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Commander's Corner

Larry Badzinski - Commander



Here comes Fall. Where did the Summer go?

Thank you to all the volunteers that helped put together our Post picnic.

The Executive Board and Trustee meeting will be on September 8 at 1:00p.

The Post meeting will be on September 11 at 7:00p. We will have a Memorial Service to commemorate 9/11 immediately following the Post meeting. All are welcome for this service.

The annual picnic at the Ohio Veterans Home in Sandusky, OH will be on September 13. Anyone wanting to go and volunteer, they will appreciate it. See me for the information. These veterans really look forward to the good food, music and games.

Thank you to our Friday night groups who are in the kitchen and providing music for all of us as well.

A big round of applause to our volunteers that do work around the Post.

I am now the State VAVS representative and on September 12, the Chalmers P. Wylie will be having an end of summer cook-out on their west lawn from 11:30a-1:00p. Anybody wishing to volunteer, please contact me.

Continue to keep our troops in your prayers and your hearts.



1st Vice Commander

Roger Kirk

A big WOW to our members for the donations to the "Show Your Stripes" program. You guys are really coming through. Remember...it is for Vets who are in a program to help them beat alcohol and/or drug problems, or they could just be down on their luck and need a helping hand. Keep up the great work. It is greatly appreciated!

Please welcome new member Merel Cooper-Army.

Our membership total is 998. We have 706 life members and 292 annual members. A total of 61 will be dropped from the roster since they have not renewed since 2012.

"Let's Roll!"

*Remembering the
heroes of flight 93
on Patriot Day
September 11*

September 11 is Patriot Day - A national day of remembrance for the 2,993 who lost their lives in the 911 attack on our nation. Fly your flag at half-mast in their memory.



Saturday, September 6

MEAT LOAF DINNER

\$5.00

**Meat Loaf
Mashed Potatoes
Green Beans**

**Sing Along With
Big Bopper Karaoke**



*It's not the years in your life that count;
It's the life in your years!*

(Abe Lincoln)



Ladies Auxiliary
Renee Nagy, President

September greetings to our Amvets family. I see lots of football games on the horizon...hope our teams win!

Our 2nd Vice-President, Pam Klinedinst asks us to save aluminum pull tabs and bring them to the Post marked for the Auxiliary. She will collect them and take them to Ronald McDonald House. Proceeds from this fundraiser provide funds to help pay the expenses of families staying there while their children are in the hospital. Your donations are appreciated and remember—no donation is too small.

Thanks to everyone for supporting our Auxiliary dinners. We strive to serve good food and provide entertainment for our enjoyment. We will be serving Marzetti on Friday, September 26. Entertainment will be provided by DJ Jon Noe. Please join us for dinner and lots of good music. Jon is always happy to take requests, so be sure to ask for your favorite songs.

We will be selling Anthony Thomas candy bars for our Scholarship Fund, so get your orders ready.

As always, please remember to pray for our veterans and all



Some Interesting Facts About Labor Day

1. Labor Day originates from our neighbors to the North

Labor Day has its origins in Canada. Stemming from 1870's labor disputes in Toronto, in 1872 a parade was held in support of a strike against the 58 hour workweek. As a result, 24 union leaders who were responsible for organizing the event were arrested under anti-union laws.

2. First US Labor Day observance was in the form of a parade

Sponsored by the Central Labor Union, on September 5, 1882 ten thousand workers paraded through New York City. This is commonly considered the first observance of Labor Day in America.

3. First to declare Labor Day an official holiday

The state of Oregon was the first in the Union to pass a law in February of 1887 making Labor Day an officially recognized holiday.

4. First Waffle House opens on Labor Day

In 1955, in Avondale Estates, Georgia, the very first Waffle House opened its doors to the public. 25 states and 50 years later, Waffle House now counts over 1500 establishments. Yeah waffles!

5. Unofficial NFL season kickoff

99.44% of the time, the NFL plays the first official season game the Thursday after Labor Day.

**Enjoy your Labor Day Activities!
Be Safe If You Are Traveling!**



GO BUCKS

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Starting Friday, August 29, wear your OSU Buckeye gear. Let's get the season off on a positive note and show our support for the BUCKEYES!

Saturday, August 30 is the first game against Navy.

Every Saturday there is a game, come into the clubroom and cheer the Buckeyes on. Covered dishes and wings will be available.

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Club Room Activities & Entertainment

Saturday, September 6 – Meatloaf dinner \$5.00 – Entertainment by **Big Bopper Karaoke** 6:00-9:00p

Friday, September 12 – Son’s Pizza Night – Entertainment by **DJ Jon Noe** 7:00-10:00p

Friday, September 19 – Sad Sack Fish/Shrimp night – Entertainment by the **Summer Breeze Band** 7:00-10:00p

Friday, September 26 – Ladies Auxiliary Marzetti Dinner – Entertainment by **DJ Jon Noe** 7:00-10:00p

Saturday OSU Football – Check the Buckeye schedule and join us for some good food and drinks and root for the Buckeyes

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
31 August CLOSED	1 LABOR DAY <u>Club will be open 12 noon to 8p</u>	2 7p Son's Meeting	3	4	5 SUBS ALL DAY	6 6-9p Meatloaf Dinner \$5.00 6:00p KARAOKE With BIG BOPPER
7 CLOSED 	8 1p Executive/ Trustee Mtg.	9 6:30p Ladies Auxiliary Meeting	10	11 PATRIOT DAY  7p Post Meeting Memorial Service immediately following Post meeting	12 5:30p Son's Pizza 7p DJ Jon Noe	13 OVH Picnic - Sandusky, OH (See Post Commander for Information)
14 CLOSED	15 7p Honor Guard Meeting	16 7:01p Sad Sacks Scrimmage	17	18	19 5:31p Sad Sacks Fish/Shrimp/ Bologna Dinner 7p SUMMER BREEZE	20 <u>Newsletter Articles Due</u>
21 CLOSED	22 	23	24	25	26 5:30p Ladies Auxiliary Marzetti Dinner 7p DJ Jon Noe	27
28 CLOSED	29	30	1 OCTOBER	3	4 SUBS ALL DAY	5

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Meeting Dates & Times

Post Meeting
2nd Thursday of the month - 7:00p
September 11

Son's Meeting
1st Tuesday of the month - 7:00p
September 2

Ladies Auxiliary Meeting
2nd Tuesday of the month - 6:30p
September 9

Sad Sack Scrimmage
3rd Tuesday of the month - 7:01p
September 16

Please attend meetings to find out what's going on, and how you can help support your Post. This is your chance to voice recommendations, concerns and make suggestions.



WE LOVE YOU! THANKS!

The Old Navy Chief



"Well," snarled the tough old Navy Chief to the bewildered Seaman. "I suppose after you get discharged from the Navy, you'll just be waiting for me to die so you can come and p___ on my grave."

"Not me, Chief!" the Seaman replied. "Once I get out of the Navy, I'm never going to stand in line again!"

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