



# The Bruce Post G-2

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March 2019—April 2019

**Cpl. Walter F Bruce Post #1146**

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## COMMANDER'S COLUMN

Greetings All! Winter is almost done and Spring will be upon us soon enough. It's my favorite season of the year with flowers blooming, baseball starting, digging in the dirt planting vegetables and new flowers...bring it on.

We have endured the past few months, we have repaired all of our maintenance issues and are driving forward in our mission to support Veterans and their families, with brotherly love and camaraderie - working as a team we cannot fail.

Please contact the Commander whenever a member is in the hospital or needs assistance...my number is 586-524-0449.

Our membership, the VFW, and our Auxiliary stepped up and met the challenges, we had a great showing of support from our local community too for our Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser. Our Caterer and Hall Manager really went above and beyond what we normally ask of them too! I am so very proud of everybody! With efforts like this, a few simple mechanical problems were worked out and I truly believe that we have THE BEST VFW in the world! Be Proud!

Our Fish Fry Dinners start March 8<sup>th</sup> and go for 7 weeks until April 19th. Don't be shy! We need volunteers; day time and evening time as there are many tasks to complete to make these successful so please join in. It is very rewarding.

We have a debate going around on whether or not to keep the carpeted area in The Clubroom carpeted or install a tile floor. Please see me and let me know your feelings on this matter.

Our VFW is close to being 100 percent with membership, this has not happened in a long, long time. Our Jr. Vice, Sr. Vice and Quartermaster officers are really trying to make this happen before the end of March, please pay your dues ASAP and the numbers will get there. We are 7 members away!

We will be nominating for Officer positions in March and April, we will vote at April's meeting, now is the time for anyone interested to step-up and be voted in.

I am still proud to be The Commander! We have our ups and downs, but it really is a great organization to be a part of.

**God Bless You and Your Families,  
Randell J Shafer, Commander**

Richard A. McMahon  
Family Service Counselor



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## SENIOR VICE COMMANDER

Greetings Comrades!

As weather warms up, so do the activities at the Post. We have a Family Feud Fundraiser in the Clubroom on 3/2/19—always fun for everyone! The Fish Fry on Fridays begin 3/8/19—bring family and friends for a great meal! Stars & Stripes Entertainment provides music and karaoke in the Clubroom on Friday nights too. By the way, don't forget to mark your calendars for the VFW Bruce Post Golf Outing Fundraiser at Michigan Meadows on 9/14/19—prizes, food and fun! All Post events keep our lights on and our doors open, so please support all you can.

All members, please recruit and attend out Monthly Meeting. Let's keep Bruce Post #1146 STRONG!

**Bob "Stitch" Pelot, Sr Vice Commander, US Navy**

## JUNIOR VICE COMMANDER

Greetings Comrades,

I am happy to report that we are at 99.08% membership. It would be a great honor for our Post to reach 100% and receive the honors that go with that achievement. To meet this goal, we need to sign up about 7 more new members by 3/31/19.

It is all members responsibility to recruit new members, especially those with Officer potential/desire. We must always be planning for the future of our Post—it's survival depends on it. In the meantime, it's up to current members to step-up, run for office and get involved. If you never held office or chaired a committee, please consider doing so...don't be afraid...there are plenty of comrades to help you along the way.

As always, please direct any veterans wishing to join and get involved to contact me at 586-634-0166, or Bernie Jarzombek at 586-778-1146.

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**\*\*Ask a bar committee  
member about renting  
Clubroom space for small  
events!\*\***

## FROM THE CLUBROOM

Spring is coming and so is Lenten Fish Fry on Fridays, so things will be hopping on Friday nights! Karaoke is still doing well on Fridays, but will start later during lent, 8:30 - 9:00 PM.

Clubroom sales were pretty good in January but the weather affected February sales, plus, we didn't have any entertainment.

March and April are shaping up to be busy, entertainment wise. Family Feud is back on March 2nd. There will be a couple of private parties in the carpeted area on March 9th & March 16th. Stars & Stripes will be DJ'ing for the party on the 16th. Mercury 7 Band will be playing on March 23rd for the 2nd time, we had very good feedback the 1st time they were here. On March 30 there is a fundraiser for Ronald McDonald House in the carpeted area, 6 - 11 PM. they will also have a DJ playing music. Ray Gunn Band is back on April 6, they are always a good act and popular around the east side. On April 20th Stars & Stripes will be DJ'ing for a birthday party, karaoke might be involved. And then it's Commander's Trivia time on April 27. By then it will be warm and sunny (hopefully).

Join us in the Clubroom for some good times and camaraderie — we appreciate your support!

**Randy Rice, Clubroom Chairman**

# Volunteers Please!!!

The Lenten Fish Fry is our largest fundraiser of the year and requires a large volunteer staff to run smoothly. There are required tasks that get done all week long in preparation for Friday night...so we are sure to have something that fits your schedule.

If you would like to help with the Fish Fry Season, please contact Commander Randy Shafer at 586-524-0449 or Tim Litz at 586-713-1519.

## Fish Fry Dates Include;

**3/8    3/15    3/22    3/29    4/5    4/12    4/19**

## TREASURER—VFW AUXILIARY

### Meetings:

Auxiliary #1146 meeting day is 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month at 7:30pm in the hall upstairs. The next meetings are 3/7, 4/4, 5/2 unless otherwise announced. We need to see more members at the meeting. I know everyone has busy schedules, but please try to attend the meetings. We would like to hear your ideas.

### Membership—Chairman Kay Eiswirth 586-413- 9934 & Co-Chairman Terri McCloy 586-899- 9554:

- If your 2019 dues have not been paid...YOU are not a member in good standing. Your Clubroom keycard will not work. Please get those dues paid and help our mission to support our Veterans. The renewal remains the same at \$25. You can also convert to a Life Member.
- Please make check payable to: VFW Bruce Post Aux. #1146. You can drop off in the Aux. mailbox in the clubroom, Quartermaster or mail to: Terri McCloy 22105 Colony St. Clair Shores, MI 48080. Try and recruit at least 1 new member.

### Chaplain- Dolly Bellamo 586-773- 9628:

- If you know of an auxiliary member who is sick, in the hospital or who has passed away, please contact our Chaplain to get a card out to them.

### Eligibility:

- For more information on the Co-ed eligibility requirements, please visit our website—<http://www.vfw1146brucepost.org/-vfw-auxiliary.html>. Also See attachment and application.

### Dates to Remember:

3/2—Family Feud Fundraiser in the Clubroom at 7pm

3/7—Aux Meeting at 7:30pm

3/9—PC/PP Dinner at Post #1008 (Waterford) at 2pm

3/14—3/16—Auxiliary State Pool Tournament in Brighton—Post #4357

4/2—Auxiliary Feather Party/Meat Raffle at 6pm in the Big Hall

4/4—Auxiliary Meeting at 7:30pm

4/13—Kids Easter Party 12pm-2pm

4/28—5th District Meeting at Post #1008 (Waterford) at 10am

Lenten Fish Fry is 3/8 to 4/19 — Please find some time to help out the Post with this Lenten fundraiser. It takes a team to do this and make it a success! Support the Clubroom, Bring in a New Member and most important, Thank all the Veterans for their service.

**Terri McCloy, Treasurer—VFW Auxiliary**  
**586-899-9554/terri\_mccloy@wowway.com**

### **PLEASE PARTICIPATE!**



Your Post NEEDS your participation! While we appreciate every membership, we require every member to participate in our mission in some way. It's the only way we can expect to keep the doors open and our mission to "honor the dead, by serving the living" progressing forward!

Please consider participating in 2 or more of the options below in 2016:

- ◆ Pay your dues on time
- ◆ Attend Meetings
- ◆ Run for an officer position
- ◆ Upgrade to Lifetime Membership
- ◆ Rent a hall for an event
- ◆ Attend Post Fundraising activities
- ◆ Make a donation to "Save Our Post"

This request does not come lightly, it is crucial! We NEED our members to take a more active role in 2016...our survival and our mission depend on it!!

## NEW AND DECEASED MEMBERS

<p><b>New VFW Members</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Donald E Ross</li> </ul>		<p><b>Deceased VFW Members</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cecil F. Beaudette</li> <li>William D. Dobkowski</li> <li>Robert L. Kepling</li> <li>Richard P. Smith</li> <li>R. M. Sumner</li> <li>Arno G. Whitbread</li> <li>Thomas G. Wroblewski</li> </ul>
<p><b>New Auxiliary Members</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Jacqueline Anderson</li> <li>Joseph Borbolla</li> <li>Joseph J. DiGiovanni Sr.</li> <li>Diane Eisenberger</li> <li>Edward Melchior</li> <li>Kristin Melchior</li> <li>Colleen Lee Hanson-Maylee</li> <li>Jay Rundles</li> <li>Kyle Mae Rundles</li> <li>Marrisa Schnitz</li> <li>Frank Waseleski Sr.</li> </ul>		<p><b>Deceased Auxiliary Members</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Donna Bourgeois</li> </ul>

If you know of a Post or Auxiliary member sick, in the hospital, or recently deceased—please let our respective Chaplains know;

Dolly Bellemo—Aux Chaplain  
586-773- 9628

Chester Landis—Post Chaplain  
586-778-1146

## IMPORTANT NOTICE—CHARITY MOTORS

Corporal Walter F Bruce Post is now one of the charitable organizations participating in the Charity Motors, Inc. Car Donation Program. People can donate a car they no longer need or want, receive a tax deduction, and designate “CORPORAL WALTER F BRUCE POST” to receive the proceeds from the sale of their car!

If you are interested in participating in this program, please call Charity Motors, Inc. at 888-908-CARS (2277) and designate Corporal Walter F Bruce Post #1146 as your charity.

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*Unknown*



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**Personalized Bricks are ONLY \$75.00 each!**

***PLEASE HURRY AND PLACE YOUR ORDER NOW!***

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Bernie Jarzombek: 586-778-1146

### Cpl Walter F Bruce Post #1146

28404 Jefferson Ave  
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Quartermaster:  
586-778-1146

Clubroom:  
586-772-1146

Email:  
1146BruceTeam@gmail.com



## JOIN OUR RITUAL TEAM

We want to be able to continue providing the proper Ritual Services to which our deceased comrades are entitled...so we NEED MORE Ritual Team Members!

It is truly an honor to be part of the team that delivers military honors to a fallen comrade. A final tribute in ceremonial fashion!

If you are interested in joining one of the Best Ritual Teams in Michigan, please contact Dave Clark at 586-772-6737.





# MARCH 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
24	25	26	27	28	1	2
					Karaoke 8pm	Family Feud Fundraiser 7pm
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	82nd Airborne Meeting 7pm	MCC Meeting Post #6782 (Eastpointe) 7:30pm	Ash Wednesday Ritual Team Practice 10am	Aux Meeting 7:30pm	1st Fish Fry of the Lenten Season! Karaoke 8pm	Past Commander - Past President Dinner Waterford Post #1008 Private Party in Clubroom Hosting DJ
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
			Ritual Team Practice 10am VVA #154 Meeting 7pm	Bar Committee Meeting 6pm	FISH FRY #2 Karaoke 8pm	Private Party in Clubroom Hosting DJ
				State Auxiliary Pool Tournament - Brighton, MI		
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
St. Patrick's Day		Executive Board Meeting 7pm	Ritual Team Practice 10am Post Meeting 7:30pm		FISH FRY #3 Karaoke 8pm	LIVE BAND: Mercury 7
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	SOA Meeting Post #9021 7:30pm		Ritual Team Practice 10am		FISH FRY #4 Karaoke 8pm	Ronald McDonald House Fundraiser hosting DJ 6p-11p
31	1	2	3	4	5	6

# APRIL 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1	2	3	4	5	6
	82nd Airborne Meeting 7pm	MCC Meeting Post #1146 (SCS) 7:30pm	Ritual Team Practice 10am	Aux Meeting 7:30pm	FISH FRY #5  Karaoke 8pm	Aux Feather Party/Meat Raffle 6pm  LIVE BAND: Ray Gunn Group
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
			Ritual Team Practice 10am  VVA #154 Meeting 7pm	Bar Committee Meeting 6pm	FISH FRY #6  Karaoke 8pm	Kids Easter Party 12-2pm  Dept of MI Testimonial, Mt. Pleasant
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		Executive Board Meeting 7pm	Ritual Team Practice 10am  Post Meeting 7:30pm		Good Friday  FINAL FISH FRY OF THE LENTEN SEASON Karaoke 8pm	Private Party hosting DJ/Karaoke
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Easter Sunday  Clubroom Closed	SOA Meeting Post #9021 7:30pm		Ritual Team Practice 10am		Karaoke 8pm	Commander's Trivia Challenge 7pm
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
5th District Meeting at Post #1008 (Waterford) 10am						

# Rentals

**NEED A ROOM FOR YOUR NEXT EVENT?**

**DON'T WAIT...BOOK NOW!**

The rental calendar books up fast! If you need event space for a holiday party, baby shower, wedding, craft show, meeting or otherwise; contact our Hall Manager, Annie Pemberton at 586-777-9265.

# Clubroom

The carpeted area of the Clubroom can also be utilized for small events. To learn more about this option, contact a Bar Committee Representative at 586-772-1146.

⇒ Randy Rice

⇒ Tim Litz

⇒ George Eiswirth

⇒ Keith Meade

⇒ Morgan Schmidt

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⇒ Chris Jensen

⇒ Dale Verhaeghe

⇒ Don Trombley

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**SATURDAY - MARCH 2nd**  
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**CLUBROOM**  
**7PM START**

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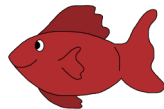
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# VFW BRUCE POST FISH FRY SCHEDULE

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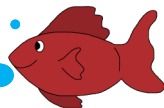
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Friday, March 15, 2019



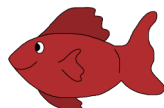
Friday, March 22, 2019



Friday, March 29, 2019



Friday, April 5, 2019



Friday, April 12, 2019



Friday, April 19, 2019

4pm—8pm

while supplies  
last

## Volunteers Needed!

Call Commander Shafer, 586-524-0449 OR Tim Litz, 586-713-1519



Corporal Walter F Bruce Post #1146

# Friday Fish Fry



## Regular Menu

(Dinners served with french fries, cole slaw, bread and butter, and dessert)

A. Cod Dinner (Approx. ½ lb* aka 2 pieces)	\$8.00
B. Perch Dinner (Approx. ½ lb* aka 4 pieces)	\$10.00
C. Shrimp Dinner (Approx. ½ lb* aka 8 pieces)	\$12.00
D. Half & Half Cod/Shrimp (Approx. 1 Cod/4 Shrimp)	\$11.00
E. Half & Half Perch/Shrimp (Approx. 2 Perch/4 Shrimp)	\$11.00
F. Mac & Cheese Dinner	\$5.00
G. Substitute Mac & Cheese Instead of Fries	\$1.00

*\*Indicates pre-cooked weight*

## Kids' Menu

J. Chicken Bite Dinner (8 pieces)	\$4.50
K. Child-size Mac & Cheese Dinner	\$4.00

## Extras and Sides

I. Extra Piece of Perch	\$1.50
L. Extra Piece of Cod	\$3.00
M. Side of Mac & Cheese	\$2.50
N. Side of French Fries	\$1.50
O. Side of Cole Slaw	\$1.50
P. Hot Dog	\$2.00
Q. Hot Dog w/ Fries	\$3.00
R. Hot Dog w/ Mac & Cheese	\$4.00

*Coffee is available at no cost. Soft drinks and a limited selection of alcoholic beverages are available for a nominal charge in the Big Hall. Full service cash bar is available in Clubroom.*

**(S) CARRY OUT AVAILABLE!**

# Thank you for Supporting Our Post!

# ***FEATHER PARTY MEAT RAFFLE***

***SAT. APR 6, 2019***

***7 P.M. TIL ?***

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Kids Easter Party  
April 13, 2019  
12 – 2 PM

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# Commander's Trivia Challenge

**SATURDAY, APR 27, 2019**

*7pm-9pm*

- “Commander’s Trivia Challenge” will be in the Clubroom
- ♦ Team sign-in at 6:15pm-6:50pm
- ♦ Teams recommended to have 2-8 players, plus a witty name (no profanity please)
- ♦ Ante is ***\$5 per player***, which will determine the prizes
- ♦ Brainpower ONLY! No cell phones, devices, phone-a-friend or audience shout-outs allowed.
- ♦ Get your team together and support our trivia event! The questions and music will be FUN and ENTERTAINING!!
- ♦ We hope to have at least 10+ full teams!





# VFW Bruce Post 1146 Golf Outing



**Saturday, September 14, 2019**  
**Meadows Golf Course**

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*Dave 586-634-0166*  
*VFW Post 586-772-1146*

*All proceeds will go to Bruce*  
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## REGISTRATION FORM

Team Cpt./Golfer 1: \_\_\_\_\_ \$90 \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Golfer 2: \_\_\_\_\_ \$90 \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Golfer 3: \_\_\_\_\_ \$90 \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Golfer 4: \_\_\_\_\_ \$90 \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Paid by (check # \_\_\_\_\_ cash or debit/credit card) – circle one Total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to VFW #1146

# V.F.W. AND AUXILIARY

## Phil Patterson-Sandy Medos Testimonial

Hampton Inn  
5205 East Pickard Street  
Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

April 12-13, 2019

Hotel rates are \$109.00 per night. Please Call  
989-772-5500 to make your room reservation. Make sure  
you tell them you are with the Patterson-Medos VFW  
Testimonial to get this rate.

Please make your Reservations by April 10, 2019 to get in  
on the Testimonial Rate.

Any questions please contact:

Pat Patterson 586-292-5100 or [pattersond5@aol.com](mailto:pattersond5@aol.com)

# Patterson- Medos

Testimonial Golf Outing  
Saturday April 13, 2019  
10:00 am Tee-time  
WEATHER PERMITTING

4 Man Best Ball / Scramble  
\$40.00 Per Player / \$160.00 per Four Player Team  
Prizes for Best Scramble Team, Longest Drive & Closest to Pin  
Hot Dog at the turn

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**Detach and send this part in with payment (checks only please)**

**DEADLINE is April 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

Make checks payable to Dept. of MI VFW  
Be sure to include a phone number in case of cancellation

**Team Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Captain:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Captain Phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Golfer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Golfer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Golfer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Golfer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Individual Golfers may sign up and be placed on a team**

**Please return this application to:**

Dept. of MI VFW  
924 N. Washington Ave  
Lansing, MI 48906

Phil Patterson-Sandy Medos  
PohlCat Golf Course  
6595 East Airport Road  
Mt. Pleasant, Michigan 48858

# BANQUET TICKETS

April 13 , 2019

Price \$40.00 per person

No tickets sold at the door

**DEADLINE DATE FOR ORDERING TICKETS IS April 8,2019**  
**BANQUET TICKET ORDERS WILL BE HELD**  
**ACCOUNTABLE, INCLUDING NO SHOWS**

**BANQUET TICKETS WILL NOT BE MAILED**

**Tickets will be available at Hotel on Friday and Saturday and at the door before the Banquet starts.**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

CITY: \_\_\_\_\_ STATE: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_ DIST # \_\_\_\_\_ POST # \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_ NUMBER OF TICKETS \_\_\_\_\_

**MAKE ALL CHECKS PAYABLE TO**  
**THE DEPARTMENT OF MICHIGAN VFW**

**(NO CASH)**

MAIL TO: PATRICK PATTERSON  
21650 ULRICH  
CLINTON TOWNSHIP MI 48036

**BANQUET STARTS 6:00 P.M.**

Cpl. Walter F. Bruce VFW Post #1146  
**AUXILIARY APPLICATION**  
28404 Jefferson St. Clair Shores, MI 48081

Thank you for your interest in joining the Auxiliary. Attached is a membership form you will need to complete. Please make sure you fill out and sign in both \*\*areas.

**Post Affiliated:** (Must be a current member to the VFW Post affiliated with the Auxiliary you are applying). You will NEED the Eligible Veteran name & VFW Membership ID # and your relationship to Eligible Veteran. This information then will be given to the Quartermaster to confirm the Veteran is a member. *You will also have to submit a copy of the Eligible Veteran DD214 or Proof of Eligibility.*

**Non-Affiliated:** (Veteran is not a member of the VFW Post affiliated with the Auxiliary to which you are applying). You will NEED the Eligible Veteran name, the VFW Post # (if applicable) and your relationship to Eligible Veteran. *You will also have to submit a copy of the Eligible Veteran DD214 or Proof of Eligibility.*

Along with the membership form, you will need:

1. A copy of the DD214 - IF NOT POST AFFILIATED (Certificate of release or Discharge from Active Duty) attached to the membership form. If you need a copy of the DD214, you can go online to: <http://vetrecs.archives.gov> or fill out form 180 and mail back.  
\*Cash or Check must be with application.  
\*Continuous member (pays dues yearly) – \$25 + \$10 Adm. Fee (1 time only) = \$35.  
\*Life Member – see application form for amount + \$10 Adm. Fee (1 time only) + \$1 Key Card for Clubroom
2. Mail application to: Kay Eiswirth 25578 Island View Dr. Harrison Township, MI 48045 or to the above Bruce Post address marked Auxiliary Application. You can drop off at the Quartermaster station or you can put in the Auxiliary box by the pool table in the Club Room marked Auxiliary Application.

The application must be approved and voted on the floor of our meeting. We meet the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month at 7:30pm. Once application has been accepted, you will receive a call from the secretary. Please be patient. Until approved on floor at meeting there is nothing we can do to expedite.

If you have any questions, you may contact:

Membership  
Kay Eiswirth  
586-413-9934

keiswirth@yahoo.com

Treasurer  
Terri McCloy  
586-899-9554

terri\_mccloy@wowway.com

Auxiliary President  
Diane Stanley  
586-322-1575

oma.stanley@gmail.com

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN JOINING THE VFW AUXILIARY!**

**Eligibility to the VFW Auxiliary:**

\*Must be at least 16 years old and a citizen of the United States

**\*Those eligible:**

**Husband/Wife, Widower/Widow, Father/Mother, Grandfathers/Grandmothers, Sons/Daughters,  
Grandsons/Granddaughters, Brothers/Sisters**

Of persons who were or are eligible for membership in the VFW of the United States

\*Must have received a campaign medal for overseas serve, have served 30 consecutive or 60 non-consecutive days in Korea, or have ever received hostile fire or imminent danger pay.

MEMBER/TRANSFER APPLICATION

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY Recruited/Recommended by: \_\_\_\_\_

No. \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Member ID (if already a member) \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Membership  Life  Rejoined Previous Member No. \_\_\_\_\_ Previous Auxiliary \_\_\_\_\_

Member-at-Large  Life Member-at-Large in Department of \_\_\_\_\_ or in  National

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ or Female \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

These fields required.

POST AFFILIATED: (\*Must be a member to the VFW Post affiliated with the Auxiliary to which you are applying.)

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ to Eligible Veteran\* \_\_\_\_\_ VFW Membership ID \_\_\_\_\_

NON AFFILIATED: (\*Veteran is not a member of the VFW Post affiliated with the Auxiliary to which you are applying.)

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ to Eligible Veteran\* \_\_\_\_\_ VFW Post \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable)

LIFE MEMBER TRANSFER, Previous Auxiliary \_\_\_\_\_ (Note: Eligibility proof and investigating committee not needed.)

Accepting Treasurer's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

ANNUAL TRANSFER, Previous Auxiliary \_\_\_\_\_ Paying \_\_\_\_\_ or Nonpaying \_\_\_\_\_? (check one)

ANNUAL TRANSFER CONVERTING TO LIFE, Previous Auxiliary \_\_\_\_\_ (Fill out Life Membership information below.)

Name of campaign ribbons or medals: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of Service \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

I attest that I am a citizen of the United States or a U.S. National, and am at least 16 years of age. I further state that I believe in God. I pledge to comply with the National Bylaws of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States Auxiliary. I attest I am not eligible for membership in the VFW.

I further state that the above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

\* Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Investigating Committee: 1) \_\_\_\_\_ 2) \_\_\_\_\_ 3) \_\_\_\_\_

Per Section 102 of the National Bylaws.  Rejected  Election Date \_\_\_\_\_ Obligated Date \_\_\_\_\_

**LIFE MEMBERSHIP**  Check here if this is a gift.  
 Card will be mailed to the Auxiliary Treasurer.  
 Payment:  Cash  Check  Visa  
 Mastercard  Discover  
 Life Membership Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name on credit card \_\_\_\_\_  
 Billing address for card \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
 C. C. # \_\_\_\_\_  
 CVV Code \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
 \* Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**LIFE MEMBERSHIP**  ACH (Bank withdrawal)  
 Name of Bank \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bank Routing No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Account No. \_\_\_\_\_

Attach voided check HERE. (Required)



**LIFE MEMBERSHIP FEES**  
 Effective 1/1/2017  
 Attained age at 12/31  
 of year applying for  
 Life Membership.

Through 20	\$253
21-25	\$242
26-30	\$230
31-35	\$219
36-40	\$213
41-45	\$201
46-50	\$196
51-55	\$184
56-60	\$173
61-65	\$161
66-70	\$150
71-75	\$132
76-80	\$109
81-85	\$86
86-90	\$69
91 and over	\$58

**OBLIGATION**  
 In the presence of Almighty God and the members of this organization here assembled, I do of my own free will and accord, solemnly promise that I will never wrong or defraud this organization nor a member thereof nor permit either to be wronged if in my power to prevent it. I will never propose for membership any person not eligible, according to our Bylaws. I further state that I believe in God. I will be faithful to the United States of America, obedient to the laws and loyal to the Flag. Should my membership with this organization cease in any way, I will consider this obligation as binding outside of the organization as though I had remained a member. I do so promise.  
 \* Signature \_\_\_\_\_ (Must be signed by all members.)



# VFW Bruce Post #1146 Apparel Order Form



The Bruce Post "On The Lake" sailboat logo will be printed on the left chest. Color options are royal blue with white logo, navy blue with white logo, white with blue logo or black with white logo. All shirts are adult sizes only—50/50 Cotton/Polyester. If you prefer *Made in USA* products, please inquire as those items will have a slightly higher cost.

## Short Sleeve T-Shirt

Size	QTY	Color	Cost	TOTAL
SM			\$10	
MD			\$10	
LG			\$10	
1X			\$10	
2X			\$13	
3X			\$14	

## Long Sleeve T-Shirt

Size	QTY	Color	Cost	TOTAL
SM			\$12	
MD			\$12	
LG			\$12	
1X			\$12	
2X			\$15	
3X			\$16	

## Short Sleeve Polo

Size	QTY	Color	Cost	TOTAL
SM			\$17	
MD			\$17	
LG			\$17	
1X			\$17	
2X			\$19	
3X			\$20	

## Long Sleeve Polo

Size	QTY	Color	Cost	TOTAL
SM			\$19	
MD			\$19	
LG			\$19	
1X			\$19	
2X			\$21	
3X			\$22	

## Sweatshirts

Size	QTY	Color	Type (circle)			Cost (circle)			TOTAL
			Crew	Hooded	Zipper	\$13	\$20	\$25	
SM						\$13	\$20	\$25	
MD						\$13	\$20	\$25	
LG						\$13	\$20	\$25	
1X						\$13	\$20	\$25	
2X						\$15	\$22	\$27	
3X						\$16	\$23	\$28	

### QUESTIONS:

Tim Litz  
586-713-1519

Orders must be prepaid. Checks made payable to Bruce Post #1146 VFW. Print clearly below. Drop in Post mail box outside Quartermaster's office or mail to Tim Litz, 28404 Jefferson Ave, Saint Clair Shores, MI 48081.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Total Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_