

Meeting Highlights

14 June 2022

Attendance: 35 members

Membership: The Post closed out the American Legion fiscal year with 174 members or 103%, it's goal of 168. The Post will be awarded the National Department Award of Excellence for: Achieving 103% of membership goal, advancement of the Four Pillars of the American Legion of Americanism, National Security, Children and Youth, and Veteran Affairs and Rehabilitation. ALL Post membership share this prestigious award for their commitment of Service to Others. The Commander Thanks ALL members in upholding the ideals of the American Legion

Sick Call: Harold Ziegler

P.O.W./M.I.A.: Dennis Halloran Reported 4 Missing in Action remains identified in the month of May 2022 US Army-2 in Romania, US Marine Corps-2 Saipan May They Rest in Peace.

State Convention: Voting delegates representing the Post will be; Commander Mark Provencher Jr, Steve Conto and DuWayne Wieck

Standing Rule to the By-Laws: Membership voted to adjust the stipend to voting delegates attending American Legion sponsored conferences, Conventions or Events; \$150.00 to the delegate to cover room cost, to be split evenly if delegates share a room and .50 cents a mile per vehicle, distance determined by mileage from the delegates' home to the Conference, Convention or Even. An alternate will have registration paid and mileage accordingly

Social Night: The "Bust Up" **Tuesday June 28th**, bar opens at 5:00 PM dinner at 6:00 it will be PIZZA NIGHT from Dominos with the help of SAL member Shawn Grothe. Dessert of ice cream compliments of Ann Kaczowski \$10.00 per person call Rick **(920) 893-0686 A.S.A.P.** AND No Later than June 24th, to make sure Dominos can have a variety of pizzas on hand. Speaker will be Rodney Pearsall, Readjustment Therapists for Combat Veterans. He has been awarded many times for his contribution to Veteran mental help.

S.A.L.: Commander Mike Kalsbeek reported that the next blood drive will be Wednesday June 29th at the Post. Next meeting **Thursday June 30th 6:00 PM at the Post**

Taps: On June 3rd, 2022 the Post Chaplain Brennan Wegener passed away. He succumbed to his battle with stomach cancer and heart issues. He was a US Air Force combat Veteran serving in Iraq and Afghanistan. He left us TOO early at the age of 34. The Post Honor Guard assisted in Military Rites. Reverend Thomas Fleishman has agreed to assume the duties of Post Chaplain. The Commander will report back on any memorials in Brennan's name. He is survived by his two sons, his parents, relatives and Many, Many Friends .. May He Now Rest in Peace

Next Meeting Tuesday July 12th, 2022 7:00 PM at the Post

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Auxiliary Notes

Happy Summer everyone! Thank all of you for your help and hard work in making our Poppy Distribution and Brat Fry such great successes. We will be able to provide much support to many Veteran program from the funds. Welcome to our new members to Unit 243. June social "Bust Up" and our summer (August) picnic details are in the Post news. There is still time to register for and attend our Department Convention in July in Green Bay and National Convention in Milwaukee. Details and forms are in the Badger Legionnaire and the Dept. website. We will not be having Auxiliary meetings in July or August. Our next meeting will be Monday, September 12th at 6:30PM. This date is due to Labor Day being the first Monday of the month. Enjoy your summer, stay safe, and well. If you have any questions, you are always welcome to contact me. Karen Degner, President, 920-918-9772 or kdegner88@gmail.com

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