



COMMANDER'S CORNER

Comrades:

As you receive this newsletter for June, it is near the end of the terms for the 2010-2011 Officers. First, I want to thank all those Officers for their assistance throughout the course of the year. Secondly, I want to congratulate the 2011-2012 Officers: Sr. Vice Mike Grabowski; Jr. Vice Camillio DiBioso, Jr.; Quartermaster Rich Bennar; Judge Advocate Danny Steele; Surgeon Willie Ventro; New Board Member Bill Hensley; Adjutant Dawn Drzweicki; Service Officer Wilson Lowe; Officer-of-the-Day Vernon Stein; and Guard Joe Domanski.

You will be receiving this newsletter before Memorial Day; therefore, I want to remind you of our scheduled **Memorial Day Ceremony** at the Post home at 11 a.m. on **May 30, 2011**. Please try to attend.

The monthly Calendar of Events for June is included in this newsletter. We have some exciting events scheduled. In particular, we will be partnering with American Legion Post 5 in Rehoboth Beach in holding our **First Annual Motorcycle Poker Run** on **June 26th** to benefit the Wounded Warriors. Registration is from 9-11 a.m. Cost is \$25 for the biker and \$15 for a rider. This will include a shirt, food, and music. For additional information, contact me or Gary Harden at 302-296-7168.

Also, treat yourself to a great night of entertainment by the **"Glass Onion" band** on **June 25th**. This is free, so come out early to attain a good seat. This group is well known for their great music throughout the State of DE.

July 4th is coming quickly and we have music planned throughout the long weekend which we will share with you in next month's newsletter.

For now, God Bless.

Yours in comradeship,
John G. Mitchell, Commander, 537-1960

VFW & AUXILIARY CHAPLAINS' CORNER

Our deepest sympathy goes out to the families who have lost loved ones. Eternal rest grant unto them O' Lord, may the perpetual light shine upon them, and may they rest in peace. Amen

Robert M. Klein Howard F. Cleaver
Joseph B. Whitney Louis A. Lynch

Please call Lou Kubicki at 302-537-2885 for the VFW or Ceil Leahy at 302-537-9593 for the Auxiliary, if a member is sick or has passed away.



VFW & LADIES AUXILIARY 2011 DUES

PLEASE PAY YOUR 2011 DUES WHICH ARE NOW PAST DUE. Shortly, we'll be collecting for 2012. Your key card has been deactivated. **Consider becoming a Life Member.** Contact Rich Bennar at 462-5216 or Pat Stokes at 537-6035 for more information. Please join us at our monthly meetings and **keep us informed of change of addresses.**

**VFW POST 7234 HONOR GUARD
TO BECOME A MEMBER, PLEASE CONTACT
JIM LEAHY 302-537-9593**

WED. MEN'S & THU. LADIES SHUFFLEBOARD - Both teams need players. Call Harold Hartman at 245-7125 or Mary Gauntner at 539-2443.

ELECTRONIC DARTS - Practice 7:00; compete about 7:30 every Tue. **Need players.** Call Pat Stokes at 537-6035.

MEDICAL EQUIPMENT FOR HOME USE

Call Wilson Lowe at 539-4448 for availability.



THE AUXILIARY PRESIDENT

Auxiliary Sisters & Comrades:

Our **Friday Night Dinner** program is off to a start. Last year's profits enabled us to sponsor the many Programs that benefit our veterans, their families, our community youth, and fellow Auxiliary sisters. Please consider volunteering an evening or day to help us have a successful season. **Sign-up sheets are on the Bulletin Board.**

At the State Convention (June 10-11), our 2011-2012 Officers will be sworn in and officially begin their tenure. Auxiliaries and their Program Chairmen are also recognized for their hard work over the past year. Good luck to all of our Chairman and my thanks to you for another good year.

Ladies, I have been honored to have served as your Auxiliary President for the past two years. I can never thank you enough, my Auxiliary sisters, for the accomplishments and memories. Good luck to Carole Keller on her incoming year. Please be there for her as you were for me. It has been an adventure I won't forget. **THANK YOU ALL AGAIN!**

Remember to contact our Chaplain, Ceil Leahy, at 537-9593 with any news of a member's illness or death. Keep all with health problems in your prayers and our sympathy goes out from all of us to those who have lost loved ones.

Loyally yours,
Jacqueline Umstetter, Ladies Auxiliary President, 537-5515

MILITARY ORDER OF THE COOTIE (MOC)



Greetings from Pup Tent No. 3.

On May 7, 2011, Pup Tent members participated in the annual VA Patient Carnival conducted on behalf of the Elsmere VA Hospital patients. Many veteran organizations participated in this event for the purpose of providing enjoyment to the patients and letting them know their service to the Nation is appreciated and that they are remembered. Six Cooties from Pup Tent No. 3 attended this event. Specifically, Pup Tent No. 3 Cooties decorated a booth in a patriotic manner (theme this year was devoted to remembering 9/11), staffed the booth during the Carnival, distributed food snacks to the patients, and conversed with the patients as they made the rounds of the various booths.

Each veteran organization participating in the VA Patient Carnival competes in a contest for the Most Creative Booth Award. The award was won by the MOC of Delaware. Don Golis, of Pup Tent No. 3, planned the design strategy, obtained the needed decoration supplies, and supervised the placement of the decoration of the booth. A well-deserved "Good Job" salute is given to Don.

George Burkett, Seam Squirrel (Commander), 945-0682

OUR POST IS WI-FI FRIENDLY NOW!

VFW MEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION - Next meeting will be on Jun. 14th. **Sign up by 1:00 pm on Sun. for play on Tue. TEE TIME: Arrive at 8:00 a.m. for 8:30 a.m. tee-off. Jun. Starters:** Mike Mooney & Frank Skahetka. The 2011 VFW Golf **Spring Outing** will be held at the Salt Pond Golf Club on Jun. 7th. **Sunday Breakfast duty** schedule for the Golf Assoc. members will be: May 29th, Jun. 19th, Jul. 17th, Aug. 14th, and Sep. 11th. **Helpers are needed.** Call Buck Dunn, Pres. At 539-3661; Chris Brown, Sec. at 539-2602; Dave Moore, VP at 537-9897; Phil Lamb, Treas. at 541-0410.

UPCOMING SPECIAL EVENTS

MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND PARTY
Date: **Sun., May 29, 2011**
Time: Food 4-7 - Ham Sandwiches, Potato Salad, Baked Beans - \$6
Music: DJ Kemosabi Joe 4-8

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE
Date: **Mon., May 30, 2011**
Time: 11:00 a.m.

VFW #7234 & LEGION #5 MOTORCYCLE POKER RUN
Date: **Sun. Jun. 26, 2011**
Registration: 9-11 a.m.
Cost: \$25/biker & \$15/rider

JULY 4TH LONG WEEKEND ACTIVITIES

VFW

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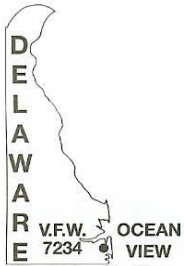
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DOORS OPEN DAILY AT 11:30 AM

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
 GOD BLESS OUR TROOPS	2011 DUES ARE PAST DUE – 2012 DUES WILL BE DUE SOON – DON'T BE DROPPED		1 LUNCH 12-2 MEN'S SHUFFLE-BOARD 12-3 WINGS 5-7 BAR BINGO 6:00	2 LUNCH 12-2 LADIES SHUFFLE-BOARD 12-3 LIGHT MENU & CRABS 5-7 \$30/doz. Call by Wed. 6p 	3 LUNCH 12-2 LADIES AUX. AYCE DINNER \$12/person MEATLOAF 5-7:30 FREE JUKEBOX NIGHT 6:00	4 CHICKEN SHACK 9a-? SHRIMP & LIGHT FARE 6-9 MUSIC 7-11 THE EXPRESSIONS
5 SUNDAY BREAKFAST BUFFET 8a-12p \$9 Bloody Marys/ Mimosas \$2.25	6 LUNCH 12-2 POST & AUX. MEETING 7:30P	7 LUNCH 12-2 CHEESESTEAK S 5-7 DARTS 7:30	8 LUNCH 12-2 MEN'S SHUFFLE-BOARD 12-3 WINGS 5-7 BAR BINGO 6:00	9 LUNCH 12-2 LADIES SHUFFLE-BOARD 12-3 LIGHT MENU & CRABS 5-7 \$30/doz. Call by Wed. 6p 	10 LUNCH 12-2 LADIES AUX. AYCE DINNER \$12/person HAM & KRAUT 5-7:30 FREE JUKEBOX NIGHT 6:00 DE Convention-Dover	11 CHICKEN SHACK 9a-? SHRIMP & LIGHT FARE 6-9 MUSIC 7-11 FORWARD THRUST DE Convention-Dover
12 SUNDAY BREAKFAST BUFFET 8a-12p \$9 Bloody Marys/ Mimosas \$2.25	13 LUNCH 12-2	14  <i>Flag Day</i> LUNCH 12-2 CHEESESTEAK S 5-7 DARTS 7:30	15 LUNCH 12-2 MEN'S SHUFFLE-BOARD 12-3 WINGS 5-7 BAR BINGO 6:00	16 LUNCH 12-2 LADIES SHUFFLE-BOARD 12-3 LIGHT MENU & CRABS 5-7 \$30/doz. Call by Wed. 6p 	17 LUNCH 12-2 LADIES AUX. AYCE DINNER \$12/person SHEPPARD'S PIE 5-7:30 FREE JUKEBOX NIGHT 6:00	18 CHICKEN SHACK 9a-? Atrium Wedding 2-6 SHRIMP & LIGHT FARE 6-9 MUSIC 7-11 ACT II
19 <i>Father's Day</i> SUNDAY BREAKFAST BUFFET 8a-12p \$9 Bloody Marys/ Mimosas \$2.25	20 LUNCH 12-2	21 LUNCH 12-2 CHEESESTEAK S 5-7 DARTS 7:30	22 LUNCH 12-2 MEN'S SHUFFLE-BOARD 12-3 WINGS 5-7 BAR BINGO 6:00	23 LUNCH 12-2 LADIES SHUFFLE-BOARD 12-3 LIGHT MENU & CRABS 5-7 \$30/doz. Call by Wed. 6p 	24 LUNCH 12-2 LADIES AUX. AYCE DINNER \$12/person ROAST BEEF 5-7:30 FREE JUKEBOX NIGHT 6:00	25 CHICKEN SHACK 9a-? SHRIMP & LIGHT FARE 6-9 MUSIC 7:30-11:30 GLASS ONION
26 SUNDAY BREAKFAST BUFFET 8a-12p \$9 Bloody Marys/ Mimosas \$2.25 MOTORCYCLE POKER RUN Register 9-11 am	27 LUNCH 12-2	28 LUNCH 12-2 CHEESESTEAK S 5-7 DARTS 7:30 BOD Meeting 7:00	29 LUNCH 12-2 MEN'S SHUFFLE-BOARD 12-3 WINGS 5-7 BAR BINGO 6:00	30 LUNCH 12-2 LADIES SHUFFLE-BOARD 12-3 LIGHT MENU & CRABS 5-7 \$30/doz. Call by Wed. 6p 		

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TUESDAYS THROUGH SATURDAYS, THERE ARE SPECIAL FOOD ITEMS. OTHER ITEMS ARE ALSO AVAILABLE, EXCEPT FRIDAY.