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POST 416 INFORMATIONAL GUIDE

Post Officers 2019-2020

COMMANDER

Adjutant
Finance Officer
1st Vice Commander
2nd Vice Commander
3rd Vice Commander
4th Vice Commander
Chaplain
Service Officer
Judge Advocate
Sgt. At Arms
Sgt. At Arms
Historian
Firing Sqd. Capt.
1st Lt. Firing Sqd.
2nd Lt. Firing Sqd.

Tim Baranzyk
Dave Pier
Leo Taylor
Terry Barrington
Lyle Jackson
Rick Barrington
Tim Bellis
Leon Zalewski
Bob Zolandz
Stan Pinkowski
Dan Baker
Jerry White
Tim Baranzyk
Bob Zolandz
Bob Vanselow
Ed King

MEETINGS

Exe. Board
1st Tuesday
7:00 PM

Firing Squad
2nd Thursday
Jan, Mar, May,
June Sept. Nov.
7:00 Post

General Post Mrg,
3rd Thur. 7:00

AUXILIARY OFFICERS 2019-2020

President
1st Vice President
2nd Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer
Chaplain
Historian
Sgt. At Arms
Asst.Sgt.At Arms

Laura Calteux
Carol Stephany

Kathy Zagar
Andrea Diamond

Florence Groth
Alexa Fryjoff

Auxiliary
3rd Thursday
7:00 PM

SAL Officers 2019-2020

Commander
Adjutant

Dave Bauer
Jerry Meyers

SAL
2nd Thursday
7:00 PM

POST CLOSED

MAY ACTIVITIES CANCELLED

JUNE - TBD

POST

CLOSE

THAN APRIL

MAY TBD



Commander's Corner

As we move into another month since our last newsletter, I need to check my crystal ball for future events.

Please follow common sense guidelines and those of the CDC (Center for Disease Control). If you go out to the store, you may need a mask. Whether you want to wear one is up to you. Once and awhile, I go on Facebook and every time, I get amused by comments of many different circumstances. Watch how you drive, as many others don't. Enough said on this.

The Post has been closed to the public and when it reopens, things might be a little different. We'll go with the laws that might be in affect or guidelines. Your guess is as good as mine. Many different events, as evidenced on the news, have either been canceled or postponed. The Legion National Convention has been one of these. The 4th District Spring Meetings are also in that same boat. Pretty soon we may hear about the State Legion Convention when it comes from the Department, as to its decision. As for Memorial Day, there will be no programs as done in the

past. This includes Good Hope Cemetery, the Parade, School Program, and Pancake Breakfast. If you want to see what is going on at the State Level, go to www.wilegion.org. The same can be said of the National Headquarters.

The final contestant of the State Oratorical Contest will receive a stipend of \$2000 for her efforts. Everything else is canceled.

Camp American Legion is off until July 1, 2020. I have no news on that. The Ladies Legion Auxiliary canceled their 2020 Convention activities. With the Milwaukee War Memorial closed until further notice, I won't be picking up flags for Memorial Day, just yet. The ceremony at Wood National Cemetery will be different in its service also this year.

If any of you need assistance, please call 211 for information. Some households may have been house cleaning and you have extra items you want to donate. You can call the Milwaukee Homeless Initiative and leave a message. Their number is: 414-257-4111. This includes furniture that they can pick up. Continue to check with donation centers if they are open, and also if they'll take what you want to donate.

As for the Post activities concerning the 4th of July and Village Days, we'll need to see what develops there. As for bingo, we'll need to see what we can do, and so on.

As for officers and staff, we'll see what can be done there. We'll look at the by-laws and go from there. Some may want to let others step up, or maybe the present staff may stay on and have an election in a few months or so. Again, we can look at the by-laws. The baseball game is another area to look at, we'll see. Many members might be in a working mode to help their families get on their feet, and leisure time might be an idea for now, but money might be more important. Need to get the house in order. With the fall not far behind, we need to look ahead and start planning, and I hope we don't have a repeat of the virus. Please be conscious of things around you and your family.

If you have any questions, call me and leave a message if I don't answer, so I can call you back.

Tim Baranzyk

1st Vice Commander

Hello fellow legionaries,

First off I hope everyone is doing as well as can be with this safe at home deal we are in. We are slowly going to get thru this and hopefully soon we will be able to meet again, back at the post. It's been a very interesting and at the same time, a challenging time we are in. So soon we will be back to the new normal and maybe we will be stronger learning from this ordeal.

As of this writing 4-24-2020, the post stands at 567 out of 646 members invested into the post. We are crawling slowly to the 100% invested mark. We will be planning a new member initiation hopefully in the near future. That's the goal. We will most likely be doing it after the summer break. I am thinking now of October's meeting. More to come in the next couple months

If there is anything I can do to help you, feel free to call or email the post we as officers are here to help the American legion family on all sides.

In closing here is a great quote

"Somehow I can't believe that there are any heights that can't be scaled by a man who knows the secrets of making dreams come true. This special secret, it seems to me, can be summarized in four C s. They are curiosity, confidence, courage, and constancy."

– Walt Disney

Till we see each other again

Terry Barrington

4th Vice Commander

With everything closed, there is really nothing to report except on the scholarship program. Again this year we will have one. If you plan to submit an application, please have a letter stating you have been accepted to college. I must have it be the end of June.

I hope everyone is well and staying safe. Do you remember when small pox was the world number one health issue? What about tuberculosis? Let's all stay safe and return.

Tim Bellis

Service Officer

Recently I had a conversation with our former Cpt. of our Firing Squad, Ron Sullivan. He cannot drive due to his eye condition. He certainly is in a good frame of mind. He does not sound depressed, but you can tell he misses his association with the Firing Squad. We do miss his gravel voice in our outings. A salute goes out to Our Former Firing Squad Cpt. (SALUTE for your 27 years member of our Post.) Lilian is also home bound with serious health issues.

Another member of our Squad who does some of the calling who has a serious health condition is Sandy Schueppel. Sandy is on 24/7 oxygen. Her stamina is not the best, but she manages to get around the house. We

had a good conversation, but Casino trips might not be in order. Take care and thank you for your 12 years of service to the Post. She is now on Facebook.

If you are aware of a post member that is ill or has a need please let us know. Please stay safe during these trying times.

In Memoriam - Post Members from Jan. 1 to April 24, 2020

Ken Willms—Richard Wadel—Robert J. Jablonski—Daniel Jakubowski

Pat Lutomski—Richard Talazko—John Schindwein—Marv Seeger

Our Condolences to their Families

Bob Zolandz

Firing Squad

Our Firing squad has been on hold for quite some time, and we will be selective when it comes to military honors. This gives us time to shine our shoes and get those white shirts nice and white when we resume our duties. The next time we get together we will be in our summer attire.

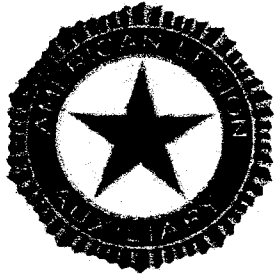
There is no squad meeting scheduled for the month of May. The Memorial Day parade is on hold and probably will be cancelled. The June activities are also on hold at this time.

We said good bye to Pat Lutomski, who was a member of Post 416 for 15 years. She served as the 2nd Vice and was an Auxiliary member. She was an active member of our Firing Squad.

We also bid fare well to a devoted member of our Post and Firing Squad Marvin Seeger. He served our Post for 25 years. Thanks for your service.

Proud to serve as your Cpt.

Bob Zolandz



President's Corner

The world is still turning and we are still members of the greatest veterans service organization in the world! I hope you are following social distancing guidelines and washing those hands. We will get through this unusual time in our lives and probably be a little better for it.

When we are able to resume our regular meetings, we will have much to accomplish. We will need to drape the charter for some members that we lost this past year. We will need to reschedule our Spaghetti Dinner for this

fall. We will resume our plans for the pizza party at the VA and look at other opportunities to serve our veterans and military.

What have you been doing since being at home? Have you done projects for our veterans, military or your community? Have you donated to help with the food bank, or other food donation sites? Our unit has made donations to Zablocki VA and the Hunger Task Force to help out. Have you made face masks for our front line heroes? Have you put together any puzzles, finished any projects, or even started new ones? Let me know how you have been keeping busy and we will share some of the stories.

One thing you could do if you have time, is to go to the National website, www.alaforveterans.org and do some of the member training they have set up. There are a few different subjects and we might even learn a thing or two in the process.

We will be distributing poppies once this lockdown is over, but to know when and where will have to be determined. Watch for more info in coming newsletters.

Until next time, stay home, stay safe and God Bless America.

Laura Calteux

Newsletter articles are due to Laura Calteux by May 22nd. Please send via email to: lauracalteux@yahoo.com

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SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

PUPIL RECORD RELEASE FORM

I hereby authorize the _____ to release my rank in class
Name of school

and any pertinent list scores to the Greendale American Legion Post 416, for the purpose of scholarship evaluation. I understand that the information will be kept confidential and will not be made available to any source other than the scholarship judges of the Greendale American Legion Post 416.

Date of release _____

Applicant's name (print)

Applicant's Signature

Parent or Guardian's Name (print)

Parent or Guardian's Signature
(if applicant is under 18 years old)

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

_____ **Date of Application**

- 1. **Name** _____
- 2. **Address** _____
- 3. **Phone Number** _____
- 4. **High School Attended** _____
- 5. **Expected Date of Graduation** _____
- 6. **Sex** Male _____ Female _____
- 7. **College of Your Choice** _____
 Location _____
- 8. **College Scholarship** _____
 Do you intend to pursue a Bachelor's Degree? Yes _____ No _____
- 9. **Technical Scholarship** _____

Name of Parent or Guardian _____

_____	_____	_____	_____
Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	

Address _____

_____	_____	_____	_____
Street	City	State	Zip Code

Name of per through whom you qualify for this scholarship

_____	_____	_____	_____
Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Relationship

Address _____

_____	_____	_____	_____
Street	City	State	Zip Code

Financial and Employment Data

Parent or person who you are dependent upon for family income:

Father _____ Mother _____ Both _____ Other _____

Do you have a savings or insurance income you can use for college expenses? Yes _____ No _____ If available, how much \$ _____

Will you be completely dependent upon your own financial efforts for college? Yes _____ No _____

Are you currently employed? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, place of employment _____

Applicant's Signature

The following information to be supplied by parent or guardian.

Father's or guardian occupation _____

Mother's occupation _____

Wisconsin _____ Net Taxable Income \$ _____
Year (include spouse's income)

Extra ordinary financial obligations or additional information that the judging committee may deem helpful in determining financial need.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
PUPIL RECORD RELEASE FORM

The signed form must be presented along with page 5 of this application to your counselor. The record release form is in accordance with existing State and Federal laws governing the release of student records and is to remain the property of the school issuing the requested information as required by law.

I authorize the _____ High School to release the student's records request by _____
Name of Applicant

Rank in class _____

Standard test scores _____

Evaluation of scholarship suitability _____

Personal qualities rating _____

I fully understand that this information is strictly confidential and is to be submitted directly to Greendale American Legion Post 416 by the school and raters. I further understand that this information is to be used for the sole purpose of selection scholarship recipients, and that it will be utilized in the strictest confidence by Greendale American Legion Post 416.

Signature of Applicant

Signature of Parent or Guardian

(if applicant is under 18 years old)

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name of Student _____

School Records: To be completed by the counselor of the applicant's school

A student records release form has been issued to the applicant and should accompany this form. It is to be retained by the applicant's school for its records as required by law.

Please forward this completed form by June 1st. A self addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience.

1. Name of school _____

2. Address _____

Phone number _____

3. Number of boys in graduating class _____

This student rank among boys _____

Number of girls in graduating class _____

This student rank among girls _____

(The formula evaluates boys and girls separately in this category)

4. Test Scores

S.A.T. V _____ M _____

A.C.T. _____ composite college bound percentile

Achievement test comp percentile ITED, PSAT or Siriar Test _____

Please be sure to include this as many applicants will not need a college admission test.

National percentiles also requested _____

Is there any reason why this applicant should not be considered for scholarship recognition? Yes _____ No _____ If yes, please explain.

Signature of School Authority