



Ely-Fagan Post

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God Bless America

July 2017

Post Commander

We had our first Flag Day Ceremony at the Post followed by an open house. It was a fitting tribute to our nation's symbol and was attended by the town supervisor and town council members. The worn flag was presented to Suburban Animal Hospital for disposal. They have generously been burning unserviceable flags for us and we appreciate this service. In the past, post members have burned the flags at our post, which has presented a health hazard due to the immense black smoke generated by the nylon flags. We plan to continue this ceremony each year.

Our Tuesday night kitchen crews are taking a hiatus for the summer. I'd like to thank them for their hard work and dedication. They have helped the bottom line of our post greatly and have earned a good rest. We have also voted to suspend the general meeting for July and August; whatever plans you have for the summer enjoy and be safe.

For some time, our neighbors, Tucker Printing, have been planning on tying into the town/county sewer system, they need to lay their tie in pipe through our property. They are moving forward with this project and we are working with the town to minimize the impact to our property. We have asked them to change their proposal to skirt our land rather than go through the middle of it. They have gladly sent their plans for redesign to accommodate our request. They have been good neighbors letting us use their parking lot during our events and we will do what we can to help them complete this project.

We are gearing up for our next Sportsman Raffle in September. If every member buys one ticket and sells one, we will have sold about half our tickets. This is our major fundraiser for the year. If you'd like tickets we'd be happy to mail or drop them off to you.

We are planning an Independence Day Picnic, as always it will be a great time, stop or call in to sign up, we hope to see you there.

For the good of the legion.

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Honor Flight Rochester

Honor Flight Rochester flies six (6) "missions" a year, three (3) in the spring and three (3) in the fall, transporting veterans and their guardians to Washington, D.C. and back. While in our nation's capital, these heroes visit various monuments symbolizing what it took and still takes to secure and keep our freedoms.

Each "mission" ends on Sunday in a "Welcome Home" Celebration of hundreds of "well wishers" welcoming our country's veterans home. These warriors never received the "welcome home" recognition they deserved for their efforts to maintain the freedoms many in our country take for granted. As legionnaires, we know the sacrifices they and their families made.

Let's join the other veteran's organizations, cub scout and boy scout units, "rider" groups, emergency services personnel, and others to say "Thank you".

It is such an honor to salute our fellow "vets", shake their hand, share a word or two, and even renew some other acquaintances.

Check out the "Honor Flight Rochester" website for more information, to check out pictures of previous "missions", and even get information about registering if you have not already done so.

July Meetings

The Executive Committee will meet July 5th at 7 pm. The General Meetings for July and August are suspended. The next General Meeting will be on September 13th at 7:30pm. Please contact the S.A.L. or Auxiliary for their meeting times. Any member in good standing can attend any meeting held at the Post.

Town of Henrietta's 4th of July Celebration

The Town will hold the Annual Crafts and Garage Sale at the Henrietta Senior Center from 9am to 2pm. The celebration will continue at the Veteran's Memorial Park beginning at 4pm with live bands, children's games, activities and food vendors. The Annual Fireworks Display will begin promptly at 9:40 pm, rain or shine!

The American Revolution was a beginning, not a consummation. ~Woodrow Wilson

Fourth of July Family Get Together

There will be a “Bring your own meat, beverage, and a dish to pass” get together at the Legion pavilion beginning around 5 pm on July 4th. We will have a meal with friends and then watch the town fireworks display from the Legion yard. If you are interested in attending, contact the Post and have your name added to the list.

Post Sponsors Red Cross Blood Drive July 6

The Post is sponsoring a Red Cross Blood Drive on July 6, 2017. Our goal is 50 units. Please come. Let’s show what we can do. For more information, or to sign up, contact Ralph Litzenberger at 585-750-1854.

11th Annual American Legion/Town of Henrietta Youth Fishing Derby

This year’s Derby will be held rain or shine on Saturday, August 5th from 7:00 am to 10:30 am at Martin Road Park. All youths aged 4 to 14 years are invited to participate. The Derby and lunch are free but participants must bring their own pole & bait. Call the Henrietta Recreation Department at 585-359-2540 for more information and to register! To volunteer to help please contact Ray McCormick at 585-764-9548.

Devil’s Bar News

Devil’s Bar Closed on July 4th

The Devil’s Bar will be closed on July 4th so our volunteers can enjoy the holiday with their family and friends.

Karaoke with Paulie is scheduled for Saturday, July 1st and Saturday July 29th, both days starting at 8 pm. There will be drink specials and free popcorn. We now have Genny Light on tap for \$1.50 a glass, \$2.50 half-pitcher, and \$5.00 for a pitcher.

The grill is currently open and serving wings, burgers, hotdogs, fries & pizza on Thursdays from 5 to 7 pm. Prices are very reasonable. We have a euchre tournament every Tuesday at 6:30 pm and everyone is welcome! We have a **dart board** and a 8 foot **pool table** just waiting for someone to play. The weather is getting warm and we have two **horseshoe pits** just begging to be used. Have a **birthday drink on the Post!** Just show proof it is your birthday & your favorite drink is on the house. Bring your friends with you to help celebrate!

Cooks & Kitchen Help Needed

We need cooks & kitchen help for the Sunday Breakfast, Tuesday night dinner and the Friday fish fry – no experience necessary, we will train you. You don’t have to help with every meal, just help. If you’re interested, contact Ray Torres or Kevin Hermey.

Food Shelf Support

We have an ongoing drive collecting canned goods for the food shelf. If you have canned goods that you wish to donate, please bring it to the post collection box, leave it on the kitchen porch, or call us at 585-334-8228 and we’ll pick it up.

Hall Rentals

Our Hall is available to rent from 8 am to 10 pm daily. Cost is \$175.00 with a \$100.00 security deposit. The cost does not include use of the kitchen. A contract is required and other conditions may apply. For more information contact Al Purdy.

Fish Fry Every Friday!

Join us for a fish fry every Friday from 4 pm to 7 pm, serving battered, breaded or baked 12 – 14 ounce haddock filets, shrimp, scallops, clams and a limited landlubber’s menu. Meet friends for dinner or make friends at dinner. Call 585-334-8228 and we will have it ready when you get here. We deliver for orders of \$25 or more.

Summer Sunday Breakfast Buffet

We will have a Breakfast Buffet on Sunday, July 9th, from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. The menu includes regular or western style scrambled eggs, bacon, sausage, home fries, pancakes, French toast, sausage gravy and biscuits, fruit, juice and coffee & tea. Cost is \$8.00 per diner, Children 5 & under free. Have a good meal, let us do the cooking and cleaning. Meet old friends and make new friends.

Hamburger Night

The kitchen will be open Tuesday, July 18 from 5 pm to 7 pm, serving hamburgers & hotdogs with French fries from the window. No table service. Get your choice of grilled hamburger or grilled hot dog with French fries for \$5.00.

Monroe County Legion Baseball Schedule

We sponsor our own baseball team. Every year they put on their uniforms and go out on the field to win games and put Ely-Fagan at the top of the list. When was the last time you took your children/grandchildren to a ball game? Why not check one out? Support our team!

Date/Time:	Visitor/Home:	Location:
02 Jul/11:00	Ely-Fagan/Wayland	Roth Middle
02 Jul/1:00	Wayland/Ely-Fagan	Roth Middle
05 Jul/6:00	Ely-Fagan/Irondequoit	Irondequoit HS
07 Jul/6:00	Doud/Ely-Fagan	Roth Middle
09 Jul/10:00	Ely-Fagan/Ferris Goodrich	Roth Middle
09 Jul/12:00	Ferris Goodrich/Ely-Fagan	Roth Middle

July 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25	26	27 6:30 PM Euchre	28 Weekly Drawing	29 TOPS 5-7p Grill Open	30 Fish Fry Friday! 7pm Queen of Hearts	1 Karaoke
2	3	4  Independence Day	5 Weekly Drawing 7pm Exec Mtg	6 TOPS 5-7p Grill Open	7 Fish Fry Friday! 7pm Queen of Hearts	8
9 9-12p Buffet Breakfast	10	11 6:30 PM Euchre	12 Weekly Drawing	13 TOPS 5-7p Grill Open	14 Fish Fry Friday! 7pm Queen of Hearts	15
16	17	18 6:30 PM Euchre Grill Open 5-7p	19 Weekly Drawing	20 TOPS 5-7p Grill Open	21 Fish Fry Friday! 7pm Queen of Hearts	22
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Outback Steak House

Mama G's Italian Restaurant

Cerame's Italian Villa

Fireside Grill & Sports Bar

MacGregor's Grill & Tap Room

Young and Co, CPA's LLP

Suburban Animal Hospital

Perri's Pizzeria

Cortese Lincoln

Tony Pepperoni

Declan Casey Entertainment

Macaroni Grill

Olive Garden

Buffalo Wild Wings

Tim Hortons

Bill Gray's

Home Depot

Wegmans

The Appliance Store

Key Bank

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The Appliance Store