



American Legion AB Church Post 143 Calendar of Events 2025

as of 3/26/25

Jan	Feb	Mar
<p>1/14 - COA Vet's Breakfast @0900 by Omelet Factory</p> <p>1/22 – AL Monthly Meeting</p> <p>POC</p>	<p>2/11 COA Coffee Hour @0900</p> <p>2/26-AL Monthly Meeting</p> <p>POC – Dick Nickerson</p>	<p>3/11 - 2nd Tuesday COA Coffee Hour @0900</p> <p>3/20 – VA monthly visit</p> <p>3/26-National Medal of Honor Day</p> <p>3/26- AL Monthly Meeting 5:00 pm, Presentation by Rick, present POW/ MIA table, Guest Speaker from VA</p> <p>3/29-National Vietnam Day</p> <p>POC – Rick Wall</p>
Apr	May	Jun
<p>4/8 - 2nd Tuesday COA Vet's Breakfast @0900 Legion breakfast</p> <p>4/17 -VA monthly visit</p> <p>4/19 – Grave cleaning activity Hanson</p> <p>4/23-AL Monthly Meeting Singo</p> <p>POC – ?Stan Carita? Or Kathleen Keegan for Poker Night</p>	<p>5/13 - 2nd Tuesday Vet's COA Coffee Hr @ 0900</p> <p>5/8-Chamber Candidate Forum</p> <p>5/13 - Town Meeting</p> <p>5/15-VA monthly visit</p> <p>5/17 - Town Election</p> <p>5/17-18 - Distributing poppies</p> <p>5/23 – 3 Elem Schools Mem Service, 0900 am-Bryantville, 1000 - Hobomock, 1330 North Pemb</p> <p>5/28-AL Monthly Meeting, Presentation of Pembroke Goldstar relatives discussing their person who was KIA</p> <p>Nomination of officers.</p> <p>5/26- Memorial Day Ceremony, 1000 @ Memorial Park</p> <p>POC:</p>	<p>6/10- - 2nd Tuesday Vet's COA Coffee Hour @ 0900</p> <p>4/17-VA monthly visit</p> <p>6/25-5 pm AL Monthly Meeting, meet at Mount Pleasant Cemetery and clean veteran's graves and 6 pm - cookout to follow. Supplies and food will be provided.</p> <p>(480 Mattakesett St, Pembroke), <i>If it rains, meet at Bryantville Meeting House. Rain date TBD</i></p> <p>POC: Mike Duchaney</p>
July	August	Sept
<p>7/8 - COA Vet's Breakfast @0900 Legion breakfast</p> <p>7/17 – VA monthly visit</p> <p>7/23 AL meeting – TBD - Plymouth Harbor Cruise. Max-50 pax. Time: 5:00 pm \$25 Transportation will be provided from Meeting House</p> <p>RSVP -@ KKeegan Realty. Sign Up with Rick Wall/Kathleen Keegan</p> <p>POC – Rick Wall</p>	<p>8/12- (2nd Tuesday) - COA Veteran's coffee hour</p> <p>8/TBD – Pembroke Fun Day, Swim Program Party, 1100-1400, Town Landing (RW)</p> <p>8/21-VA monthly visit</p> <p>8/27 AL Family Summer Cookout, location Ludams's Ford Park. Set up 1600, event: 1700-1900</p> <p>RSVP – Kathleen@KKeeganRealty.com</p> <p>POC</p>	<p>9/9- (2nd Tuesday) - COA Veteran's coffee hour</p> <p>TBD - Race for the Fallen in Dedham, 0900</p> <p>9/18 – VA monthly visit</p> <p>9/20 - Pembroke Celebrates table @ PHS, 1700-2030, set up 1500</p> <p>9/24 - AL monthly meeting introduce officers,</p> <p>9/28 Arthur Briggs Taps at WWII Memorial Wash DC</p> <p>POC</p>
Oct	Nov	Dec
<p>10/14 - (2nd Tuesday) COA Vet's Breakfast @0900 by OmeletFactory</p> <p>10/16 VA monthly visit</p> <p>10/22 – AL monthly meeting</p> <p>1700 – Halloween Party</p> <p>POC – Christine Callahan</p>	<p>?? 11/11 - COA Veteran's Lunch, 2nd Tuesday, @ 1200</p> <p>11/11 - Veteran's Day Ceremony @ PHS @ 1100</p> <p>11/20-VA monthly visit</p> <p>11/19 – AL monthly meeting @ 1700 (3rd Wed)</p> <p>POC -</p>	<p>12/6 Saturday -Tree Lighting 1400-1700, set up 1230</p> <p>12/9, (2nd Tuesday) COA Coffee Hr @ 0900</p> <p>12/18-VA monthly visit</p> <p>12/17 -AL Holiday meal @ 1700 (3rd Wed) with Yankee Swap</p> <p>POC -</p>

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Give us ideas	What would you like to do?	What would be a good activity?

** Unless otherwise noted, monthly meetings start at 1700 and include supper with friends ❤️ .

POC for VA monthly visit – Paul Dovel, (857) 499-2453

Fundraising –

- Sell poppy’s at town meeting, May 13
- Lowes, Market Basket, Ocean State Job Lot, Stop and Shop, Big Y

Interested in joining our Legion Bowling team Season 2? Paul Dovell at pdovell@comcast.net or (781) 294-0337.

Ongoing/Monthly
<i>American Legion Post 143 Monthly Meeting 4th Wednesday of the Month @ Bryantville Meeting House @ 32 School Street, Pembroke (behind the firehouse)</i>
VA Brockton Hospital Visit – 3rd Thursday of the Month
COA coffee hour or Quarterly breakfast – 2 nd Tuesday of the Month
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All meetings may be subject to change

Your American Legion Officers:

Assignment	Name	Contact Info
Commander	Paul Dovell	pdovell@comcast.net, (857) 499-2453
Finance Officer	Dick Nickerson	Dick.nickerson@gmail.com 781 975-9152
Vice Commander	Kathleen Keegan	Kathleen@KKeeganRealty.com, 781-775-4670
Jr Vice Commander		
Post Service Officer	Dave McPhillips	davidmcpillips@verizon.net, 339-499-8550
Adjutant	Michael Duchaney	mduchaney@gmail.com, (339) 309-9479
SGT of Arms	Christine Callahan	christinecallahan@ymail.com
Post Historian	Joe Chetwyn	
Post Chaplin	Tim Veglas	tveglas@gmail.com, (781) 724-9820
Social Media Manager		
Trustee	Rick Wall	

LOOKING FOR INPUT FROM OUR MEMBERS –

- **Give us at least one suggestion of what you like to do/see/hear/experience at a monthly meeting.**
 - Please email your suggestions to Kathleen Keegan @ Kathleen@KKeeganRealty.com or have a conversation with her or any of your American Legion Officers
- **Would you like to be more involved with the American Legion? Choose a subcommittee or area that you would like to help with:**

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ _____ Social Media Manager (really need help) ○ _____ Website Manager (really need help) ○ _____ Reporter, take photos and write up small articles of our events and submit to Social Media Manager and Website Manager 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ _____ Event Planning / Field Trips ○ _____ Membership ○ _____ Annual cook out assistance ○ _____ Staff the American Legion table at community events (Tree Lighting, Pembroke Celebrates)
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Veteran Crisis Line – 800-273-8255 or Call/Text 988 (press 1). Ability to chat online or text.

www.veteranscrisisline.net

Who would like to purchase American Legion polo shirts? We will let you know price at our next American Legion meeting.

Deal Savers for Veterans
Vettix.org - events
afvclub.com – vacation / travel
Discount on renting Bryantville Meeting House, \$55 vs \$175
What are some other ways for Veterans to save?