July 2023 Post Newsletter

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Commander's Stuff By Bruce Harken

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Another month has gone by! Going faster than I can mentally keep up with! June saw the installation of Post officers and the delivery of pizza to the Residential Care Facility (RCF) at Hines. Many thanks to past National Commander George Kramer for being our installing officer.

July will be busy as we have gotten word that we can return to the RCF for our monthly bingo games. Our first bingo game is scheduled for 1 p.m. Thursday, July 13, at the RCF, located in building 221 at Hines VA Hospital. We also will be delivering pizza to the RCF on Thursday, July 6, and Thursday, July 20, at 11:45 a.m. each day.

Have a great 4th of July and be safe!

Quartermaster Report

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Statement of funds as of 6/13/23

Post General Fund \$4,846.10 Post Relief Fund 11,958.78 TOTAL: \$10,570.57

Save the Dates

July 11th – 7:30 p.m. **Post Regular** meeting
June 14th – deadline for August newsletter
Aug. 8th – 7:30 p.m. **Post Regular** meeting

4th of July Fun

Looking for inspiration for your 4th of July gathering? Check out these ideas from Better Homes & Gardens.

- Set the table with a blue tablecloth and pair with red-andwhite gingham napkins.
- DIY an outdoor tic-tac-toe by cutting a 20-inch square from a painter's drop cloth; turn back the edges and press with an iron. Use duct tape to finish the edges and mark squares.
- Dress up drinks with cherrylaced ice cubes and faux fireworks. Roll red scrapbooking paper around a wooden skewer, adhere with double-stick tape. Use scissors to cut festive fringe.