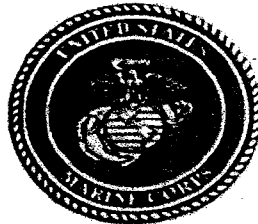


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## POST 416 INFORMATIONAL GUIDE

Post Officers 2021-2021

### MEETINGS

<b>COMMANDER</b>	Tim Baranyk	Exe. Board
Adjutant	<i>TIM BELLIS</i>	1st Tuesday
Finance Officer	Leo Taylor	7:00 PM
1st Vice Commander	Terry Barrington	
2nd Vice Commander	<i>DARRYL KLOT</i>	Firing Squad
3rd Vice Commander	<i>DOUG ATHLIPS</i>	2nd Thursday
4th Vice Commander	Tim Bellis	Jan, Mar, May,
Chaplain		June Sept. Nov.
Service Officer	Bob Zolandz	7:00 Post
Judge Advocate	Stan Pinkowski	
Sgt. At Arms	Dan Baker	General Post Mrg,
Sgt. At Arms	Jerry White	3rd Thur. 7:00
Historian		
Firing Sqd. Capt.	Bob Zolandz	
1st Lt. Firing Sqd.	Bob Vanselow	
2nd Lt. Firing Sqd.	Ed King	
<i>ASS'T ADJUTANT</i>	<i>DAVE PIER</i>	

### AUXILIARY OFFICERS 2019-2020

President	Laura Calteux	Auxiliary
1st Vice President	Carol Stephany	3rd Thursday
2nd Vice President		7:00 PM
Secretary		
Treasurer	Kathy Zagar	
Chaplain	Andrea Diamond	
Historian		
Sgt. At Arms	Florence Groth	
Asst.Sgt.At Arms	Alexa Fryjoff	

### SAL Officers 2019-2020

Commander	Dave Bauer	SAL
Adjutant	Jerry Meyers	2nd Thursday
		7:00 PM

OCTOBER

- 1<sup>st</sup> Badger Detachment Meeting 7:00pm
- 4<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 6:00pm, Firing Squad
- 6<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 9:45am, Firing Squad  
Executive Board Meeting 7:00pm
- 7<sup>th</sup> Vietnam Vets Meeting 6:30pm
- 8<sup>th</sup> SAL Meeting 7:00pm
- 11<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 6:00pm, 40/8
- 13<sup>th</sup> Bingo in memorial Hall, 9:45am, Firing Squad
- 15<sup>th</sup> Post & Auxiliary Membership Meeting 7:00pm
- 18<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 6:00pm, Post
- 20<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 9:45am, Firing Squad
- 21<sup>st</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> District Meeting 7:00pm, Post 416
- 25<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 6:00pm, Post
- 26<sup>th</sup> VFW Meeting 6:30pm
- 27<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 9:45am, Firing Squad  
40/8 Meeting 7:00pm

## NOVEMBER

- 1<sup>st</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 6:00pm, Firing Squad
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- 12<sup>th</sup> SAL Meeting 7:00pm  
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- 15<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 6:00pm, Post
- 17<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 9:45am, Firing Squad
- 18<sup>th</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> District Meeting 7:00pm, Post 120
- 19<sup>th</sup> Post and Auxiliary Membership Meeting 7:00p
- 22<sup>nd</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 6:00pm, Post
- 23<sup>rd</sup> VFW Meeting 6:30pm
- 24<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 9:45am, Firing Squad  
40/8 Meeting 7:00pm
- 29<sup>th</sup> Bingo in Memorial Hall, 6:00pm, Post

## COMMANDERS REPORT

As we begin to meet, some restrictions still apply. Continue to monitor the news for what is going on.

We just completed elections and did an installation the same night. We're seriously looking at different communication methods which may appeal to the majority of members, while still keeping up our monthly newsletter. We are in the process of shaking up the tree, so to speak. As I mentioned a month earlier, we're looking for your email address that we can use to contact you about news. This may be in the form of Commander's Notes, maybe once or twice a month, depending on the news. So when the request comes in for your email address, please give it. For others, the regular newsletter may be fine.

As for events at the Post, we continue Tuesday and Sunday bingo, both with good crowds. Wearing of the mask and practicing social distancing seems to be ok for now. During bingo, when you walk around, the mask is on. When a caller reads the numbers back, the mask is on. So far, so good.

Yesterday on the 19<sup>th</sup> of September, we dished out 500 plus chicken dinners by the Monogram Club. The whole event was well received. This was free.

I'd like to Thank Dave Pier for his many hours of work as Adjutant. He'll be stepping back a little bit and take a role as Assistant Adjutant. Darrel Klotz filled in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice. Again, I'd like to Thank Lyle Jackson for his work with the Post while 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice. Theresa Buffington volunteered as Post Historian,

while the rest of officers remained the same. Based on ever changing health conditions of our members, more changes may occur.

This year continues to be unusual. Our memorial bricks will be done and I hope caught up to date pretty soon. Two of the members doing the bricks caught the virus, plus 3 months of down time as being a non-essential service. So bear with us. We still continue with more brick orders, and have been inputting histories of veterans into the kiosk. Once and a while, something occurs, like no electricity, and everyone gets excited. Or, we have bad weather. Everyone associated and many more besides, continue to monitor the Memorial. Thanks to all of you.

As for Legion activities at the State or National level, your guess is as good as mine. The first Tuesday in October will be our Executive Board meeting. Some of this will be brought up and I hope a date to implement a few things. We have some changes coming, but for the good of everyone. We'll try it and see what happens. There is no word on the Oratorical Contest yet, Badger Boys State, etc. The Fall meetings may be a virtual or in person event, whichever is safer for the member. For us, there is no food at the membership or district meetings. We do our stuff, and leave. The district operates Commanders Notes, usually on a weekly basis for immediate news. Linda Pfeiffer is the one to contact, if you want to be included.

We continue to monitor the health and safety of our members. Please keep us posted. If you want to have a change of

pace, go and visit Shangri-La in Hales Corners as Don Teffler, has been asking for members to come out, go fishing, Kayak, burn some wood, picnic, etc. It's free. Look for GI Joe on Grange at about 125<sup>th</sup> or so. Drive towards the red barn, and go around it. You're at Kelly Lake. Park your car, and enjoy.

Tim Baranzyk

## **1<sup>ST</sup> VICE COMMANDER**

Hello fellow legionnaires

I want to personally welcome everyone back from summer break. I am personally glad to start having meetings again. Speaking of meetings I want to thank Lyle for his service as the post 2nd vice. You did a great job. And want to welcome Darrel as our new 2nd Vice. Looking forward to working with you this year. I am looking forward to continuing on as 1st Vice.

Speaking on membership, we are at 347 out of 658 that have renewed their investment into our great post here in Greendale. That puts us at 53% to goal. Next meeting I will be looking for help with our membership committee to start reaching out to our fellow members that have not renewed. I am looking for 4-5 people to help.

On a different note, I want to thank Tim Bellis, Dan Baker, Doug Phillips, Commander Tim and all the rest of the Americanism Team for stepping up and taking over for my father Rick. As you may not know he is in hospice. He loved helping and being with all the members. You all are and will always be family.

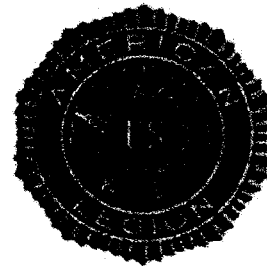
Doug Phillips accepted the 3rd vice position and I know he will keep the programs up to speed when we can get back doing programs. I am also looking forward to working with you Doug. Again congrats.

I want to Thank Dave Pier for his 25 plus years of being adjutant of your post. You are a true asset to this post and a great source for legion info. Looking forward to working with our new adjutant Tim Bellis . Best of luck and can't wait to get started.

As for everything else, be ready for some big changes. We have started the process to start meetings on the web live. We have a lot of planning and moving parts to this project, more to come in next newsletter

Til next time we meet

Terry Barrington



## **4<sup>th</sup> VICE COMMANDER**

I wish we would have news on the 4th vice but we have little news to bring forward. The Oratorical Contest might not happen this year. We will hear by next month if we will have one. With the world as it is today we have to get the youth involved in our programs. That's where YOU come in. Look up the Legion website

and you will find a world of information. If we do not have an Oratorical as we know it today, let's have a written one. We know people have trouble speaking, but writing could be another way to get involved. It all starts with you talking it up.

We will be trying to go on-line with a few things here at the post, stay tune for information on this.

Tim Bellis

## **ADJUTANT**

We had Post election of Officers of the Post. After the election, we did the installation of Officers for those being elected. Results of the election and your new officers at Greendale Post 416 are as follows:  
Commander – Tim Baranzyk, 1<sup>st</sup> Vice – Terry Barrington, 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice – Darrell Klotz, 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice – Doug Phillips, 4<sup>th</sup> Vice – Tim Bellis, Adjutant – Tim Bellis, Asst. Adjutant – Dave Pier, Finance Officer – Leo Taylor, Judge Advocate – Stan Pinkowski, Service Officer – Bob Zolandz, Chaplain – open, Historian – open, Sgt. At Arms – Jerry White and Dan Baker and 3<sup>rd</sup> term executive board – Roy Young.

Anyone interested in the open positions of Chaplain and Historian, call Post Commander, these positions will be appointed by the Commander.

Dave Pier

## **FIRING SQUAD**

We are doing military honors with restrictions, 5 members per outing. It is very important that you make your commitment in a timely manner when the call is made. I appreciate this and I am thankful for all the cooperation. Some of you in the squad have requested short leave from the squad and knowing that helps to fill the needs for the honors.  
Thanks

As this article is going to press, Rick Barrington, a legion member for 18 years and part of our firing squad is in hospice. Our prayers go out to his family.

Bob Kennedy is in need of prayers and good wishes. Bob is a member of our post for 38 years and an active member of our Firing Squad. Bob is in hospice at home with the love of his wife Janet.

Proud to serve as your Cpt. Firing Squad for another year.

Bob Zolandz

## **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

Fall is coming! I am loving this cooler weather since Fall is my favorite time of the year. Enjoy being outdoors and sitting by a fire enjoying your family's company.

We will not be having a meeting in October, but will have one in November. It will at 7 pm on November 19<sup>th</sup> and it would be great to see you there.

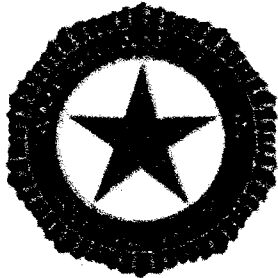
We aren't able to do too many things, but will be working on our I Spy, You Fly

program for Americanism. The certificates are printed out and I finally have the frames. At our November meeting, we will be putting them together and seeing who would like to deliver them to the businesses that are flying our American Flag proudly.

Congratulations to the new and experienced officers of our Legion post. I am looking forward to working along-side you and your members this coming year. Don't forget to get your Auxiliary involved!

Stay Safe!

Laura Calteux



## **1<sup>ST</sup> VICE PRESIDENT**

Hello Members

Thank you all for the great response in completing your 2021 membership renewal and payment of dues. Everyone should have received a renewal notice from National this past week. I have been busy processing your renewals and sending out your membership cards. We are now well over 70% and might qualify for an award drawing! At the September meeting we voted to pay for all of our junior members for 2021. We thought that it would be a nice gesture in recognition of the stress and uncertainty of the pandemic on our young

members. If you have a grand-daughter or other family member who is a junior, please note that they are taken care of for 2021. I would appreciate all other members to promptly send in your dues to me or call direct to National to pay by credit card.

Thank you!

Carol Stephany

**If you want to put an article in the next newsletter, please email to:**

**[lauracalteux@yahoo.com](mailto:lauracalteux@yahoo.com)**

**deadline October 20<sup>th</sup>.**





# SONS OF THE AMERICAN LEGION

Greendale Squad 416

July 2020



Receiving the Vince Weidel and Paul White Scholarship from SAL Squad 416 Commander Dave Bauer is Sarah Washrark, who was joined by her father and mother, Scott and Amy Schwark.

## Long Time Memorial Scholarship Continues

For many years, SAL Squad 416 has honored American Legion mentors Paul White and Vince Weidel by providing a scholarship in their memory to an outstanding Greendale high school senior.

Despite the Covid-19 pandemic, the Squad Commander Dave Bauer presented its 2020 scholarship to Sarah Schwark at its meeting on July 10.

Miss Schwark, who plans to study nursing at Carrol University this fall, graduated with a 3.86 grade average from Greendale High. She's the daughter of Scott and Amy Schwark of Greendale. Her dad is a retired lieutenant colonel of the Wisconsin Air National Guard's 128<sup>th</sup> Air Refueling Wing. She also noted that her relatives were deployed in Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom.

In her application for the scholarship, she wrote "I grew up with a reverence for veterans, and a deep love for my country where others were willing to fight for my freedom."