



*It is not the price you pay to be a member  
It is the price you paid to be eligible!*

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## SERVING OUR MEMBERS AND AREA VETERANS

### Veterans of Foreign Wars

Francis E. Vinyard Post 2749

127 Veterans Way • Kendallville, IN 46755



July 2018

**260-347-3550**

Kendallville, Indiana

IN. GAMING PERMIT #140522

# Commander's Corner



Hello Veterans,

It's been a long time since Jim Cook hasn't written the Commander's Corner, but with a new Commander, I must say I have some big shoes to fill. Everyone needs to thank Jim Cook for all he has done and all he will do for the #2749. Thanks Jim for helping me in so many ways. I really want the Post to grow and have many fundraisers. I really don't like the idea of sharing money with other Posts especially as far away as Kokomo. I would like to have Porkburger sales and for our Post to put in on and keep profit totally in-house. We have a great Club with some awesome people helping run it. Chassidy does a fine job as Bar Manager, Chip with cooking and other miscellaneous jobs. Richard Wiard, Quartermaster can count in his sleep. Mike who helps the Quartermaster count. He's a quiet guy but knows his job very well and is a mainstay on Wednesday and Friday Night Ticket Sells and I cannot forget Kim, Office Secretary who does a lot to keep the Post running efficiently. I could go on but don't have much space to write this.

Next meeting is the 10th of July. Need everyone there. We have a Disciplinary Hearing at 6pm on the 10th of July. Regular meeting following Disciplinary Hearing.

See ya at the Post,  
Richard Meadows



## POST AUXILIARY

Hello members. On July 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> the Auxiliary will be holding a Garage Sale/ Bazaar from 9 AM until 4 PM. Friday pork burgers will be served, and Saturday there will be Coney dogs. The Post will rent tables for \$10 if you have items you would like to bring in to sale, or you may donate items to be sold in the event. We will start taking donations now for the event. We have 2 save-the-date events coming up. On August 18 we will be having the band Walking Papers performing for us. There will be a \$5 Cover and 50/50 tickets will be sold. On August 25 our annual Golf Outing will be at Cobblestone Golf Course. This is for both Auxiliary and Post members. Be working on

getting those foursomes together for this event. We will be looking for sponsors as well. More information will be forthcoming. Due to a couple resignations in our Auxiliary we are looking for a 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Trustee to be nominated and elected, and a Secretary to be appointed. Auxiliary members please step forward and become more active in your Auxiliary. We need your input and help. If you are interested in either of these positions please call me at 260-749-4377 or let other active Auxiliary members know. Thank you to those members who always volunteer! Our next meeting will be July 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:00 PM. Please try to be there.  
Jessie Davenport  
VFW Post 2749 Auxiliary President.

### 2018-2019 POST OFFICERS

Commander.....Richard Meadows  
Senior Vice Commander..... Jeff Wepner  
Junior Vice Commander..... Denny Nester  
Quartermaster..... Richard Wiard  
Chaplain.....Max Franklin  
Judge Advocate..... Richard Wiard  
Surgeon..... Len Wilson  
1 yr. Trustee..... George Klink  
2 yr. Trustee.....Richard Hamilton  
3 yr. Trustee..... Pat Frazier  
Adjutant..... Richard Wiard  
Service Officer.....James L. McClure

### 2018-2019 POST AUXILIARY OFFICERS

President..... Jessie Davenport  
Sr. Vice President..... Carolyn Mortimore  
Jr. Vice President..... Tracy Kolberg  
Treasurer.....Jill Wilson  
Secretary.....  
Chaplain.....Betty DeBolt  
Conductor..... Bonnie Hall  
Guard..... Bonnie Hall  
1 Yr. Trustee..... Carolyn Mortimore  
2 Year Trustee.....John Hall Jr.  
3 Yr. Trustee.....

# NOW SERVING DAILY

BAR MENU

KITCHEN CLOSED DAILY  
FROM 3 - 5 P.M.

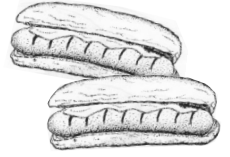


WEDNESDAY HOURS  
11 A.M. - 3 P.M.

SATURDAY OPEN  
AT 3 P.M.

## Coney Dogs

Coney Dogs still available!

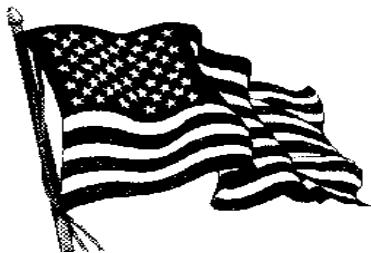


Have a Happy & Safe

# 4th of July

# July 2018

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 POST CLOSED	2	3	4  4TH OF JULY 7PM WEEKLY DRAW	5	6	7 OPEN TO PUBLIC CONEY DOGS 11AM-2PM
8 POST OPEN NOON-6PM	9	10 6PM POST MEETING	11 7PM WEEKLY DRAW	12	13 PORKBURGERS 7PM TREASURE HUNT	14 OPEN TO PUBLIC CONEY DOGS 11AM-2PM <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; text-align: center;">GARAGE SALE/BAZAAR 9AM-4PM</div>
15 POST CLOSED	16 6PM AUXILIARY MTG	17	18 7PM WEEKLY DRAW	19	20 7PM TREASURE HUNT	21 OPEN TO PUBLIC CONEY DOGS 11AM-2PM
22 POST OPEN NOON-6PM	23	24	25 7PM WEEKLY DRAW	26	27 7PM TREASURE HUNT	28 OPEN TO PUBLIC CONEY DOGS 11AM-2PM
29 POST CLOSED	30	31	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">August 18th: Band "Walking Papers" August 25th: Annual Golf Outing at Cobblestone</div>			



*PLEASE REMEMBER  
OUR SERVICE MEN AND WOMEN  
WHO ARE SO PROUDLY  
PROTECTING US AND OTHERS*