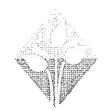
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May/June, 1999

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Charles W. Popino, Nov. 11, 1998

May He Rest in Leace

Membership Report

Our membership goal for 1999 is 372 members. As of the end of April we have 361 renewals, or 97% of our goal. We need only 11 renewals/new members to achieve our goal. If you haven't sent in your 1999 renewal notice, please do so now. We have until May 30th to attain our goal.

The Post welcomes new member Rick Mastropolo. Welcome Aboard, Rick.

The Commander's Message

On Sunday, March 21st, we held our second annual Essay Contest for Sixth Grade Students at the Post. Our Hall was packed with guests and legionnaires to watch the competition. This year's winner was Raja Swaidan from IS2 Egbert Intermediate School. For further information about the contest, please read the article in this issue of the newsletter. On behalf of the Post, I want to personally thank Essay Contest Chairman Eli Arout for putting this contest together. I also want to thank Post member John Crowley who served as a judge in the contest for State Senator Vincent Gentile, who arrived late.

Please remember that we have two very important dates coming up. First, the election of Post Officers for next year will be held on Friday, May 28th. Second, our Board of Directors election will take place on Friday, June 25th. I urge all members to attend both elections and vote for the candidates of your choice.

I would also like to announce that our sidewalk has been repaired and we are in the process of repairing the chairs in the Hall.

Believe it or not, this is my last message as your Commander. My term will expire on the night of May 28th, when a new Commander will be elected. My year as Commander of the Kells-Grennie Post was a truly rewarding experience. I want to thank each and every member of this Post who supported me and my officers during this past year. It was a great year and I thank you again for the opportunity to serve.

Yours for the Legion,

Thomas Simonetti

Post Commander

(Editor's Note: A special thank you to Michael Ranieri, of the Sons of the American Legion, for helping me with this issue of the newletter)



Highlights of the "Minutes of the Meeting"

March 12 Post Treasurer Frank Gissi announced tonight that he is resigning his position as Treasurer. Frank's decision is based on the fact that he wants to spend more time in Florida. Until the next Post election, to be held in May, Emery Chagnon will serve as interim Post Treasurer.

Honor Guard Captain Richard Reichart announced that the Post Honor Guard did not march in this year's Staten Island St. Patrick's Day Parade, due to the inclement weather. He also announced that member John Crowley has recently joined the Post Honor Guard.

Adjutant Eli Arout announced that the Con Thien Memorial Post #1945 will hold its 10th Anniversary party on Thursday, May 27th, at the Arthur Kill Correctional Center. All Post members are invited to attend.

A motion was made and passed to purchase a microphone and speakers for use at Post meetings and activities.

Michael Ranieri, Vice Commander of the Sons of the American Legion, Squadron #316, invited all sons and grandsons of legionnaires to their next membership meeting to be held at the Post on Wednesday, March 24th. This invitation is part of their recruitment drive to bring new members into the Squadron.

The Post welcomed back member Bob Helburn who was recently in the hospital. Member Andrew Procopio is also out of the hospital and is recuperating at home. We look forward to seeing Andy again, soon,

The winner of the 50/50 drawing was Maury Grosso. *Again!* Congratulations, Maury.

March 26 The motion from the meeting of February 26th (to increase the membership dues) was discussed and voted on tonight. Beginning with membership year 2000, the new annual membership dues will be increased \$3.00 per member, for a total of \$23.00 per year.

On Monday night, March 29th at 7:30pm a veterans rally will be held at IS 24 Barnes Intermediate School to support the renaming of Great Kills Park to the World War II Veterans Park. Congressman Vito Fosella encourages all veterans to attend.

The winner of the 50/50 drawing was Hank Chagnon. Congratulations, Hank.

April 9 At tonight's meeting the members of the Post held an election to determine which 5 members would serve on this year's Nominating Committee. The purpose of this committee is to seek out and recommend a slate of candidates for next month's Post Election of Officers. The top 5 vote getters (out of 8 candidates) were: Dennis J. Conroy (Chairman), Jerry Quinn, Sal Fulcinelli, Charles Tantillo and Vincent Zangari. At the next Post meeting on April 23, the Nominating Committee will reveal their recommended list of candidates.

The Post also approved a motion to purchase a table (\$150.00) for this year's annual Children and Youth breakfast to be held on Sunday, April 25 at 8:30am at Li Greci's Staaten restaurant.

Once again the Post has approved funding to participate in this year's American Legion Boys State program. Our Boys State Chairman, Frank Triolo has chosen Steven Marchi, a senior at Monsignor Farrell High School to represent our Post at this year's convention in Upstate New York.

Post member John Crowley is asking all members of the Post to fly the American flag everyday to show our support for the three American soldiers who are being held as prisoners of war in Serbia.

April 23 Post member Leo Milham made a motion that the Post sponsor two children @ \$35.00 each, for this year's Staten Island Special Olympics. Post member Dennis J. Conroy also made a motion that the Post sponsor two Navy teams (bowling and softball) for this year's Fleet Week festivities. (See inserts for more information on Armed Forces Day and Fleet Week festivities and activities in this newsletter.) Both motions were passed unanimously.

Nominating Committee Chairman Dennis J. Conroy (after conferring with his committee) announced that the slate of officers approved by the committee for this year's elections are as follows: For Commander - Pat Miserendino; for Vice-Commanders - Andy Procopio, Gene Ramirez and John Crowley; and for Treasurer - Emery Chagnon. Remember that any member in good standing can run for office from the floor. You do not need to be recommended by the Nominating Committee. The election for next year's officers will be held on Friday, May 28th, at 8:30pm at the Post. All members are invited to attend to vote for the candidates of your choice.

The winner of the 50/50 drawing was Einar Thulin. Congratulations, Einar.

*** IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS ***

This year's Post Election of Officers will be held on Friday, May 28th, at 8:30pm at the Post. The Nominating Committee has recommended the following slate of candidates for the term 1999-2000:

For Commander	Pat Miserendino
For Vice-Commander	Andy Procopio
For Vice-Commander	Gene Ramirez
For Vice-Commander	John Crowley
For Treasurer	Emery Chagnon

We cordially invite all Post members to participate in this year's elections. Come on down and VOTE.

This year's Election for the Board of Directors will take place on Friday, June 25th, at 8:30pm at the Post. The Board of Directors has twelve members. Ten members are elected annually and two members (the current Post Commander and Post Treasurer) are automatically appointed.

The current Board members who are running for re-election, are as follows: President - Richard Reichart; Vice-President- Sal Fulicinelli; Vice-President- Gene Ramirez Secretary-Ferdinand Salvatore; Treasurer-Paul Zalesak Board members: Jerry Quinn, Frank Triolo, Rober Knapp, Dennis J. Conroy and Elias Arout.

Any member in good standing can run for a board seat or challenge any officer's position.

Raja Swaidan Wins This Year's **Essay Contest**

On Sunday, March 21st, the Post held it's second annual Essay Contest for Sixth Grade Students. Over eighty guests: parents, relatives, teachers and legionnaires were in attendance. The program began with the placement of the flags by our Honor Guard, members Bob Knapp and Sal Fulcinelli. Adjutant (and Essay Contest Chairman) Eli Arout then led the audience in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by an opening prayer by Chaplain Gene Ramirez. Commander Tom Simonetti gave the opening remarks before the contest began. The eight contestants then read their essays aloud before our three judges: Mrs. Terry Clemente and Mr. Joseph Cogan, (retired school teachers), and Post Member Mr. John Crowley.

After conferring with each other, the judges chose Raja Swaidan, a student at IS2 Egbert Intermediate School, as this year's 1st place winner. Raja received a \$250.00 U.S. savings bond as his prize. The second place winner was Marianna Galofaro, a student at St. Christopher's Parochial School. She was awarded a \$100.00 U.S. savings bond for her efforts. Honorable mention (each receiving a \$50.00 U.S. savings bond) was awarded to the remaining contestants: Elizabeth Wrubel and Susan Sheehan from Our Lady Queen of Peace Parochial School; Amanda Gough and Nicholas Lezoli from St. Charles Parochial School: William Marshall from IS 2 and Ashley Delzoppa from St. Chistopher's Parochial School. In addition, all of the contestants were given a Certificate of Participation from Commander Tom Simonetti.

The Post would like to thank all the legionnaires who gave their time and effort in planning and coordinating this year's essay contest. Special thanks goes to Post member John Crowley who filled in as a judge for the Honorable State Senator Vincent Gentile who arrived late.

BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

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*With 2+ years membership with our Post.

Have You Heard?

Our Post now has a very active Sons of the American Legion Squadron. For membership year 1998 they had just over 50 members (and their looking for more recruits.) Membership in the Sons of the American Legion is open to all male descendants, adopted sons and stepsons of members of The American Legion, and such male descendants of veterans who died in service during wartime, shall be eligible for membership. There is no age limit. Interested? Just call Michael Ranieri at (718) 980-0705 for more information.

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As you are receiving the e-mail, it's wise to remember how easily this wonderful technology can be misused, sometimes unintentionally, with serious consequences.

Consider the case of the Illinois man who left the snow-filled streets of Chicago for a vacation in Florida. His wife was on a business trip and was planning to meet him there the next day. When he reached his hotel, he decided to send his wife a quick e-mail. Unable to find a scrap of paper on which he had written her e-mail address, he did his best to type it from memory. Unfortunately, he missed one letter and his note was directed instead to an elderly preacher's wife, whose husband had passed away only the day before. When the grieving widow clicked her e-mail, she took one look at the monitor, let out a scream, and fell to the floor in a dead faint. At the sound, her family rushed into the room and saw this note on the screen:

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- >> JUST GOT CHECKED IN. EVERYTHING
- >> PREPARED FOR YOUR ARRIVAL TOMORROW.
- >> P.S. SURE IS HOT DOWN HERE

Top 10 Amish Spring Break Activities

- 10. Drink molasses 'till you heave.
- Wet bonnet contest.
- 8. Stuff as many guys as you can into a buggy.
- Buttermilk Kegger.
- Blow past the Dairy Queen on a really cool Clydesdale.
- 5. Get a tattoo "Born to Raise Barns"
- Cruise the streets of Ft. Lauderdale shouting insults at people with zippers.
- 3. Sleep in until 5:00am.
- Drive over to Mennonite county and kick some butt.
- 1. Churning butter naked.

BRAVEHEART

Two Scottish nuns have just arrived in the USA by boat and one says to the other. "I hear that the people of this country actually eat dogs. "Odd," her companion replies, "but if we shall live in America, we might as well do as the Americans do." Nodding emphatically, the mother superior points to a hot dog vendor and they both walk towards the cart. "Two dogs. please." says one. The vendor is only too pleased to oblige and he wraps both hot dogs in foil and hands them over the counter. Excited, the nuns hurry over to a bench and begin to unwrap their "dogs." The mother superior is first to open hers. She begins to blush and then, staring at it for a moment, leans over to the other nun and whispers cautiously, "What part did you get?"

Minutes of the

Board of Directors Meeting

On Monday evening, April 26th, the Board of Directors held their quarterly meeting in the lounge. Corporation Treasurer Paul Zalesak handed out his second-quarter report to the board members. After reviewing the results of the second-quarter financials, the board approved his report unanimously.

President Richard Reichart announced that we have two new members on the Party Committee: Emery Chagnon and Sal Fulicinelli. Richard said that since they are new to the committee, they will receive on-the-job-training by serving as back-up replacements to the current members. When their training is complete, they will become full fledged members of the committee. Party Chairman Gene Ramirez will insert their names, on a rotation basis as backups, to all future parties beginning with his May monthly planner.

Secretary Ferdinand Salvatore requested that all managers give monthly, rather then quarterly, financial reports for easier accountability. His request will be given consideration by the board.

The new Board of Directors (to be elected on the evening of June 25th), will hold the next quarterly meeting sometime during the month of July.

Armed Forces Day and Fleet Week Festivities

On Tuesday, May 25th, the USS Doyle (FFG-39), a Oliver Hazard Perry class frigate and the USNS Bob Hope (T-AKR 300), the first Bob Hope class military sealift vessel, will arrive at the USS The Sullivans pier in Clifton, to participate in this year's Armed Forces Day and Fleet Week festivities. All veterans can arrange for private tours (up to 25 people) of these ships by calling (718) 727-0225.

The USNS Bob Hope will also be conducting a Sunset Parade on Sunday evening, May 30th at 5:00pm, on the USS The Sullivans pier. The parade will consist of contingents from all branches of the armed forces, as well as ROTC and junior ROTC programs. There will also be a Fly-By over the pier by a squadron of Navy jet fighters. For free tickets (two tickets per caller) to this "by invitation only" event, call Kathy O'Donnell at (718) 351-8523.

For other news pertaining to all other Armed Forces Day and Fleet Week festivities, please see the enclosed fliers in this issue of the newsletter.

Calendar of Events

May

8th, Saturday

9th, Sunday

14th, Friday

15th, Saturday 16th, Sunday

21st, Friday

26th, Wednesday 28th, Friday

31st, Monday

- VE Day. German Unconditional Surrender (1945).

- Mother's Day. *

- Membership meeting, 8:30pm at the Post. - Armed Forces Day. *

- Armed Forces Day celebration at the College of Staten Island, 1:00pm. - County Meeting, 7:30pm, to be held at the Armory on Manor Road.

- Sons of the American Legion, Membership meeting, 8:00pm at the Post.

- Memorial Day (observed), *

June

6th, Sunday

- D Day: Allied Invasion of Europe (1944).

11th, Friday 14th, Monday

- Membership meeting, 8:30pm at the Post. - Flag Day *

18th, Friday 20th, Sunday - County Meeting, 7:30pm, to be held at - to be determined.

- Father's Day

23rd, Wednesday 25th, Friday

- Sons of the American Legion, Membership meeting, 8:00pm at the Post. - Membership meeting, 8:30pm at the Post. Board of Directors Election.



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MICHAEL J. HANDY Director Office of Veterans' Affairs

Dear Veterans & Friends:

What follows is a quick update on the Military and Veteran related events on the horizon:

MAY 15TH & 16TH: ARMED FORCES DAY - STATEN ISLAND - The Department of Defense has designated the Borough of Staten Island and the college of Staten Island as official hosts for Armed Forces Day '99:

 MAY 15TH: 9AM: Ecumenical Service 11AM:Great Kills Memorial Parade 3PM: Department of Defense Town Meeting. For details call Lee Covino (718) 816-2034.

MAY 16th: 369th VETERANS ASSOCIATION MEMORIAL PARADE - The 369th will conduct its annual parade up 5th Avenue. For information call (212) 281-3308.

MAY 26TH THRU JUNE 1ST: FLEET WEEK 1999 - 14 Naval Vessels; 2 visiting from Canada and Great Britain (see attached).

MAY 28TH: WWI, VFW MEMORIAL REDEDICATION - NY VETERAN AFFAIRS MEDICAL CENTER @ 23RD Street. The VFW monument once occupied space at Union Square; the VAMC will relocate this monument to the medical center grounds.

MEMORIAL DAY 1999:

- MAY 30TH: Forest Hills Memorial Day Parade, Noon, (718-835-5825)
- MASPETH MEMORIAL DAY PARADE, 1pm, (718-651-7888)
- GLENDALE MEMORIAL DAY PARADE, 1pm (718-386-2446)
- COLLEGE POINT MEMORIAL DAY PARADE2pm (718-939-3393)

MAY 31ST: MEMORIAL DAY

- INTREPID MUSEUM MEMORIAL DAY COMMEMORATION (212-757-3700)
- KINGS COUNTY MEMORIAL DAY PARADE, 9am (718-802-3960)
- LITTLE NECK/DOUGLASTON MEMORIAL PARADE, 2pm (718-343-8491)
- CITY ISLAND MEMORIAL PARADE, 2pm (718-885-1139)
- STATEN ISLAND MEMORIAL PARADE, (718-351-6600)

JUNE 13TH: NYC ANNUAL PUERTO RICAN DAY PARADE - Dedicated to the 65th Infantry Division of the Korean War. Noon, 5th Avenue

JULY 4TH: RE-DEDICATION OF THE TIMES SQUARE RECRUITING STATION MASSING OF THE COLORS: Join Secretary of Defense William Cohen, Mayor Giuliani, General Officers, bands and drill teams in Times Square @ 43rd Street. 10AM (see attached).

PLEASE NOTE:

- It is with great sorrow that I announce the passing of Gary Schiller (Jewish War Veterans, Military Order of the Purple Heart, American legion); and John Morohan of the American Legion. We will miss them both.
- Those of you who Surf the Net: Be on the lookout for a group called "Help Us Vets" they've been soliciting donations on behalf of homeless vets---nobody knows who they are, and their "goals" are shaky---

Singerely, Sindy

FLEET WEEK '99

Fleet Week is an annual celebration hosted by the Intrepid Museum Foundation. Each year vessels of the US Navy and US Coast Guard, and vessels from foreign nations, sail into New York Harbor for a week's stay. The vessels' crews and area military personnel enjoy liberty in the City, and are offered complimentary crew parties, athletic tournaments and other activities at the Intrepid Museum. The 12th Anniversary Fleet Week pays tribute to the brave men and women who serve in today's armed forces. 10,000 military personnel will visit New York during Fleet Week. Fleet Week '99 will specifically honor members of minorities who have served in the Armed Forces throughout our nation's history.

FLEET WEEK PARTICIPATING COMMANDS

All Fleet Week vessels will be moored in the vicinity of the Intrepid Sea Air Space Museum Unless otherwise noted

United States Navy:

Commands: Naval Region Northeast, RADM John B. Padgett III, Commander

Amphibious Group 2, RADM William G. Sutton, Commander

Vessels:

USS Wasp (LHD-1), Amphibious Assault Ship

USS San Jacinto (CG-56), Ticonderoga class cruiser USS Cole (DDG-67), Arleigh Burke class destroyer

USS Briscoe (DD-977), Spruance class destroyer

USS Simpson (FFG-56), Oliver Hazard Perry class frigate

USS Samuel Eliot Morison (FFG-13), Oliver Hazard Perry class frigate

USS Doyle (FFG-39), Oliver Hazard Perry class frigate

To be moored at Staten Island

USNS Bob Hope (T-AKR 300), First Bob Hope class military sealift vessel

To be moored at Staten Island

United States Coast Guard:

Command: U.S.C.G. Activities New York, Capt. R.E. Bennis, Commander

Vessels:

USCGC Legare (WMEC-912), 270-foot medium endurance cutter

USCGC Adak (WPZ-1333), 110-foot patrol boat USCGC Sturgeon Bay (WTGB-109), Ice-breaking tug

USCGC Juniper (WLB-601), Seagoing buoy tender

United States Marine Corps:

Command: US Marine Forces Atlantic, LGEN Peter Pace, Commander; MGEN Ronald G.

Richard, Deputy Commander

Special Marine Air Ground Task Force, LCOL Chad Kirkley, Commander

United States Army:

Commands: 77th Regional Support Center, Ft. Totten, MGEN William J. Collins, Jr., Commander

Army Corps of Engineers, North Atlantic Division, MGEN Jerry Sinn, Commander New York Army National Guard, BGEN Michael R. VanPatten, Commander Army Corps of Engineers New York District, COL William H. Pearce, Commander

Ft. Hamilton Military Community, LCOL Francis D. Cleppers Jr., Commander

United States Air Force:

Command: McGuire Air Force Base, N.J., MGEN John B. Becker, Commander

Royal Navy, Great Britain:

Vessel: HMS Edinburgh (D-97), Destroyer

Royal Canadian Navy, Canada:

Vessel: HMCS Montreal (FFH-336), Halifax class frigate

FLEET WEEK '99 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

THE PARADE OF SHIPS

Wednesday, May 26, 11:00am: Viewing along the Hudson All participating vessels proceed up the Hudson River amid water displays by fireboats and flybys of formations of military aircraft. The Fleet Week aircraft carrier flagship will conclude the Parade. A special ceremony at the Intrepid Museum will honor minority men and women who have proudly served in defense of America.

THE FLEET WEEK GALA

Thursday, May 27, 6:30pm, Intrepid Museum, West 46th St. at the Hudson River

Members of the participating ships' crews and families, and supporters of the Intrepid Sea Air Space Museum and Fleet Week, gather for a formal dinner aboard the aircraft carrier *Intrepid* in New York City.

TICKETS MUST BE PURCHASED IN ADVANCE. PLEASE CALL 212.957.7020 FOR INFORMATION.

BEST CHOW CONTEST

May 30, 1:30pm, Intrepid Museum

Cooking teams from each command participating in Fleet Week gather in a competition to see who provides the troops with the best chow. Chefs from 5-star restaurants judge entries and the winning team enjoys an evening of fine dining in New York.

MEMORIAL DAY COMMEMORATION SERVICE

Monday, May 31, 11:00am, Intrepid Museum

A memorial service dedicated to those who have lost their lives in defense of our nation. The service will include the unfurling of a 100-foot United States flag by all attending veterans.

MILITARY DEMONSTRATIONS

May 29-31, 12:00pm and 3:00pm, Intrepid Museum

US military search and rescue and special operations demonstrations will be shown at the Intrepid Museum for visitors. The demonstrations will give the public a view of some of the specialized skills of our Armed Forces personnel.

ARM WRESTLING, May 27 and TUG OF WAR, May 29 11:00am, Intrepid Museum

Teams from participating military commands compete in these grueling sports contest to determine which unit is the strongest.

VISITING VESSEL TOURS

May 27 - June 1, 1:00pm - 4:00pm, Intrepid Museum Visiting vessels are open for public visitation. Final tour admissions are at 4:00 pm.

The Intrepid Museum Foundation and the U.S. Armed Forces thank the following supporters of Fleet Week

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