

# THE POST newsletter

## August 2025

STEWARTVILLE AMERICAN LEGION POST 164 1100 2nd Ave NW, Stewartville, MN 55976

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Upcoming Events in August					
August 4	VFW Meeting	7 pm			
August 11	Legion Board Meeting	7 pm			
August 16	Annual Legion Golf Tournament	•			
August 18	SAL Meeting	6:30 pm			
August 18	Legion Meeting	7:30 pm			

#### **Legion Commanders Message**

A special thanks to all of you who participated in the July 4th parade! It was hot, but there was a great turnout. Troy Helget, I appreciate two of your sons joining us to lead off the parade. You have to be proud of all of your kids being in the military. Wes Alrick, I thank you for all you do each year. Summer is going by way too quickly so please grab a few moments to relax. Renewal notices went out, so please send in your dues as we need your support to maintain our voice in decisions made in regard to our veterans.

Again, I close with thanks for allowing me to be your commander. Ron

### **SAL Commanders Message**

Hello Legion Family

August is upon us and the dog days of summer are here. Son's our 2026 memberships are now in effect and Eric Klingsporn is the new Finance officer and Membership director. Ask around for help finding him if you don't know who he is. This is golf tournament month so best of luck to all who participate and thanks to those who put it all together. Your hard work is appreciated. Head's up for color guard for football that will be starting soon Dave will have sign up sheet soon I'm sure.

Thank you all. commander Todd

# American Legion Post 164 Calendar

# **August 2025**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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					Car Show 5:30-7pm Meat Raffle	Open Noon Happy Hour Noon -5:30pm \$3 Domestic 200z taps
					6pm \$1 off lg pizza	2002 tups
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Open Noon Happy Hour All Day \$15 Domestic Buckets	VFW Meeting 7pm  Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	Ladies Day Margaritas \$3.25 Tacos 5:30-7pm	Bingo 7pm Bar Menu 5:30 pm	Men's Day \$15 Domestic Buckets	Car Show 1st Responder Night 5:30-7pm Meat Raffle 6pm \$1 off lg pizza	Open Noon Happy Hour Noon -5:30pm \$3 Domestic 200z taps
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Open Noon Happy Hour All Day \$15 Domestic Buckets	Legion Board 7pm Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	Ladies Day Margaritas \$3.25 Tacos 5:30-7pm	No Bingo \$1 Off Lg Heggies Pizza	Men's Day \$15 Domestic Buckets	Car Show 5:30-7pm Meat Raffle 6pm \$1 off lg pizza	Open Noon Legion Golf Tournament
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Open Noon Happy Hour All Day \$15 Domestic Buckets	SAL Mtg 6:30 LegionMtg7:30 Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	Ladies Day Margaritas \$3.25 Tacos 5:30-7pm	Bingo 7pm Bar Menu 5:30 pm	Men's Day \$15 Domestic Buckets	Car Show 5:30-7pm Meat Raffle 6pm \$1 off lg pizza	Open Noon Happy Hour Noon -5:30pm \$3 Domestic 200z taps
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
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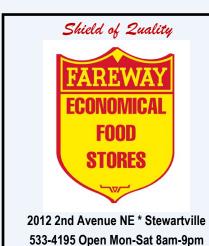








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#### Officers:

Commander—Ron Moore
1st Vice—Troy Helget
2nd Vice—Kristin Anderson
Finance Officer—Bob Theobald
Chaplain—Allen Santema
Judge Advocate—Wes Alrick
Historian—Rich Paulson
Service Officer—George Beach
Sgt-at-Arms—Dean Ramaker
Adjutant—Roger Barsness

#### **Executive Board**:

Bill Hurley—Chairman
Bob Theobald
Dean Ramaker
Mark Theobald
Dennie Voll
Sonny Feind

### Lisa's Fun Facts

- Toto was paid \$125 per week while filming the Wizard of Oz
- Over 60% of the world's lakes are located in Canada
- The Legion has some of the BEST popcorn around. Come in and enjoy a cold beverage and some delicious popcorn. Remember donations for popcorn are always appreciated.
- The average person laughs 10 times in a day!
- No word in the English language rhymes with month.

### **Auxiliary President Message**

Dear Members,

I hope you're enjoying a relaxing summer!
I wanted to let you know that our unit will be increasing annual dues from \$35 to \$45 for the upcoming 2025–2026 Auxiliary year. This was not an easy decision, but it has become necessary due to changes at the Department and National levels. The Department of Minnesota has raised their portion of the dues from \$12 to \$17, and the National organization continues to require \$18 per member. This brings the combined total for Department and National dues to \$35—exactly what we currently charge. In addition, our unit pays \$2 per member to the 1st District, bringing our total fixed dues to \$37. It's also possible the district will raise their dues within the next year or two.

With declining membership across all levels of the American Legion Auxiliary, this adjustment helps ensure that we can continue supporting our vital programs, our veterans, and our community. Your membership dues directly contribute to the operation and impact of our unit.

The executive committee will meet on August 18th to finalize the budget for the 2025–2026 year, and we look forward to reconnecting with you at our first Auxiliary meeting after the summer break, scheduled for Monday, September 15th at 6:30 p.m.

Warm regards, **Molly Schmidt** President

\*Pavers for the memorial are for sale at the Legion for \$250. Ask the bartenders for an application if you are looking to purchase a paver.