



August Newsletter

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God Bless America

August 2021

Post Commander

The Post will have a dinner meeting to welcome new members on Wednesday, September 8, 2021 at 6:30 pm. The dinner will be spaghetti & meatballs. During dinner there will be several presentations about our post. While it is called a "Welcome New Member Dinner" all Legionnaires are urged to attend. There is no charge for the meal.

Most of our kitchen workers are on a well-deserved vacation during July & August. During the break we will be performing much needed maintenance and upgrades and planning for opening the dining room in September. As always, the crew will need help starting in September and continuing through the rest of the year!

Our Technology Raffle will be on Saturday, August 21, at 3 pm in the Devil's bar. We have some great prizes, 20 in all, and just one ticket makes you eligible to win all 20 prizes! Who doesn't need a new PC, laptop or tablet? Ticket holders get free Zweigle's red hots during the drawings.

We have a busy second half of 2021 scheduled with opening the dining room for Tuesday and Friday dinners, various charity fundraisers, our post fundraisers, and dinners and Christmas party. Other things will come up along the way and we need to be ready. We need volunteers. We will have a volunteer meeting August 18th for all current volunteers and interested members. Come on by and check it out. If you could donate 2-4 hours a month, it would make a difference! We need to get more people involved. Please attend the volunteer meeting and sign up to help!

I hope to see you at one of our events! Have a great rest of your summer!

FOR THE GOOD OF THE LEGION

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14th* Annual Youth Fishing Derby

This year's Derby will be held rain or shine on Saturday, August 7th from 7 am to 11 am at Martin Road Park. All youths aged 4 to 14 years are invited to participate, but they must be accompanied by an adult and bring their own pole & bait. There is no charge for the Derby or lunch. Call the Henrietta Recreation Department at 585-359-2540 to register! Registrations will be accepted at the park as well. To volunteer please contact Ray McCormick at 585-764-9548

American Legion Auxiliary

The summer is passing by quickly. Please be sure to support the post home during the summertime at their upcoming events!!

The Auxiliary is now accepting the 2021-2022 Membership dues. Please mail your dues to me: Kathy Callagee, 65 Authors Avenue, Henrietta, New York 14467. If you have questions of whether someone is eligible for membership, or if you want to check the status of your membership, please give me a call. My telephone number is 585-334-0786. **Please remit your dues at your earliest convenience. Senior Membership: \$28.00/Junior Membership: \$ 8.00**

The Monroe County Auxiliary Committee sends a huge thank you to Kevin Herme, Commander Al Purdy and Bob Jeffers for the great food and hospitality at our 2021 Virtual 7th District Convention Caucus held Monday, July 12, 2021, at our post home.

The Auxiliary awarded a \$250.00 scholarship to Elena Watson, a Rush-Henrietta 2020 Senior. Congratulations and best of luck to Elena Watson.

Our next meeting will be our annual welcome back dinner at 6 p.m., followed by our regular meeting at 7 p.m.

For God and Country,

Kathy Callagee, President
Ely-Fagan American Legion, Unit 1151

Ely-Fagan American Legion Auxiliary 2021-2022 Officers:

President: Kathy Callagee
1st Vice: Sue Silver
2nd Vice: Lisa Burkhardt
Chaplain: Dianne Meli
Secretary: Kacy Friedler – E-mail: Kacy1547@yahoo.com. (Please use this e-mail for both President Kathy Callagee and Secretary, Kacy Friedler).
Treasurer: Betty Jane Lond

Volunteer Meeting August 18th at 7 pm

There will be a Volunteer meeting for all post volunteers, current and future, on Wednesday, August 18th at 7 pm in the hall. If you're interested in volunteering, come see what it is about & what we have to offer. Hopefully you'll see something you like and sign up!

Technology Raffle

Technology raffle tickets will remain on sale until the last prize is drawn on Saturday, August 21st. Those people who signed out tickets to sell please turn your cash and unsold tickets to the post by Sunday, August 16th. Ticket holders need not be present to win, as the drawing will be live streamed on Facebook. If ticket holders want to be present they are welcome to observe. There will be free hot dogs and chips for ticket holders during the drawing.

4th Annual Auto Show & Chicken Barbecue Sunday, August 22nd 12-4 pm

Our 4th Annual Car Show featuring antique, classic, European, muscle, sport & show cars will be on Sunday, August 22nd, from 12 pm to 3 pm. Admission is free. We will also have a drive-through Chicken BBQ dinner the same day, Sunday, August 22nd from 1 pm to 4 pm, or until gone. The cost of the dinner is \$10.00 and you get a ½ barbecued chicken, baked beans and homemade macaroni salad. Debit & credit cards accepted. Come on out for a Sunday funday.

Devil's Bar News

The Devil's Bar is a benefit of membership for members and their guests.

We have a **Euchre** tournament every Tuesday at 7 pm and **Karaoke** on Saturday, August 21st at 8 pm with Paul Cannon.

We also have a great pool table, two big screen televisions, a weekly drawing every Wednesday at 7 pm and a Queen of Hearts drawing every Friday at 7 pm. In addition to all of that we have some nice people. Come on down!

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. A contract is required. For more information contact the post at 585-334-8228. If there is no answer please leave a message and someone will get back to you within 24 hours.

Legion "Welcome Dinner" Meeting

Our September General Meeting will include a spaghetti dinner to welcome new members. Several presentations will be given regarding post history, where we are currently, and where we want to go. All members are urged to attend. There is no charge for the dinner. See next month's newsletter for more information!

Kitchen News

The next fish fry will be Friday, September 10th, from 4 pm to 7 pm. The next Tuesday night dinner will be Tuesday, September 14th from 4 pm to 6 pm. The next Sunday Morning Breakfast will be October 3rd from 9 am to 12 pm. The next Breakfast Buffet will be Sunday September 19th from 9 am – 12 pm. We will be opening the dining room but will still have drive through service. Events and times may change so check the September newsletter for updates.

Personalized Memorial Walkway Pavers

Veteran's Day, November 11, 2021 is rapidly approaching. Your calendar may tell you it's three (3) months away. Yet, "Time Flies" when you're having so much fun! Besides, we have no guarantee as to what the "ole weather person" has in-store for us. It is not too early to purchase that special "Paver" for inclusion in the Walkway. In an effort to try to have all ordered Pavers "planted" by Veteran's Day, please purchase your Paver before Saturday, September 11, 2021.

Bluntly, **anytime** is a great time to purchase a Personalized Memorial Walkway Paver, paying tribute to a loved one who served in our nation's military, or has served our Post as an "Auxiliary" member or a "Sons of the Legion" member. Once "planted", anyone who views the Paver(s) will see the honor, respect, and love behind this long lasting memorial. Personalized Pavers provide a great, long lasting gift, whether for a birthday, holidays, or other special remembrance.

Memorial Walkway Pavers cost only \$75.00 and provides up to three (3) lines of information, 15 spaces per line. Pavers placed in your Post's Memorial Walkway displays your gratitude for the sacrifices of your loved one, whether that individual is still living or not. Personalized Pavers are an inexpensive way to show your gratitude to your loved one!

Applications are available on your Post's website, www.alpost1151.org, at the Devil's Bar, or the Post during any meal service function. If you have any questions, please send an email to the "Memorial Walkway Committee" at elyfaganpost1151@gmail.com and someone will contact you.

Parting Shots . . .

Dan Scurlock let the Post use his 1,000 pound steel mesh utility wagon to move things around last fall. When we were done with the wagon it was placed in the pavilion. When Dan went to retrieve it, it was no longer there. If you borrowed it and still have it, please bring it in. Dan needs it.

Please, before you bring unwanted household goods to the post, first talk to Ray Torres or Tom Sesock. We don't have the room to store things we don't use. The AMVETS store, Veteran's Outreach, the Salvation Army or Goodwill, et al., could make a lot better use are better able to accept items you no longer need.

The VFW and The DAV will not hold meetings this month.

Confused about Medicare? Need help reviewing your health care insurance plan?

Be sure **NOT** to miss out on **ALL** the **BENEFITS** you may be eligible for in **2022!** Let our member and friend, Ellen Ortega, a NYS Licensed Medicare Broker assist you at **NO COST** to you!

Contact: Ellen Ortega, NYS Licensed Medicare Agent

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 9 am T.O.P.S.	3 7 pm Euchre	4 11-4 pm DAV 7pm Exec Mtg	5 9 am T.O.P.S. 11-4 pm DAV	6	7 HIU
8 Volunteer Picnic	9 9 am T.O.P.S.	10 7 pm Euchre	11 11-4 pm DAV	12 9 am T.O.P.S. 11-4 pm DAV	13	14 HIU
15 HIU	16 9 am T.O.P.S.	17 6pm Grill open 7 pm GOA Mtg 7 pm Euchre	18 11-4 pm DAV 7 pm Volunteer Meeting	19 9 am T.O.P.S. 11-4 pm DAV 7 pm MG Club	20	21 9am Blue Star Mothers 3pm Tech Raffle 8pm Karaoke
22 4 th Annual Car Show 1pm Chicken BBQ	23 9 am T.O.P.S.	24 7 pm Euchre	25 11-4 pm DAV	26 9 am T.O.P.S. 11-4 pm DAV	27 HIU	28 HIU
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HIU = Hall in Use

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AMERICAN LEGION POST 1151
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\$10 Ticket

SATURDAY, AUGUST 21, 2021

STARTING AT 3:00PM (until all prizes are awarded)

Need not be present to win.

The drawing will be conducted at the Post on the designated date and time. Ticket holders are welcome to observe the event in person. Drawing will be streamed live on Facebook.

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- 1 Apple iPad Air, 32GB WiFi only
- 2 Carson Night Vision Monocular
- 3 Fire HD 10 Tablet, 10.1", 32GB
- 4 Arlo Pro 3 Wire Free Camera Kit
- 5 Dell Latitude E6430 14" Laptop
- 6 HP 22" AIO R3 Touch Desktop PC
- 7 Ring Video Doorbell 3
- 8 HP OfficeJet Pro 8025 AIO Printer
- 9 Samsung Galaxy Tab A7 10.4"
- 10 Epson WF2850 AIO Printer
- 11 Acer Aspire 3 Laptop 17.3"
- 12 Acer Chromebook Convertible 11.6"
- 13 Bose Sport Earbuds, Wireless
- 14 GoPro Hero7 Action Camera
- 15 Google Nest Smart Speaker
- 16 HP 11.6" Chromebook
- 17 Samsung Chromebook 11.6"
- 18 Doss Soundbox Wireless Speakers
- 19 Microsoft Surface Go2 10.5" Touch
- 20 Samsung 40" Smart LED TV

Winners will be notified by phone as tickets are drawn.
Raffle winner will receive actual prize. No substitutions.
There will be no gift cards. All prizes must be claimed
within 30 days of winner notification.

Tickets are selling fast! Get yours soon!

Free hotdogs for ticket holders 2-4 pm on Saturday, August 21st!

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