# THE FRIENDLY POST

**VFW POST 4225** 

#### September 2021 Issue



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#### FROM THE COMMANDER

As I have been away from the Post on a short vacation along with Department and District Schools of Instruction my message will be somewhat short this time. First I want to thank those who have again worked hard at the Post to assure that everything keeps running as smooth as possible. There are many upcoming events planned for your enjoyment as well as some things in the works that will benefit the Post. I will keep you informed as these things progress. Our Labor Day BBQ on September 6th is always a great success with good food and comradeship, I hope to see many of you there to enjoy what we as a Post put together for you. It goes without saying that our Auxiliary has a big hand in this as well and we are thankful for all their support.

There is however an issue that must be addressed and will be seen in the message from our House Committee Chairman. This issue will again be reiterated during our General Meeting on September 1st where I hope to see as many Officers and Members as possible.

Yours in Comradeship

Fred Sailor

Commander Post 4225

#### FROM THE HOUSE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

September is upon us and so is the heat The school buses are everywhere and so is the traffic. Please watch out for stopped buses and school children.

Our Labor Day BBQ is Monday. Sept. 6th at 1pm. Covered Dishes and Desserts needed and welcomed.

We have had to raise the price of our Friday Fish Dinner due to the rising food costs The new price is now \$9.00 As everyone knows the cost of everything is going up and up and we have tried hard to keep our prices down as much as possible. We need your Support and would appreciate you stopping into the Post and seeing your Friends and VFW Family.

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Our volunteers are very important to the workings of our Post and Auxiliary. So before you complain about something that you have no clue about maybe you might want to consider volunteering and see how much effort goes into the events and dinners. Our Auxiliary and Post are working very hard together to make our Post one that everyone is proud of!! Once again I will repeat that if you abuse one of our Bartenders or Officers be prepared for what consequences that may happen. We will not tolerate your abuse.

There has been a issue recently that needs to be addressed about Covid Vaccinations here at the post. Getting a Covid vaccination is an individuals choice. There is no law that say's someone must be Covid vaccinated. We will not tolerate any Employee, Member or Guest being harassed or threatened for not being vaccinated. If you are that concerned that someone is not vaccinated by all means wear a mask. I'll bet you still go out in town shopping, to eat or whatever else you do. Do you ask everyone in a store or restaurant if their vaccinated?? I 'm sure you don't!!!

Richard "Skeeter" Burgess House Committee Chairman Post 4225

#### **FROM THE CANTEEN MANAGER**

Our Bartenders are working hard to bring in food for lunches. Please come in and support their efforts There may not be lunches everyday but they are doing their best to have them as many days as possible. They are not required to make lunches but do so for your enjoyment so please come in and show your appreciation by eating and having a couple of beverages. Our lunches almost never are more than \$5.00. Where can you eat lunch any cheaper!!!

Richard "Skeeter" Burgess





#### AUXILIARY OFFICERS

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2 YEAR TRUSTEE Cheryl Hudman

1 YEAR TRUSTEE Linda Kerr

#### FROM THE AUXILIARY PRESIDENT

September is upon us!!!

Well in some parts of the USA that means the start of fall and cooler weather are arriving, but not here in good ole Florida. It just means we are going into the peak of hurricane season and that the heat and humidity are not going anywhere anytime soon. ENJOY!!!!

We had a busy August with Department Conventions and District meetings. Thank you to everyone who participated in these. Things at the post have been good and the meals and events have gone well. For those of you who did not get a chance to partake in the Pork Roast Dinner prepared by Jimmy Nickels, you really missed out. What a wonderful meal – Thank you Jimmy!!!!

Remember to get your raffle tickets for the "Wheelbarrow of Cheer" it is quit the prize. Please come in and support our September events and meals.

1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month - Boston's Meatloaf Dinner, 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of the month - Fish Dinner, 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month - Meat Bingo, 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month - Beef Pot -Roast Dinner by Tammy, 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of the month - Fish Dinner, 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month - Barn Yard Bingo.

I look forward to seeing y'all at these meals and events!!!

Todd Sailor

**President** 

VFW Post 4225 Auxiliary

#### **FROM THE CHAPLAIN**

In all of history there has been only one nation like America, founded by Pilgrims seeking freedom to worship, established on a vast continent between two oceans, dedicated to the proposition that we are created equal and endowed by our creator with certain unalienable rights. One Nation under God.

Please keep these in you thoughts and Prayers:

Jean Morrison Carol Koert Carolyn Bolles

Luv Ya All and God Bless Everyone

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# GIVE TO GROW

#### **BOOSTERS**

#### December 2020 Bill Hawkins

#### IN MEMORY OF

Wendie Nicholson in Memory of her Husband Thomas Nicholson and their son Blake Nicholson.

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Skeeter Burgess in Memory of Bernie Mc Donald





### HOURS OF OPERATION TUESDAY—SUNDAY 10 am—8 pm

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#### **WE NEED BOOSTERS**

If you would like to become a Booster, please give your name & \$10 fee per year to one of the Bartenders.

Your Booster is good for 1 year from the date above you name.



If you wish to commemorate a loved one, please give the information to the bartender with the full name of the person who is commemorating and the full name of the person you wish to commemorate.

#### SEPTEMBER 2021 MEALS



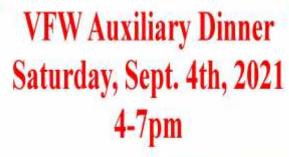
Come Join us for our Friday Fish Fry September 10th, and 24th 4:30 p.m. until 7 p.m.

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Meatloaf
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Roll \$ Butter
\$10.00
Karaoke by John Kerr







#### SEPTEMBER 2021 LUNCHES

Our Bartenders are going out of their way to prepare Lunches for your enjoyment!! There are lunches several days a week. Give us a call to find out if there is a lunch being prepared.

OUR CANTEEN AND POST NEED YOUR SUPPORT SO COME ON IN AND HAVE A DRINK OR TWO WITH YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY



#### SEPTEMBER 2021 EVENTS & NOTICES







# Attention!! Attention!! Attention!!







Please <u>Do Not</u> park on the far side of the cobblestone street in front of the Two houses across from our parking lot.

These houses have been sold and are currently being remodeled.



We need to respect the new owners wishes and keep a good relationship with him!!







# OUR BUSINESS FRIENDS





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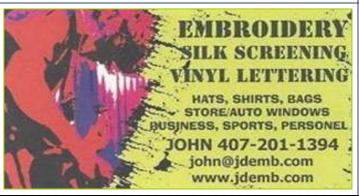
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Tue		CLEAN UP 9AM DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY	DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY	DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY Meat Bingo	DISCOUNT SHIRT
Mon		Labor Day BBQ 1-5pm	POST CLEAN UP 9AM	POST CLEAN UP 9AM	POST CLEAN UP
Sun		5	Post 4225 Spaghetti Dinner 3pm until 6pm	61	26