

# THE FRIENDLY POST

VFW POST 4225

May 2021 Issue



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CHAIRMAN  
Richard Burgess  
(Skeeter)

## FROM THE COMMANDER

Another Month has passed and we are still moving forward. Working together along with our Auxiliary seems to be working well for the Post. Our Officers for the ensuing year have been installed and are here to work for you and the Post. I would like to see a better turn out for our Monthly meetings as this is the place to have your voice heard and discuss the Post business not at the Canteen. If you want to get involved it is as simple as volunteering to help with the many functions we attempt to have for your benefit. Our next District meeting is May 8<sup>th</sup> at St Cloud Post. There is no reason we cannot have a great turn out. After all it is just around the corner so to speak. Memorial Day is a day to remember those who have paid the ultimate price for the freedoms we all enjoy, so join us on that day for some comradeship and celebration. Wishing you all a safe, healthy and happy Month ahead.

Fred Sailor

Commander Post 4225

## FROM THE HOUSE COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

Welcome to May and also welcome to any and all new Post and Auxiliary Officers. We are working very hard to bring our Auxiliary and General membership together in our endeavors here at the Post. If we work together as a team then the sky is the limit. We have been increasing our meals and events so please come and support them. Our General Membership here in the Post needs to start showing more support in the Canteen and at these events to help us move forward!! We will be having a large wedding here on May 22nd for Chris Petersen and Mariah Sailor. The Post will remain open but will be very crowded that day. The white house across the street has been sold and the new owner is starting renovations on it. Please do not park on that property or on that side of the cobblestone street. We need to keep a good relationship with the new owner and respect his property!!

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Our Barnyard Bingo and Meals have been Awesome!!

Thanks to all of our Bartenders for keeping all of our canteen patrons informed about our meals and events you all are the best in town!! I would also like to thank everyone that shops, sets up and works very hard to make our events such a big success.

Our canteen is great and getting better by the day with all your support!!! Lets keep this train rolling!!

Richard " Skeeter" Burgess  
House Committee Chairman  
Post 4225

## Show Your Support



## FROM THE CANTEEN MANAGER

I'm getting better every day but it is a slow process!!

I hope to see everyone soon!!

Love and miss you all!!!!!!

Mary Oursler  
Canteen Manager



SKEETER BURGESS - PUBLISHER



## **FROM THE AUXILIARY PRESIDENT**

Welcome to May,  
I would like to start out by congratulating all the individuals who were elected to offices and installed last month, both in the General Membership and the Auxiliary. I would also like to personally thank each and everyone of you who stepped up and were willing to take on the responsibilities that come with holding an office. We could not survive without you.

We had a real good month in April. All the meals and events went extremely well, and business in the canteen seems to be on the rise, let's keep it going. Thank you to everyone that has been coming in and helping out and to all those who have been supporting everything. Please continue and invite a friend. The continued support and growth are essential to getting back to "Pre-Covid" and then "BETTER"!!!!.

May is going to be a busy Month, with Meatloaf dinner on the 1<sup>st</sup>, district meeting on the 8<sup>th</sup>, County Fried Steak dinner on the 15<sup>th</sup>, Meat Bingo on the 18<sup>th</sup>, Mariah and Chris's wedding on the 22<sup>nd</sup>, and Barnyard Bingo on the 29<sup>th</sup>, plus fish dinners thrown in on the 2nd and 4th Fridays. I hope to see y'all at all the upcoming events and look forward to serving the Auxiliary as President for another year and I am committed to helping our Auxiliary continue to grow and get even stronger over the next year. I am also equally committed to continue working in conjunction with the General Membership. Let us all remember the key to our continued success is "One Team – One Fight" we live or die together.

Thank you,

*Todd Sailor*

**President**

**VFW Post 4225 Auxiliary**



## **FROM THE CHAPLAIN**

**"From Whence We Came"**

Let us remember Memorial Day and all it means to us. Let us remember those who chose Honor and Freedom over life itself, those at the bridge in Concord, the Revolutionary War General who accepted the surrender of an entire army although he himself was barefooted. Let us remember Pearl Harbor, Iwo Jima, Korea, Vietnam and those that stand in harms way in Iraq and Afghanistan and the list goes on. Let us not mourn for our Heroes but rather let us thank the Lord that such Americans lived.

There are no Families in distress to report at this time.

Thank you Lord for this One Nation Under God!!

Luv Ya All and God Bless Everyone

Wally



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Michael O'Dowd



**From the Editor**

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full name of the person who is  
commemorating and the full  
name of the person you wish to  
commemorate.



## MAY 2021 MEALS



*Come Join us for  
our  
Friday Fish Fry  
May 7th, and 21st  
4:30 p.m. until 7 p.m.  
(or until whenever sold out.)*

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All meals include  
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**May 2021**

### **VFW Auxiliary Dinner Saturday, May 1st, 2021 5-7pm**

**Meatloaf  
Mashed Potatoes  
Veggie  
Roll & Butter  
**\$10.00****

Karaoke by John Kerr @ 7pm



**POW! WOW! SUPER! AMAZING!**

**VFW Post 4225 Dinner  
May 15th. 2021  
5-7pm**

**Country Fried Steak  
Mashed Potatoes &  
Gravy  
Green Beans  
**\$8.00****

Dinner Cooked and Served By  
Fred and Jonna Sailor

Karaoke by John Kerr @ 7pm



MAY 2021 LUNCHES

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

***We need Volunteers to help  
do Lunches!!***

***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**







Happy Memorial Day



**Attention!!**  
**Attention!!**  
**Attention!!**



**Please Do Not park on the far side of the  
cobblestone street in front of the Two  
houses across from our parking lot.**



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being  
remodeled.**



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good relationship with him!!**





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# May 2021



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Auxiliary Meatloaf Dinner 4:30 until 7pm
2	3 House Committee Meeting 1pm POST CLEAN UP 9AM	4 DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY	5 GEN. MEETING 7PM Lunch 12pm until ?	6 Darts 7pm	7 Fish Fry Dinner 4:30 -7pm	8
9	10 POST CLEAN UP 9AM	11 DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY	12 AUX MEETING 7PM Lunch 12pm until ?	13 Darts 7pm	14	15 Auxiliary Dinner 4:30 until 7pm
16	17 POST CLEAN UP 9AM	18 DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY Meat Bingo 7pm	19 Lunch 12pm until ?	20 Darts 7pm	21 Fish Fry Dinner 4:30 -7pm	22 Mariah & Chris's Wedding
23	24 POST CLEAN UP 9AM	25 DISCOUNT SHIRT DAY	26 Lunch 12pm until ?	27 Darts 7pm	28	29 Barnyard Bingo 1pm
30	31 Memorial Day BBQ 1pm until ?					