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It is the price you paid to be eligible!*

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Veterans of Foreign Wars
Francis E. Vinyard Post 2749
127 Veterans Way • Kendallville, In 46755

July-August 2011 **260-347-3550** **Kendallville, Indiana**

Commander's Comments

Comrades & Sisters:

I am looking forward to working with every one of you, VFW members, Men's Auxiliary and Women's Auxiliary in the coming year. We have a great group of officers for the coming year so I'm excited to have such good help.

We are going to have to raise more money for the roof fund, so we will be having several fund raisers. It would be nice if a few more members would volunteer a little time to help us out with our projects at the Post. ***Please come out and give us a hand, this is your Post too.***

I can't thank ***Denny Nester*** enough for stepping up and taking the Commander's post. He worked hard and put a lot of time at the Post. He deserves a big thank you from all of us.

There will be a ceremony at the East Noble High School called "***Stand Up For Freedom***" at 6:00PM on July 3rd. Please plan to attend this for our veterans.

Brian DeCamp with Northern Indiana Funeral Care will be at our Post on July

5th at 6:00PM to tell us about our veterans' discount in planning our funerals. It also gives a discount for our wives and children at the same price. It really sounds good so please plan on being there. We will have a Post meeting at 7:00PM.

If you have an email address, please send it to us along with your name and current home address, so we can send our newsletter and any other updates we have. The Post email is ***vfw2749@gmail.com***. This will save the Post a lot of money.

We owe American Legion Post #86 an apology for saying the took our Poppy weekend in May. We were the ones who didn't get the stores and time lined up for the dates we wanted. We don't want any bad feelings between our Posts. So again, we apologize for any misunderstanding.

God Bless America!

Jim McClure
Commander

OFFICERS

Commander
..... ***Jim McClure***

Senior Vice Commander
..... ***Tom Mortimore***

Junior Vice Commander
..... ***Chuck Berry***

Quartermaster ***Pat Fraizier***

Adjutant ***Pat Fraizier***

Chaplain ***Ron Coleman***

Judge Advocate ***Ken Ihrrie***


Surgeon ***Jack DeBolt***

Sgt. at Arms ***Dennis Nester***

Service Officer ***Jan Frazie***

Trustees ***Al Countryman***
Jim Cook
Gary Fisher

House Committee ... ***Jim Piepenbrok***
Jack Diamond



Quartermaster's Queries

Comrades All:

First of all, thank you for the privilege of serving Post #2749. We have a great group who have gathered to make this Post a continued success.

The Men's and Women's Auxiliary have been outstanding in their efforts for the Post. I would also like to thank ***Denny Nester and Jim Piepenbrok*** for all they have done for us.

We have a lot of work to do and in order to continue, ***we need help!*** So, if you can give us one hour a week, it would be a

great help. Things such as vacuuming our walk-in carpets, empty the outside trash bins, helping maintaining the grounds, and any trash that would cut the cost of daily operations.

The operation of this Post lies squarely on all of our shoulders. We must stick together.

Thank you!

Pat Fraizier
Quartermaster

Captain's Corner

Get Well!

Sick Call

Alex Devine
Jack Traxler

TAPS

Jean Fox
Fred Swanders

Men's Auxiliary News

Dear Comrades,

I want to thank you for all your support for my term as president.

T.V. Silent Auction July 16th til July 30th. Drawing at 2:00PM July 30th.

Also, we had our first horseshoe game winner; *Anthony and Chip*. Second were *Arty and Jim Krock*.

Devon Ihrle won the afghan.

Thanks for the donation of the afghan, you know who you are!

John R. Hall, Jr. (Chip)
President



OFFICERS

President.....*Ed Wade*
Sr. Vice President..... *John Hall, Jr.*
Jr. Vice President.....*Clyde Tackett*
Secretary..... *Tim Ley*
Chaplain..... *Don Dyer*
Treasurer.....*Denny Rorick*
Trustees *Van Lamore*
Tim Wade
Steve Lein

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COMING EVENTS

July 3rd

East Noble High School
Stand Up For Freedom
6:00PM

July 16th

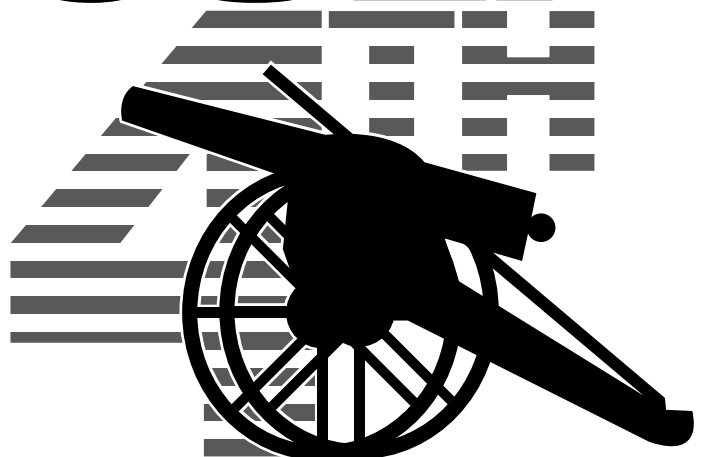
Men's Auxiliary
Horseshoe

August 13th

Men's Auxiliary
Horseshoe



JULY



Ladies' Auxiliary News

Hello, Sisters!

We are starting a new year at the VFW. Hopefully I can help in some way to make it a good year. If all the members enjoy coming to the Club as much as I do, it will be a busy year.

Thank you **Bonnie Hall** for doing a tremendous job selling pull tabs every Wednesday night. I enjoy seeing your smiling face.

Mary Deter is fixing and selling hot dogs on Saturdays from 10:00 until 2:00 as she always has. Stop by and tell how much we appreciate her dedication and have a luscious coney dog while you are there.

A big thank you for all the ladies who donated their goodies for our bake sale in May. This was the biggest we ever had. Thanks to **Betty DeBolt, Gladys Neal, Sara Elliott and Diane Nichter** for overseeing this event.

A special thank you to **Carol Cory** for her ideas and hard work at making the military patch display, and then donating it to the Post through the Ladies Auxiliary.

Our meeting in July is on Thursday, the fourteenth. A crowd would be wonderful.

Don't forget to pray for our servicemen. Till next time have a great summer.

Marcia Smith
Ladies Auxiliary President

OFFICERS

President.....**Marcia Smith**
Sr. Vice President.....**Janice Wright**
Jr. Vice President.....**Bonnie Hall**
Secretary.....**Diane Nichter**
Treasurer.....**Carolyn Mortimore**
Chaplain.....**Betty DeBolt**
Conductress.....**Linda Dickson**
Guard.....**Mary Parker**
1 Year Trustee.....**Gladys Neal**
2 Year Trustee.....**Betty DeBolt**
3 Year Trustee.....**Jenny White**



Recipe

CLIP AND SAVE



Rhubarb Bread

1 1/2 cups diced raw rhubarb
1 1/2 cups brown sugar
2/3 cup oil
1 egg slightly beaten
1 cup sour milk
1 tsp vanilla
2 1/2 cups flour
1 tsp salt
1 tsp soda
1/2 cup chopped walnuts
Pinch of cinnamon

Topping - 1/3 cup granulated sugar mixed with 1 tbsp melted butter.

Mix brown sugar, oil and egg together. Sift salt, soda, flour and cinnamon together. Add dry ingredients alternately with milk to other mixture. Fold in rhubarb and nuts. Fill two lightly greased loaf pans 2/3 full. Sprinkle with topping. Bake at 325° for one hour.

July

2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2 HOT DOGS 11-2
3 EAST NOBLE HIGH SCHOOL 6:00 PM STAND UP FOR FREEDOM	4 25¢ OFF ALL DRINKS	5 EUCHRE 1:00 PM POST MEETING 7:00 PM	6 NO MEAL POST DRAWING 8:00 PM	7 EUCHRE 1:00 PM 25¢ OFF ALL DRINKS	8	9 HOT DOGS 11-2
10 OPEN SUNDAY	11 MEN'S AUX MEETING 7:00 PM 25¢ OFF ALL DRINKS	12 EUCHRE 1:00 PM	13 NO MEAL POST DRAWING 8:00 PM	14 25¢ OFF ALL DRINKS EUCHRE 1:00 PM LADIES AUX MEETING 7:00 PM	15	16 HORSE SHOE MENS AUX HOT DOGS 11-2 GUEST NIGHT
17	18 25¢ OFF ALL DRINKS	19 EUCHRE 1:00 PM	20 NO MEAL POST DRAWING 8:00 PM	21 EUCHRE 1:00 PM 25¢ OFF ALL DRINKS	22	23 HOT DOGS 11-2
24 OPEN SUNDAY 31	25 25¢ OFF ALL DRINKS	26 EUCHRE 1:00 PM	27 NO MEAL POST DRAWING 8:00 PM	28 EUCHRE 1:00 PM 25¢ OFF ALL DRINKS	29	30 HOT DOGS 11-2

August

2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 25¢ OFF ALL DRINKS	2 EUCHRE 1:00 PM POST MEETING 7:00 PM	3 NO MEAL POST DRAWING 8:00 PM	4 EUCHRE 1:00 PM 25¢ OFF ALL DRINKS	5	6 HOT DOGS 11-2
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