



# Veterans of Foreign Wars Francis E. Vinyard Post 2749

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## OCTOBER—NOVEMBER 2010 NEWSLETTER

### Commander's Comments

-Devin Geegh, Commander

### Quartermaster's Desk

### Chaplain's Corner—Jack Valenti

TAPS: Arthur Litchfield  
Roger Newman

### Ladies Auxiliary News

Dear Ladies,

Summer has just flown by. I hope you all enjoyed the summer and are ready for fall.

We have been pretty busy. We had our Annual Brats & Beans sale the end of August. We didn't sell as many as we thought we would but the bake sale went really well. Thanks go out to: Lisa Dykstra, Diane Nichter, Betty DeBolt, Gladys Neal, Bonnie Hall and Marcia Smith for their help with the sale and the baked goods. Thanks to all of those who donated baked goods as well, everything looked delicious.

The Men's Auxiliary had their Annual Golf Outing on September 11th. It rained all day, but they were troopers and played through. Thanks to Lisa Dykstra, Pat Spice and Chip Hall for helping in the kitchen, the food was GREAT!

We have a Halloween Party coming on October 30th. There will be a DJ/Karaoke that night. Come out in costume and you

may win a prize!! Bring finger food or snacks to share.

October 20th the Ladies are doing Lasagna and Garlic Bread with Cheese for the Wednesday Night dinner. On November 10th the Ladies are doing Ham and Scalloped Potatoes for the Wednesday Night Dinner. We still need a volunteer to do the Wednesday Night dinner in December. Please contact me if you can help with this.

On November 11th we will be having our Veteran's Day Program at our Post at 11AM. There will be food after the ceremony. Come on out and support the Veteran's.

On November 20th we will be having the Turkey Dinner and Casino Night. Check at the Post for times.

Our meeting dates for October and November are as follows:

October 14th - 7PM  
November 11th - 7PM

Come on out and give us some new ideas, we would love to see you!

God Bless America  
God Bless Our Troops

-Jenny White, President

## Stew

- 1 Pound Hamburger
- 1 lg can Campbell's Vegetable Soup
- 1 sm can Campbell's Vegetable Soup
- 4 Medium Sized Cubed Potatoes

Brown Hamburger, drain grease. Add Vegetable Soup, water and potatoes. Cook until Potatoes are done or longer to make thicker. Refrigerate leftovers, it's great heated up!

### VFW LIFE MEMBERSHIPS AVAILABLE

Your age (as of Jan 1)	
Through 30 .....	\$ 425.00
31-40.....	410.00
41-50.....	375.00
51-60.....	335.00
61-70.....	290.00
71-80.....	225.00
81+.....	170.00

Must be in Dec. 25 to allow time for processing. You can set up a payment plan, see the Post Quartermaster for details.

### LADIES AUXILIARY LIFE MEMBERSHIPS AVAILABLE

Your age (on Dec 31)	41-45	175.00	71-75..	115.00	
Thru 20...\$	220.00	46-50...	170.00	76-80..	95.00
21-25.....	210.00	51-55...	160.00	81-85..	75.00
26-30.....	200.00	56-60...	150.00	86-90..	60.00
31-35.....	190.00	61-65...	140.00	91+....	50.00
36-40.....	185.00	66-70..	130.00		

See Carolyn Mortimore for membership. You can make 4 easy payments.

## Mens Auxiliary News

We will be upping your dues at the next meeting to be the same as the VFW- \$30.00 starting January 31st 2011. Also, your 2011 cards are ready, so come in or mail in for your membership card. We will be doing shuffle board on October 10th at 2:30.

I want to say thanks to all the golfers for playing in the rain. Hope you all had fun.

-John Hall, Jr., President

## Special Thanks

- I want to thank Len Wilson for attending my Men's Auxiliary meeting.
- A big thanks goes out to all that helped with the golf outing.
- Thanks to Larry Trowbridge for donation to Men's Auxiliary for ditch work.

John Hall, Jr.,

## POST OFFICERS

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 Chaplain.....John Valenti  
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 Jr. Vice Cmdr.....Charles Berry  
 Quartermaster.....Open  
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 Assistant Adjutant.....Open  
 Surgeon.....Jack DeBolt  
 Service Officer.....Open  
 Sgt-At-Arms.....Open  
 Trustee 1 yr.....Lynn McDonald  
 2 yr.....Jack Lane  
 3 yr.....Ivan Dressler  
 House Com. 1 yr.....Denny Nester  
 2 yr.....Open  
 3 yr.....Charles Farmer

## LADIES AUXILIARY OFFICERS

President.....Jenny White  
 Sr. Vice Pres.....Janice L. Wright  
 Jr. Vice Pres.....Bonnie Hall  
 Treasurer.....Carolyn Mortimer  
 Secretary.....Diane Nichter  
 Chaplain.....Betty DeBolt  
 Conductress.....Marlayna Geegh  
 Guard.....Marlayna Geegh  
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 2 yr.....Diane Nichter  
 3 yr.....Gladys Neal

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 Jr. Vice Pres.....Clyde Tackett  
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