

# THE FRIENDLY POST

VFV POST 4225

March 2020 Issue



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CHAIRMAN  
Richard Burgess  
(Skeeter)

## FROM THE COMMANDER

I would like to remind all the general members that our first round of nominations will be at our March meeting. Please plan on coming out to have a say in who is going to represent our post next year.

Our Wednesday lunches are going well. We still need your support if you would like them to continue. As always, we need volunteers to help prep, cook, and clean up. I would like to thank all those who have stepped up.

We have received our new barstools and thanks to Skeeter, Fred, and Todd they have been assembled and are in use. Skeeter is looking into the cost of high tops to replace the high long tables. We will try to keep everyone informed on the status.

Don't forget that we spring ahead on Sunday the 8<sup>th</sup> of March. That means that it is also time to change the batteries in your smoke detectors.

Gary Spear  
Commander  
Post 4225

## FROM THE HOUSE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

Well we're into March already and the year is just flying by!!! Last month was a busy and very successful month for the Post and the Auxiliary.

I would like to thank everyone that supported all the events and meals that everyone worked so hard to organize and carry out!!

Our volunteers have been great so let's keep this momentum moving forward.

Do you like our karaoke after our meals? The Karaoke is being done by volunteers at no charge to the Post and Auxiliary!! Please show your gratitude by making a donation to the donation jar on the Karaoke table. They do a great job supporting us so please support them!!!!

We have started Wednesday lunches again so if you want them to continue you need to come in and support them!!

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Our new Barstools are now in the canteen and we hope you like them. Thanks to Todd and Fred Sailor for helping me pick them up and put them together. Also a big "THANK YOU" to everyone that donated the money to purchase them.

I would like to say a "BIG Thank you" to everyone that has stepped up to help with our Post lunches and all our meals!! Please come support them and everyone that has given their time!!

I would like to take a moment to say how much I appreciate the support and donations that the Auxiliary has given the Canteen and Post. We all need to work together in support of our Post and Canteen.



Richard "Skeeter" Burgess  
House Committee Chairman  
Post 4225

## FROM THE CANTEEN MANAGER

Members, family and Guests it's time to get in the Irish mood as St. Patty's Day is right around the corner. Our St. Patty's Day dinner is from 4-6pm followed by Meat Bingo. Please come support these events and help support our canteen. Have you been in for our Wednesday Lunch? If not your missing some great food.

Thanks to Carla and Dayle for all their help with all the holiday decorations!! Every little bit helps.

Mary Oursler  
Canteen Manager



SKEETER BURGESS - PUBLISHER



**FROM THE AUXILIARY  
PRESIDENT**

Happy March!!!! We are into the 3<sup>rd</sup> month of 2020 already and what an event filled beginning it has been.

I would like to personally thank everyone for your involvement and hard work. The auxiliary has great momentum and is headed in a good direction, and it is because of all of – YOU!!!!

We had wonderful representation at the District Meeting and visit to Horses and Heroes, thank you to all of you who took time out of your Saturday to join us. Have you had a chance to enjoy the new barstools yet??? WOW what a difference!!! Thank you to Skeeter and the House committee for getting all of that done in 1 day so that we had them in place in time for Meat Bingo – a lot of work went into it - Great Job Guys & Gals.

The Valentines Day Dinner was a - GREAT SUCCESS!!! Thank you to all who were involved and attended.

I would like to especially thank the Senior Vice Commander for being there all day helping to prepare the meal and ensuring our success.

It is great to be able to work hand in hand with the Post and House Committee and enable us all to reach our goals together. – 1 team 1 fight.

Remember this is your Auxiliary and YOU matter. If you want your opinion or thoughts to be heard and recognized the only way to make that happen is by attending the meetings. We meet the 2<sup>nd</sup>

Wednesday of every month at 7:00pm at the post. Our next meeting will be 03-11. I also highly recommend attending the House Committee meeting when you are able. It is held the 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of every month at 1:00pm at the post. The next meeting will be on 03-02. Any time that we voice our opinions or concerns other than in these meetings, we are wasting our time and leaving ourselves open to misrepresentation of our true intentions. Please keep that in mind.

Remember St. Patrick's Day Dinner and Meat Bingo on 03-17-2020. GET YOUR RAFFLE TICKETS FOR THE BASKET!!!!

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We will also be having a Grilled ½ Chicken Dinner with Skeeter's Potato salad, Fred's beans and a roll on Saturday 03-21-so make plans to come and enjoy a great meal and have a good time!!!!

Thank you all for a GREAT start to 2020 and I look forward to us working together to make this the best year ever!!!!

God Bless You, God Bless America, and God Bless VFW Post 4225 and it's Auxiliary

*Todd Sailor*

**President**

**VFW Post 4225 Auxiliary**

**FROM THE CHAPLAIN**

Comrades and Sisters it's with great pride and a heavy heart that as I write this Louise Rohman is at Arlington National Cemetery in Washington D.C. There will be a ceremony for our Comrade and friend Frank Rohman. Veteran of WWII, Korea and Vietnam. He was highly decorated and Field Commissioned in Korea. God bless Louise and Frank.

I am also sad to report the death of James ( Jami ) Vinciguerra, son of our Comrade James ( Vinny ) Vinciguerra. Our prayers and condolences to the Vinciguerra family.

Please keep these Comrades and Sisters in your thoughts and prayers:

Hermaline Palmer  
Rosalee Atherton  
Mary Wallace  
Jean Morrison  
Jessie Parrish



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Your Comrade Always  
God Bless You All  
See Ya at the Post

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## **VFW Auxiliary Dinner Saturday, March 7th, 2020 5-7pm**

**Meatloaf  
Mashed Potatoes  
Veggie  
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Karaoke by Sean and John Kerr

## **St. Patrick's Day Dinner Tues. Mar. 17th, 2020 4-6pm**

**Corned Beef & Cabbage  
Carrots & Potatoes**

**\$8.00**



## **VFW Post 4225 Auxiliary Dinner March 21st, 2020**

**BBQ Half Chicken  
Potato Salad  
Baked Beans  
Roll & Butter**

**\$10.00**



# MARCH 2020 LUNCHES

Post 4225 Lunch  
Wed, Mar. 4th, 2020  
12pm until 4pm

Hamburger  
or  
Cheeseburger  
& Chips  
\$4.00



**Post 4225 Lunch**  
**Wed. Mar. 11th, 2020**  
**12pm until 4pm**

**Italian Sausage  
and Peppers  
Sandwich  
& chips**  
**\$4.00**



VFW Post 4225 Lunch  
Wed. March 25th, 2020  
12 - 4pm

Meatball Sandwich  
&  
Chips  
\$4.00



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

Show Your Support



MARCH 2020 EVENTS & NOTICES

Post 4225 Meat Bingo  
3rd Tuesday of the Month  
@ 7pm  
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# March 2020



|    | Sun                       | Mon                        | Tue  | Wed   | Thu                | Fri   | Sat   |
|----|---------------------------|----------------------------|--|---|--------------------|---|---|
| 1  | Spaghetti Dinner<br>3-6pm | 2<br>POST CLEAN UP<br>9AM  | 3<br>DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY  | 4<br>GEN. MEETING<br>7PM<br>1st Nominations of Post Officers<br>Lunch<br>12-4pm | 5<br>DARTS<br>7PM  | 6<br>COMMANDERS DAY<br>10AM UNTIL 7PM<br>FISH FRY 4:30-7pm  | 7<br>Auxiliary Dinner<br>5-7pm<br>Karaoke<br>7-?  |
| 8  | Spaghetti Dinner<br>3-6pm | 9<br>POST CLEAN UP<br>9AM  | 10<br>DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY   | 11<br>AUX MEETING<br>7PM<br>Lunch<br>12-4pm                                     | 12<br>DARTS<br>7PM | 13<br>COMMANDERS DAY<br>10AM UNTIL 7PM<br>FISH FRY 4:30-7pm | 14  |
| 15 | Spaghetti Dinner<br>3-6pm | 16<br>POST CLEAN UP<br>9AM | 17<br>DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY<br>St. Patrick's Day<br>Dinner<br>4-6pm | 18<br>Lunch<br>12-4pm   | 19<br>DARTS<br>7PM | 20<br>COMMANDERS DAY<br>10AM UNTIL 7PM<br>FISH FRY 4:30-7pm | 21<br>Auxiliary Dinner<br>5-7pm<br>Karaoke<br>7-? |
| 22 | Spaghetti Dinner<br>3-6pm | 23<br>POST CLEAN UP<br>9AM | 24<br>DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY   | 25<br>Lunch<br>12-4pm   | 26<br>DARTS<br>7PM | 27<br>COMMANDERS DAY<br>10AM UNTIL 7PM<br>FISH FRY 4:30-7pm | 28  |
| 29 | Spaghetti Dinner<br>3-6pm | 30<br>POST CLEAN UP<br>9AM | 31<br>DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY   |   |                    |   |   |