



# ***THE POST*** newsletter

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STEWARTVILLE AMERICAN LEGION POST 164

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## **Upcoming Events in August**

August 5	VFW Meeting	7pm
August 12	Legion Board Meeting	7pm
August 15	Life Line Screening	9am
August 19	NO Auxiliary Meeting	
August 19	SAL Meeting	6:30pm
August 19	Legion Meeting	7:30pm
August 26	Legion Riders Meeting	7pm

## **Commanders Message**

Hello all. They say that into every life, a little rain must fall. But this is ridiculous. Anyway, there was no meeting in July as we took a month off. Our next meeting will be the 19th of August. The annual Legion golf tournament will be held on August 17th. We play at Oak Summit and it is a 4 person best shot format. Sign up at the Legion. Also Dean Ramaker is looking for marchers for the Chatfield Western Days parade on August 10th. And we will be doing Honor Guard for the Stewartville football games. Sign up at the Legion. The 1st District picnic is on August 17th in Kasson and is open for anyone to attend. Wow we are busy. Hope to see everyone at the Legion for some down time.

Best Wishes,

Thom Blade, Commander

# August 2019

## American Legion Post 164 Calendar

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 Men's Day \$10 Domestic Buckets	2 Meat Raffle 6pm \$1 off large pizza	3 Happy Hour 12-5 pm \$2 Michelob Golden Light Tap
4 Happy Hour All Day \$10 Buckets	5 VFW Mtg 7pm Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	6 Ladies Day Happy Hour All Day! Taco Tuesday 5:30-7:00 Margaritas \$2.50	7 Bingo 7pm Bar menu 6pm	8 Men's Day \$10 Domestic Buckets	9 Hosting Car Show 5pm Food Outside Meat Raffle 6pm	10 Happy Hour 12-5 pm \$2 Michelob Golden Light Tap
11 Happy Hour All Day \$10 Buckets	12 Legion Board 7pm Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	13 Ladies Day Happy Hour All Day! Taco Tuesday 5:30-7:00 Margaritas \$2.50	14 NO BINGO \$1 Off Large Heggies Pizza	15 Life Line Men's Day \$10 Domestic Buckets	16 Meat Raffle 6pm \$1 off large pizza	17 GOLF TOURNAMENT
18 Happy Hour All Day \$10 Buckets	19 NO Aux Mtg SAL Mtg 6:30 Legion Mtg 7:30 Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	20 Ladies Day Happy Hour All Day! Taco Tuesday 5:30-7:00 Margaritas \$2.50	21 Bingo 7pm Bar menu 6pm	22 Men's Day \$10 Domestic Buckets	23 Hosting Car Show 5pm Food Outside Meat Raffle 6pm	24 Happy Hour 12-5 pm \$2 Michelob Golden Light Tap
25 Happy Hour All Day \$10 Buckets	26 Legion Riders 7pm Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	27 Ladies Day Happy Hour All Day! Taco Tuesday 5:30-7:00 Margaritas \$2.50	28 NO BINGO \$1 Off Large Heggies Pizza	29 Men's Day \$10 Domestic Buckets	30 Meat Raffle 6pm \$1 off large pizza	31 Happy Hour 12-5 pm \$2 Michelob Golden Light Tap

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### **Auxiliary President Message**

Hope everyone is enjoying their summer!

Thank You to everyone who helped or took part in the 4<sup>th</sup> of July events.

The 8<sup>th</sup> grade students are back from their Washington, DC trip. A great week of learning the history of our nation and better knowledge of what Americanism is from experiences they wouldn't get out of a textbook! The Auxiliary, Legionnaires, and SAL are very proud to have been able to help make this happen through the 8<sup>th</sup> grade breakfast. Thank you to those who came out to enjoy!

### **November 10, 2019 is our 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!**

In 1919 our name was "Women's Auxiliary to the American Legion". On November 1st, 1921 it was voted to change our name to the American Legion Auxiliary.

Millions of poppies were brought over from a company in France. A committee woman from Minnesota suggested disabled veterans make the poppies and therefore these veterans earned as much as \$3 per day giving them a great benefit their well being.

All Units and Districts will be asked to set aside a day in November for a "Minnesota Day of Service". Our Unit will start working on this once we reconvene in September.

As we are celebrating this great milestone for the Auxiliary, did you realize you are a member of the single largest women's organization in our country?

You will be receiving your Membership renewals for the 2019-2020

membership year very soon. Please try to get your membership in early. Also, we need to all work on new memberships. If we don't get new members, will we be around for another 100 years? Stop and think about that. With your membership, the Auxiliary is able to fund the following: American Education Week, VA Gift Ship, Girls State, Scholarships for graduating seniors, July 4<sup>th</sup> Fireworks, Veterans at the Care Center to name a few. By renewing your membership, we can continue to help our Veterans, Youth, and Community!

This what the American Legion Auxiliary is all about! Thank You for being a member!

Thank you for supporting our great Organization and our Veterans.

Wanda Prescher – President Unit 164

### **Lisa's Fun Facts**

- On average, 12 newborn babies will be given to the wrong parents every day.
- Daniel Boone hated coonskin hats.
- I want to thank all the guys who worked so hard on our new walk-in beer cooler. Many hands make "lighter" work!
- The average raindrop falls at 7 miles per hour.
- The original name for butterfly was flutterby.