



**Kettering American Legion Post No. 598** 

5700 Kentshire Drive Kettering, OH 45440-4248 Phone: 937-433-9327

September/October 22

## The Commander's Corner...



By the time this letter gets to you, the month of August will be over and we will be looking at the beginning of Fall. The picnic, the steak frys and the dinners were very successful as well as the Birthday of the Post and

Burning of the Mortgage. We want to thank Bill and all the Members that worked so hard to make these events successes.

The Veterans, the Auxiliary and the SAL have been working well together and it shows around the Post what can be accomplished by working together. We want to thank all volunteers for their help. There are just too many to thank, but you know who you are.

We get a lot of input as to how the Post should be run and what people think should be done. Input is good, as are suggestions, but as always we could also use their knowledge and help to solve these problems or suggestions. If everybody would look around they will see things are getting fixed in the order of importance. There are also improvements that are being done behind the scenes that is not where everybody can see'

Again we want to thank everybody for their help and support in making Post 598 the number one Post in Ohio, Thanks. Remember membership is the responsibility of every member of this Post. Hope to see everybody at next year's Picnic as it is the perfect time to renew your membership. For God and Country,

Neil Dunnington
Commander, Post 598

## From the Auxiliary...

If a year was tucked inside of a clock, then autumn would be the magic hour. For me, Fall is... sweater weather, crunchy leaves & pumpkin spice everything. It is hearty soups, end of year picnics, Halloween parties, stuffed cabbage, and apple anything. This Fall we offer:

**September 5** - Labor Day Picnic · **September 9** - Pizza Night is Back · **September 17** - Girls Just Want to Have Fun · **October 16** – New Member Orientation · **October 21** - Cabbage Roll Dinner · **October 22** - Chowder in a Bread Bowl · **October 29** - Halloween Toga Party

**GIRLS JUST WANT TO HAVE FUN** – Special thanks to the 'Girls Team' for pulling together another record-breaking crowd and another-record breaking list of raffle items. For reservations go to ALA598.com. A new cookbook is in the works at this year's Girls Party. You are encouraged to bring your favorite recipe to the event. Who knows, you may be randomly picked to win a very special prize.

As the largest Auxiliary Unit in Ohio, we have a lot of responsibility. Thank you all for your dedication, time, and teamwork. Look at the successful achievements we have accomplished together. You are the ones who give us that ability to make such a strong impact for so many of our veteran causes.

Special thanks to Neil, the Post, the SAL, and the Riders. Our continued partnership results in greater success. Happy Fall Y'All! See you at the Labor Day Picnic. Thank you for your support,

Erica Kubea, Auxiliary President

## From the SAL...

Hello and greetings fellow members. As we head into Fall I would like to remind all of our SAL members that your dues can be paid now. We would like to hit our membership quota early this year.

As always, I would like to thank everyone for their support of our dinners. Please come out to our Cabbage Roll Dinner in October. I also encourage our members to come to our meetings on the second Tuesday of every month at 6:30 to learn more and get more involved with our Legion. If you sign up 3 new SAL members we will pay your membership for the following year.

I would like to extend a special thank you to Dot's Market for their support of our Post.

For those that served...

Doug Spisak, Commander, Squadron 598

### From the Riders...

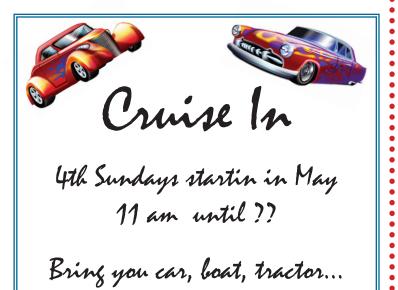
Hello Riders and Legion Family. Wow summer is going by fast. The ALR has a new State Director, Larry Sullivan from Post 11 in Lancaster. Thank you Mindy Hinkle for 6 years of service as State Director.

September events: Support Holiday at Home Parade-Monday, Sept. 5. We have a overnight ride scheduled for September 9th -11th to Hocking Hills. September 10th-support Dayton Veterans cemetery Honor Squad, police escort ride. October normal ride schedule. September Cruise In-4th Sunday.

Ride safe, stay safe.

Thom Fowler

Post 598, 3rd District Director



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# **Upcoming Events**

**Holiday at Home Parade Sept. 5** Labor Day Pienie Sept. 5 1-4 pm Reds Bus Trip Sept. 14 Leave Post promptly at 10 am Game time is 12:35 pm **\$70 per person-50 tickets available Girls Just Want to Have Fun Sept 17 11 am Hard Rock Casino Bus Trip Oct. 16** Bus leaves Post at 10 am & **Returns at 6 pm \$25 per person** 50 seats avallable Aux. New Member Orlentation Oct 16 3-5 pm Kids' Halloween Party Oct 23 2-4 pm

Adult Halloween Party Oct. 29

## September 2022

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday				
\$	Sunday Specie of Beer Every	l Buckets Sunday	Aux. Executive Board Meeting 6:30 pm	Pork Tenderloin or Fish Sandwich 6-7:30 pm \$6.00  Donley 7-10 pm	3					
4	Holiday At Home Parade 5  Labor Day Cookout Bring covered dish to share 1-4 pm	6	Riders Meeting 6 pm Burger Nite 5-7 pm	Aux. Regular Meeting 6:30 pm	Pizza Night 6-8 pm \$12.00 The Termites 7-10 pm	10				
11	Regular 12 Post Meeting 6:30 pm Aux. Bake Sale 6 pm	SAL Meeting 6:30 pm	DAV Meeting <b>14</b> 7 pm  Reds Bus Trip  Burger Nite 5-7 pm	VA Hospital Visit 6:15 pm	Spill The Wine 7-10 pm	Girls Just Want To Have Fun 11 am				
Omelet Breakfast 10 am-noon \$7.00	Post Executive Meeting 6:30 pm	20	Burger Nite 5-7 pm	22	Shrimp Dinner Baked Potato or Fries 6-7:30 pm \$10.00  Mind Reels 7-10 pm	24				
25 Cruise In 11am - ???	<b>26</b> Planning Meeting 6:30 pm	27 Chicken & Potatoes \$6.00 5:30-7:00 pm OR UNTIL GONE	Burger Nite 5-7 pm	29	Live Your Dreams 7-10 pm					

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Hard Rock Casino Bus Trip  Orientation for new Aux. Members 3-5 pm	Post Executive Meeting 6:30 pm	18	Burger Nite 5-7 pm	VA Hospital Visit 6:15 pm	Cabbage Roll Dinner \$12 6-7:30 pm Hearts on Fire 7-10 pm	Aux. Clam Chowder Bread Bowl 6-7:30 pm \$12					
Kids Halloween Party 2-4 pm	24 31	25	26 Burger Nite 5-7 pm	27	Shrimp Dinner Baked Potato or Fries 6-7:30 pm \$10.00  Pandora Project 7-10 pm	Adult Halloween Party Members \$12 Guest \$14					



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Jane Wathen-Aux

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.

Larry Thokey, Chaplain

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