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VFW POST 4225

November 2020 Issue



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FROM THE COMMANDER

Here we are in November already and making progress at the Post. Veterans Day and Thanksgiving are ahead so be ready to spend some time supporting our endeavors to make this the place you want to be. Come on down and try your skill at winning a Turkey or other prize at the Turkey shoot. Last month we were able to have some extended hours for our Canteen on Friday and Saturday evenings. We hope to continue but can only do so with your support. Meat Bingo is back for your enjoyment as well and at the cost of sounding redundant requires a lot of support from the membership. I don't know if you were scared at the Halloween Party but I sure was when the masks came off. A great time was had by all. Please keep in mind that we are one big happy family at the post no matter what type of membership you have. Working together is what leads to bigger and better things for all of us. I wish all of you a respectful Veterans Day and a happy Thanksgiving.

Fred Sailor
Commander
Post 4225

FROM THE HOUSE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

November is upon us and it won't be long until we are in the holiday season. We will be having our Thanksgiving Dinner on Thanksgiving Day. We have also brought back our Lunches, Fish Fry Dinners twice a month and some other events coming as we move forward.

We need your support as we move forward. We have been trying hard to stay open on the weekend evening but we are still having a little trouble with bartender availability but rest assured we are working on it!!

I would like to take a moment to talk about some issues in the Canteen. First let me start by saying that the Bartender on duty is in charge of the bar and controlling situations erupting between patrons. General or Auxiliary members are no more than a customer at the bar and must adhere to the Canteen rules. The bartender will issue a warning and if the situation continues she or he has the authority to suspend the parties involved.

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All members will show respect to each others groups both General and Auxiliary . The General membership is working together with our Auxiliary to keep this Post open and there will be no disrespect shown toward either group as it is detrimental to our entire mission!!!! Do not go behind the bar unless asked by the Bartender!!!! A Post officer should only go behind the bar on official business unless asked by the Bartender!! This has gotten out of control and must stop immediately. You have been warned!!!!

I would like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving and a safe start to the holiday season!!!

Once again A BIG THANK YOU to everyone that has stepped up to help us remain open and get back on our feet!!!!

We couldn't have done it without all your help!!!!

Richard " Skeeter" Burgess
House Committee Chairman
Post 4225



FROM THE CANTEEN MANAGER

**Mary is home and recuperating!!
She will return in about 8 weeks!!
She says to tell everyone Hi and misses everyone!!**

Mary Oursler
Canteen Manager





**FROM THE AUXILIARY
PRESIDENT**

WOW - how is it that this year has gone by so fast and yet at times has felt like it was never going to end. We have dealt with so many things this year, I do not think that I need to name all. The only thing that has been a constant is your resolve and commitment for us to become better, stronger and more united then ever, and in that area this has been the most successful year ever.

I am writing this to you as I am finishing up at our Fall Conference, where I accepted our Department President Debbie Tilley's appointment to be a Color Bearer for The Department of Florida.

For those of you who have not attended a conference, I highly recommend it. The knowledge and information that you can gain at these events is incredible, and the networking opportunities are second to none. From receiving visits to our post from our National, Department, and District Presidents, to my recent appointment, I don't think that we can continue to say that "We are the redheaded stepchild and the forgotten or overlooked post" any longer, and that all starts with, going to these events and letting them see what we have to offer and the great things that you are doing. Just so you know I brag on this post a lot because y'all deserve it.

We have our "Turkey Shoot" coming up on Saturday November 14th so please get with John Kerr and see what you can do to help him. Remember this is going to be a membership drive, so we will be open to the public, so plan on coming and bringing some friends with you, so you can show off your post, and all of your hard work.

We will be serving a "Thanksgiving Dinner" on Thursday November 26th starting at 2:00pm, so come out and enjoy. Anyone interested in helping, please contact Karen Sailor.

Thank you to those who have come out and supported the evenings that we have had the canteen open. What a great time we have been having doing it. Please come and join in on all the fun being had, and support the evenings, in order to allow us to continue this and to expand on it.

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,Boston will be serving his "Famous Meatloaf Dinner" on Saturday November 7th and Sean Kerr will be serving his "Drunken Pork Chop Dinner" on Saturday November 21st, both are incredible so sign up and/or plan on getting here early because they go fast. The Friday night "Fish Dinner" was successful and as delicious as ever. Please check on the website or at the post to see when the next one is scheduled as we try to get back to doing them on a regular schedule.

To quote our Department motto for this year - "Team Work Makes The Dream Work" – I count myself to be extremely blessed to have the "Best Teammates" anybody could ever ask for.

Todd Sailor

President

VFW Post 4225 Auxiliary

FROM THE CHAPLAIN

God of grace , creator of the universe. We thank you for our many blessings, for our Comrades and Friends. We ask a special blessing, guidance and protection for those who serve in harms way that we may enjoy this " One Nation Under God ". May our Military and Law Enforcement please aid guide us through our present pandemic. May we live lives of stainless integrity to reflect honorably on our community, our organization and to make us worthy of your love.

Amen

Please keep the Brothers and Sisters in your prayers:

- Rosalee Atherton
- Mary Ousler (At home after her hip replacement)
- Dan Latta (Corner Stone Assisted Living)
- Kristy Kieser



Your Comrade Always
God Bless You All
See Ya at the Post
"Wally"

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From the Editor

WE NEED BOOSTERS

If you would like to become a Booster, please give your name & \$10 fee per year to one of the Bartenders.

Your Booster is good for 1 year from the date above you name.

If you wish to commemorate a loved one, please give the information to the bartender with the full name of the person who is commemorating and the full name of the person you wish to commemorate.

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NOVEMBER 2020 MEALS



Come Join us for
our
Friday Fish Fry
Nov. 6th, and 20th
4:30 p.m. until 7 p.m.
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VFW Auxiliary Dinner Saturday, Nov. 7th, 2020

4-7pm

Meatloaf
Mashed Potatoes
Green Beans
\$10.00

Karaoke by John and Sean @7pm



VFW Post 4225 Dinner Sat. Nov. 21st, 2020

4-7pm

Drunken Pork Chops & Drunken
Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Veggie and Roll
\$10.00

Kranke to Follow Dinner



HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Come Join us for Post 4225's

Thanksgiving Dinner

Thursday, November 26th, 2020

1-5pm

\$8.00 per person per meal



NOVEMBER 2020 LUNCHES

***We will be doing some sort of
Wednesday Lunches again!!***

***If you would like to volunteer to
cook one let Skeeter know!!!***

**OUR CANTEEN AND POST NEED
YOUR SUPPORT SO COME ON IN
AND HAVE A DRINK OR TWO
WITH YOUR
FRIENDS AND FAMILY**

Show Your Support



NOVEMBER 2020 EVENTS & NOTICES

VFW 4225 Aux Turkey Shoot



Come Try Your Luck
B.B. Rifle And Bow & Arrow Competition's
November 14th 2020
11AM — 4PM

B.B. Rifle 10 Shots \$5.00 — Bow 6 Arrows \$5.00

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 House Committee Meeting 1pm POST CLEAN UP	3 DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY	4 GEN. MEETING 7PM Lunch 12-4pm	5	6 Fish Fry Dinner 4:30-7pm	7 Meatloaf Dinner 4-7pm Karaoke 7pm -?
8 Slider Sunday	9 POST CLEAN UP 9AM	10 DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY	11 AUX MEETING 7PM Lunch 12-4pm	12	13	14 Turkey Shoot & Membership Drive 11am-4pm
15	16 POST CLEAN UP 9AM	17 DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY Meat Bingo 7pm	18 Lunch 12-4pm	19	20 Fish Fry Dinner 4:30-7pm	21 Drunken Pork Chop Dinner 4-7pm Karaoke 7pm -?
22 Slider Sunday	23 POST CLEAN UP 9AM	24 DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY	25 Lunch 12-4pm	26 Thanksgiving Dinner 2-5 pm	27	28
29	30 POST CLEAN UP 9AM					