

## July August 2019

**Monthly Meeting -** Thursday, July 25 @ 7pm. Installation of Officers and Social. There will not be an Executive Board meeting due to flag ceremony.

**Flag Disposal** – A dignified disposal of unserviceable flags will be conducted at 7pm July 25 prior to meeting. Volunteers are needed for ceremony and should arrive at 6:30 for preparation and practice. Please wear your legion cap.

**Officer Installation** – The following new officers will be installed at the July 25 meeting. Congratulations to the new officers and thank you to outgoing officers.

Commander – Dean Becker 1<sup>st</sup> Vice - Larry Schmit 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice - Bobby Schmit 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice – Don Frost Service Officer – Ken Bornong Finance Officer – Ben Becker SGT-at-Arms – Denny Weber Historian – Jerry Holbach Community Service – Tom Schaefer Chaplain – Paul Erickson Executive Committee – Scott Rottinghaus, Denny Staebell, Roger Schmitz, Cleo Fischels, Bill Johannes

**Gilbertville Days** – Post 714 will be leading the parade on July 13. Parade starts at 10am. For those that can participate please meet at legion or start of parade route, wearing your uniform by 9:30.

**Steak Fry** - Saturday July 20 Serving 5:30-7:30. Bar opens at 5.

**Irish Fest** – August 2, 3 & 4 Veterans upon showing proof of service will be admitted free, normal entry fee for all 3 days is \$25.

**Red Cross Blood Drive** – Tuesday, August 13 from 1:30 to 6:30 at the legion. There is currently a **critical** need for blood. Thank you to those that contributed and worked, there were 47 pints collected.

**Notes**: The legion will be ordering new flags to replace unserviceable ones that are placed in the cemetery for deceased veterans on Memorial Day.

## Thank you

- Greg Becker and Becker Four Seasons for spraying weeds at no cost to legion.
- Roger Schmitz for his work on the legion grounds.

## **Coffee and Camaraderie**

• Veterans free lunch at Lincoln Park in Waterloo, for all veterans on Thursdays through July. Serving from 11:30-12:30.

## Upcoming Events

July 19 Welter Rehearsal Dinner
July 20 Steak Fry
July 25 Legion Meeting
July 28 Kayser Family Reunion
Aug 10 Roger & Gloria Schmitz 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Open House
Aug 13 Blood Drive
Aug 17 Don Bosco Class of 1964 Reunion
Aug 29 Legion Meeting

Aug 31 Don Bosco Class of 1959 Reunion

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