



Kettering American Legion Post No. 598

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September/October 2016

The Commander's Corner...



I hope everyone has had a great summer. Some of you have noticed the sign on the front door about being a private club and the reason for the sign is because it is getting out of hand. Especially on Wednesday night dollar

burger night with non-members just coming in without being accompanied by a member. One person was told and they tell people at their work and then everyone thinks they can just show up. Well we are a private club we are not opened to the public. So I put up the sign to hopefully stop this from happening. Also the door coming from the patio is not an entrance. Everyone is to be using the front door, not coming in through the patio door. I would hate to have to put a card swipe on the back door just cause a few members don't feel like walking that extra few feet to the front door. Thank you for your help in these matters.

We have our Annual Rocky Couch Golf outing on the 25th of September. Dave Tracy has been working hard to get this all together and one thing he's got is Interstate Ford will have a car on one of the par 3 holes. A hole in one wins the car.

So I hope we have a great turn out for this event. On Labor Day we have the Holiday at Home Parade, with a cookout to follow. Please bring a covered dish to share. On Saturdays we have the OSU games and the Bengals and Browns start up this month. Also, Pizza Night starts back up this month. I hope to see you at these events.

I am still looking for people to serve on the committee for our 50th anniversary celebration. Also, we are hosting next year's 3rd District and Department of Ohio Golf Outings and we most likely will be the host Post for Department Convention which is in Dayton in 2017. We will need everyone that can to help on these events.

Also, membership renewals are coming in pretty good. Let's not slow down and let's get one of the big jobs we have to do out of the way early this year, and pay our dues.

In closing I would like to thank everyone that has helped out around the Post. We would not survive without your support.

For God and Country,

Joe Law

Joe Law, Commander

From Auxiliary President...

Ladies,

"Volunteers are love in motion" - Author Unknown

We want to thank all the volunteers that helped with the "Let's Get Saxie" dance..... Decorations, set up, food donations and clean up! We received many great comments about the post, the music and the food. I believe everyone had a great time. We also had several new members sign up for the Post, Auxiliary and the SAL!

The Auxiliary and the SAL are sponsoring a "Halloween Dance". It will be held on October 21st, 7:30 to 11. We hope to see many more Post, Auxiliary and SAL there...come and join us!

Please save the date November 12..... We will be having a special welcome home for our Vietnam Veterans. If you served during the Vietnam War, please plan on attending. If you know someone that should be there but doesn't belong to our post, please let them know about it.

We raised over \$300 with the summer basket raffle..... the Auxiliary is adding funds to make it a \$500 donation for Honor Flight!

We are taking suggestions for the charity for the next baskets that will be raffled. Please come to the Auxiliary meeting and have your suggestions heard.

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

Regina Goldman, Auxiliary President

From the SAL...

Your SAL Squadron 598 members are always volunteering for Post events. Most recently we helped with the Barbeque Cook Off and the Picnic. This is one big way the SAL contributes to our American Legion Post. We appreciate your support of the SAL dinners. Check the calendar for an upcoming Barbequed Pork Chop and Broasted Chicken (with signature potatoes) dinner.

If you did not renew your membership at the picnic, please renew as soon as you can. Dues are \$40 and can be dropped off at the Post or mailed in. See an officer if you have questions. This year will be a tough one to make quota since we grew so much last year. Any help with membership is appreciated. It is the cornerstone of our organization. Invite your friends to come in to see if they qualify for any of our groups.

Our meetings are the second Tuesday of the month in the conference room at 6:30 P.M. We welcome anyone and would be happy to move the meeting to the banquet hall because of great attendance, so come on in to join us!

For those that served, Clay Bates, 1st Vice Commander, Squadron 598

Adults' Halloween Party!!! with Finton-Collins Fri., Oct. 21 7:30-11 pm

LABOR DAY PICNIC

Sept. 5
1 to 4 pm
Please bring a
covered dish to share.



**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1-4
LAST ONE OF THE SEASON!!!
BRING YOUR CLASSIC CAR
OR JUST LOOK!!**

Kid's Halloween Party!!!

Sun.,
Oct. 30
2-4 pm

NOTICE

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

Theresa Jackson
937-776-9070

or call the Post
937-433-9327.

*Welcome Home,
Vietnam Veterans
November 12, 2016
6:30 pm*

Please RSVP to Regina Goldman at
reginagoldman@yahoo.com

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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September 2016

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---|--|--|--|---|---|--|
| King of Clubs Drawing Every Monday Nite 7:30 Sunday Special Buckets of Beer-Every Sunday | | | | 1 Aux. Executive Board Meeting 6:30 pm Euchre 7 pm | 2 Pork Tenderloin or Fish Sandwich 6-7:30 pm \$5.00 Gary Hill 7:30-10 | 3 OSU vs Bowling Green 12:55 pm Steak Dinner 5-7 pm \$10.00 Delynn 7:30-10 |
| 4 | 5 Holiday at Home Parade Cook out 1-4 bring covered dish to share | 6 Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm | 7 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm | 8 Aux. Regular Meeting 6:30 pm Euchre 7 pm | 9 Pizza Night 6-8 pm \$10 Free Jukebox | 10 OSU vs Tulsa 3:30 pm |
| 11 Cruise In 1-4 Bengals @ NY Jets Browns @ Eagles 1 pm | 12 Regular Post Meeting 6:30 pm | 13 SAL Meeting 6:30 pm Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm | 14 Open Mic Nite 7:30-10:30 PM \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm | 15 VA Hospital Visit 6:15 pm Euchre 7pm | 16 Matt Scholp 7:30-10 pm | 17 OSU @ Oklahoma 6:30 pm |
| 18 Larry's Post Brunch 9-11 am—\$7.00 Bengals @ Steelers Ravens @ Browns 1 pm | 19 Post Executive Meeting 6:30 pm | 20 Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm | 21 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm | 22 Euchre 7 pm | 23 Shrimp Dinner Baked Potato or Fries 6-7:30 pm \$9.00 Holly & Bridget 7:30-10 pm | 24 Jimmy Morris's BBQ Pork Chops 5-7 pm \$10.00 |
| 25 Rocky Couch Golf Outing 8 am Broncos @ Bengals Browns @ Dolphins 1 pm | 26 Planning Meeting 6:30 pm | 27 Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm | 28 HUP Karaoke 7:30-10:30 PM \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm | 29 Dolphins @ Bengals 8:25pm Euchre 7 pm | 30 | |

October 2016

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| Lunch Served Every Monday-Friday 11:30-1:30 | | | | | | 1 OSU vs Rutgers noon Delynn 7:30-10 |
| 2 Browns @ Redskins 1 pm | 3 Regular Post Meeting 6:30 pm | 4 Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm | 5 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm | 6 Aux. Executive Board Meeting 6:30 pm Euchre 7 pm | 7 Pork Tenderloin or Fish Sandwich 6-7:30 pm \$5.00 Free Jukebox | 8 OSU vs Indiana TBA BBQ Rib dinner 1/2 slab \$10.00 5-7 pm |
| 9 Bengals @ Cowboys 4:25 pm Patriots @ Browns 1 pm | 10 | 11 SAL Meeting 6:30 pm Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm | 12 Open Mic Nite 7:30-10:30 PM \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm | 13 Aux. Regular Meeting 6:30 pm Euchre 7 pm | 14 Pizza Night 6-8 pm \$10 Holly & Bridget 7:30-10 pm | 15 OSU @ Wisconsin 8 pm Aux. Chili Cookoff 5-7 \$6 |
| 16 Larry's Post Brunch 9-11 am—\$7.00 Bengals @ Patriots Browns @ Titans 1 pm | 17 Post Executive Meeting 6:30 pm | 18 Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm | 19 \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm | 20 VA Hospital Visit 6:15 pm Euchre 7 pm | 21 Halloween Dance 7:30-11 \$10 | 22 OSU @ Penn State 8 pm Broasted Chicken Dinner 5-7 pm \$9.00 |
| 23 Browns @ Bengals 1pm | 24 | 25 Kitchen Open 5-6:45 pm | 26 HUP Karaoke 7:30-10:30 PM \$1.00 Burgers 5-7 pm Open ball in hand pool 7 pm | 27 | 28 Shrimp Dinner Baked Potato or Fries 6-7:30 pm \$9.00 Matt Scholp 7:30-10 pm | 29 OSU vs Northwestern 5:30 pm Ball game food prices vary |
| 30 Kids' Halloween Party 2-4 | 31 | | | | | |



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**POST 598 OFFICERS
2016-2017**

Post Officers

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|--------------------|-----------------|
| Commander | Joe Law |
| 1st Vice Commander | Keith Eastman |
| 2nd Vice Commander | Phil Stephenson |
| Finance Officer | Terry Brooke |
| Adjutant | Betsy Law |
| Sergeant-at-Arms | Jim O'Neil |
| Chaplain | Don Fanger |
| Canteen Manager | Tom Bradley |

Auxiliary Officers

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| President | Regina Goldman |
| 1st Vice President | Charlene Fox |
| 2nd Vice President | Annie Shropshire |
| Secretary | Madonna Spaeth |
| Treasurer | Melissa Lummer |
| Sergeant-at-Arms | Judi Schlenk |
| Chaplain | Mary-Lynn Bernhard |

SAL Officers

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| Commander | Doug Spisak |
| 1st Vice Commander | Clay Bates |
| 2nd Vice Commander | Jim Morris |
| Finance Officer | Bob Tonar |
| Adjutant | Gary Pester |
| Sergeant-at-Arms | Tom Storck |
| Chaplain | Gene Williams |
| Advisor | Keith Eastman |

New Members

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| Susan Brown | Billy Martin |
| Rick Busch | Charles Plant |
| James Carroll | Karl Ralston |
| Troy Donthnier | Terence Randolph |
| Joseph Fanelli | Mike Rohr |
| Jeremy Groll | Ashley Sellers |
| Paul Healy | Michael Sellers |
| Roger Lane | Robert Smith |
| Earl Lewis, Jr. | David Stephenson |
| Gene MacPherson | Adam Volkerding |
| David Malchow | James Walters |

Welcome to Post 598!

Post Everlasting

**Edward Fleissner
Darrel Mathis
Robert Meckstroth
Melvin Raker
Mark Steineke
William Wynn**

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Don Fanger, Chaplain

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