



# ***THE POST*** newsletter

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STEWARTVILLE AMERICAN LEGION POST 164

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## **Upcoming Events in January**

|            |                      |        |
|------------|----------------------|--------|
| January 1  | New Years Day Buffet | Noon   |
| January 2  | VFW Meeting          | 7pm    |
| January 8  | Legion Board Meeting | 7pm    |
| January 15 | Auxiliary Meeting    | 6:30pm |
| January 15 | SAL Meeting          | 6:30pm |
| January 15 | Legion Meeting       | 7:30pm |

## **Legion Commanders Message**

I ask where has this year gone? It brings to mind that a lot of members have not paid their dues for this year. Please get those in to avoid having to be called. We appreciate and need to keep our members up. Everything helps with strong membership to make sure nationwide that we continue programs for the veterans who gave so much and continue to do so.

I hope everyone enjoys the holidays with family and friends.

Again, I close with thank you for the privilege to serve as your commander.  
Ron

## **SAL Commanders Message**

Hello Legion Family!

Another year begins and with that, many new beginnings. Let's all be healthy, happy, and positive. We have the Eagles Cancer telethon this month. I will be joining with many of our leaders to present our check to the Eagles. A reminder to all you see to get current with our dues and seek new members when the opportunity presents itself.

Happy New Year to All! Commander Todd.

# January 2024

## American Legion Post 164 Calendar

| Sun   | Mon   | Tue  | Wed   | Thu   | Fri  | Sat  |
|---|---|--|---|---|--|--|
|   | <b>1</b><br><b><u>New Years</u></b><br><b><u>Day Buffet</u></b><br><b><u>Noon</u></b><br><b>NO Burgers</b>                                    | <b>2</b><br><b><u>VFW Mtg 7pm</u></b><br>Ladies Day<br>\$3 Margaritas<br><b>Tacos</b><br><b>5:30-7pm</b> | <b>3</b><br><b>Bingo 7pm</b><br><b>Meal Served</b><br><b>5:30pm</b><br><b>Bar Menu</b><br><b>6pm</b>  | <b>4</b><br><b>Men's Day</b><br>\$14 Domestic<br>Buckets  | <b>5</b><br><b>Bar Menu</b><br><b>5:30pm</b><br><b>Meat Raffle</b><br><b>6pm</b><br><b>\$1 off lg pizza</b>  | <b>6</b><br><b>Open Noon</b><br>Happy Hour<br>Noon-5pm<br>\$3 Domestic<br>20oz taps  |
| <b>7</b><br>Open noon<br>Happy Hour<br>All Day<br>\$14 Domestic<br>Buckets  | <b>8</b><br><b><u>Legion Board</u></b><br><b><u>7pm</u></b><br><b>Burger Nite</b><br><b>5:30-7pm</b>  | <b>9</b><br>Ladies Day<br>\$3 Margaritas<br><b>Tacos</b><br><b>5:30-7pm</b>                              | <b>10</b><br><b>Bingo 7pm</b><br><b>Meal Served</b><br><b>5:30pm</b><br><b>Bar Menu</b><br><b>6pm</b> | <b>11</b><br><b>Men's Day</b><br>\$14 Domestic<br>Buckets | <b>12</b><br><b>Bar Menu</b><br><b>5:30pm</b><br><b>Meat Raffle</b><br><b>6pm</b><br><b>\$1 off lg pizza</b> | <b>13</b><br><b>Open Noon</b><br>Happy Hour<br>Noon-5pm<br>\$3 Domestic<br>20oz taps |
| <b>14</b><br>Open noon<br>Happy Hour<br>All Day<br>\$14 Domestic<br>Buckets | <b>15</b><br><b><u>AuxMtg 6:30</u></b><br><b><u>SAL Mtg 6:30</u></b><br><b><u>LegionMtg 7:30</u></b><br><b>Burger Nite</b><br><b>5:30-7pm</b> | <b>16</b><br>Ladies Day<br>\$3 Margaritas<br><b>Tacos</b><br><b>5:30-7pm</b>                             | <b>17</b><br><b>Bingo 7pm</b><br><b>Meal Served</b><br><b>5:30pm</b><br><b>Bar Menu</b><br><b>6pm</b> | <b>18</b><br><b>Men's Day</b><br>\$14 Domestic<br>Buckets | <b>19</b><br><b>Bar Menu</b><br><b>5:30pm</b><br><b>Meat Raffle</b><br><b>6pm</b><br><b>\$1 off lg pizza</b> | <b>20</b><br><b>Open Noon</b><br>Happy Hour<br>Noon-5pm<br>\$3 Domestic<br>20oz taps |
| <b>21</b><br>Open noon<br>Happy Hour<br>All Day<br>\$14 Domestic<br>Buckets | <b>22</b><br><b>Burger Nite</b><br><b>5:30-7pm</b>  | <b>23</b><br>Ladies Day<br>\$3 Margaritas<br><b>Tacos</b><br><b>5:30-7pm</b>                             | <b>24</b><br><b>Bingo 7pm</b><br><b>Meal Served</b><br><b>5:30pm</b><br><b>Bar Menu</b><br><b>6pm</b> | <b>25</b><br><b>Men's Day</b><br>\$14 Domestic<br>Buckets | <b>26</b><br><b>Bar Menu</b><br><b>5:30pm</b><br><b>Meat Raffle</b><br><b>6pm</b><br><b>\$1 off lg pizza</b> | <b>27</b><br><b>Open Noon</b><br>Happy Hour<br>Noon-5pm<br>\$3 Domestic<br>20oz taps |
| <b>28</b><br>Open noon<br>Happy Hour<br>All Day<br>\$14 Domestic<br>Buckets | <b>29</b><br><b>Burger Nite</b><br><b>5:30-7pm</b>  | <b>30</b><br>Ladies Day<br>\$3 Margaritas<br><b>Tacos</b><br><b>5:30-7pm</b>                             | <b>31</b><br><b>Bingo 7pm</b><br><b>Meal Served</b><br><b>5:30pm</b><br><b>Bar Menu</b><br><b>6pm</b> |   |  |  |

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**Auxiliary President Message**

Happy New Year! I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas with family and friends!  
Thank you to everyone who brought non-perishable items in, to support the Food Shelves here in Stewartville and in Racine. There are many families here in our community that are in need.

Christmas Cards were delivered to the Care Center for our veterans residing there, and cookies were taken for the residents and caregivers! It was greatly appreciated by the staff, for the recognition of the hard work they do for the residents

Thank you to Bridget Bubendorf for organizing the Winterfest Bazaar. A great success for the vendors and our unit!

Thank you to all that joined our Annual Christmas Potluck, it was a great time visiting with our American Legion Family. Please consider joining us next year!

Several of us toured the new Preston's Veterans Home, what a beautiful place for our veterans! If you get the opportunity to visit, please do. You will be impressed.

1st District Mid-Winter -Saturday, January 6<sup>th</sup> in LeRoy at 10am for those interested.

Next Meeting – Monday, January 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm.

Thank you for your ongoing support of our Unit, Veterans and Community!  
All the Best in 2024!

Wanda Prescher, Unit 164 President

**Lisa's Fun Facts**

- ◆ One in seven workers in Boston, Mass walks to work.
- ◆ Gary, Indiana is the murder capital of the US, probably of the world.
- ◆ We have 2 new high tops and 2 new low tables in the bar. Thank you Dean Ramaker and Bob Riggot for making that happen.
- ◆ Alabama was the 1st state to recognize Christmas as an official holiday.
- ◆ The official beverage of Ohio is tomato juice