** Juanita Hannah-Aux. Barbara Powers-Aux. **Michael Howard-SAL**

We honor them for their deeds for God & Country. We wish to those who mourn a departed one the hope that time will heal all sorrow and bring consoling peace. Don Fanger, Chaplain

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