



THE POST newsletter

February 2026

STEWARTVILLE AMERICAN LEGION POST 164

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Upcoming Events in February

February 2	VFW Meeting	7 pm
February 7	Cabin Fever Craft Show	9am-1pm
February 8	Legion Auxiliary Egg Bake	9-11:30am
February 9	Legion Board Meeting	7 pm
February 14	Steak and Shrimp Dinner	5:30-7pm
February 16	Auxiliary Meeting	6:30 pm
February 16	SAL Meeting	6:30 pm
February 16	Legion Meeting	7:30 pm

Legion Commanders Message

Here we are into January and into winter. Hopefully this finds everyone well and healthy. I want to thank the following people for attending the cancer telethon with me: Dean and Diane Ramaker, Molly Schmidt, Todd Reeves, and Bill Hurley. Being that I am a 29-year cancer survivor, it makes the telethon a special event, and hopefully they will find a cure. There's a lot going on at the club so make sure you stop in and take part. Again, I close with thank you for allowing me to be your Commander.
Ron

SAL Commanders Message

Hello Legion Family

February is here and hopefully the deep cold is over. Son's I'll be making calls this month to get outstanding memberships caught up. Busy months coming we have a steak and shrimp dinner Valentines Day then fish fry season for Lent! Bill Hurley is needing many more volunteers for these days so let's step up and help Bill and the Post. Hope the groundhog has great news this February! Happy Valentines Day Post 164.

Thank you, Commander Todd

American Legion Post 164 Calendar

February 2026

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Open Noon Happy Hour All Day	2 <u>VFW Meeting</u> 7pm Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	3 Ladies Day Margaritas \$3.25 Tacos 5:30-7pm	4 Bingo 7pm 5:30 pm Meal Served 6 pm Bar Menu	5 Men's Day \$15 Domestic Buckets	6 Bar Menu 5:30 pm Meat Raffle 6pm \$1 off lg pizza	7 Cabin Fever Craft and Vendor Show 9am-1pm
8 Legion Auxiliary Egg Bake 9-11:30am	9 <u>Legion Board</u> 7pm Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	10 Ladies Day Margaritas \$3.25 Tacos 5:30-7pm	11 Bingo 7pm 5:30 pm Meal Served 6 pm Bar Menu	12 Horse Racing 6pm Meal Served 5:30pm	13 Bar Menu 5:30 pm Meat Raffle 6pm \$1 off lg pizza	14 Steak and Shrimp Dinner 5:30-7pm
15 Open Noon Happy Hour All Day	16 <u>AuxMtg 6:30</u> <u>SAL Mtg 6:30</u> <u>LegionMtg7:30</u> Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	17 Ladies Day Margaritas \$3.25 Tacos 5:30-7pm	18 Bingo 7pm 5:30 pm Meal Served 6 pm Bar Menu	19 Men's Day \$15 Domestic Buckets	20 Fish Dinner 5:30-7pm Meat Raffle 6pm \$1 off lg pizza No Bar Menu	21 Open Noon Happy Hour Noon-5:30pm \$3 Domestic 20oz taps 1st District Meeting
22 Open Noon Happy Hour All Day	23 Burger Nite 5:30-7pm	24 Ladies Day Margaritas \$3.25 Tacos 5:30-7pm	25 Bingo 7pm 5:30 pm Meal Served 6 pm Bar Menu	26 Horse Racing 6pm Meal Served 5:30pm	27 Fish Dinner 5:30-7pm Meat Raffle 6pm \$1 off lg pizza No Bar Menu	28 Open Noon Happy Hour Noon-5:30pm \$3 Domestic 20oz taps

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***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.**

Join us for our 2026 fish fries! All-you-can-eat buffet with fried and broiled fish.

\$16 Adults • \$10 Kids under 10 • \$5 Kids under 5

Auxiliary President Message

On January 18th, the Legion family united in support at the Eagles Cancer Telethon. Thanks to generous donations from the Auxiliary, Post, Sons, VFW, and Legion family members, a check was presented for \$5,050.

February is Americanism Month. Please remember to fly your flag on Presidents' Day, February 16, as we honor and show our continued support for the veterans who have served, and those who are currently serving, our country.

Applications for the two \$1,000 scholarships for two senior girls are now available at the high school. Award winners will be announced in the spring of 2026.

If you know a junior at Stewartville High School who may be interested in attending Girls State or Boys State, please encourage them to apply. Both programs will be held June 14–20, with Boys State at St. John's University and Girls State at Bethel University. For more information, contact Wanda Prescher at w.prescher1951@gmail.com. These programs offer an excellent opportunity for students to meet peers from across Minnesota while learning how city, county, and state governments operate.

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who helped and donated during the Auxiliary's community care holiday drive in November and December.

The Auxiliary will host its annual Egg Bake on Sunday, February 8, 2026, from 9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Proceeds

from the egg bake will go to the North Star Honor Flight. We are excited to add pancakes to the menu this year! Tickets are \$10 in advance or \$11 at the door and may be purchased at the Legion or by contacting Auxiliary member, Kathy Quandt. Please invite your friends and family to join us.

Be sure to stop by the Cabin Fever Craft Fair on Saturday, February 7, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. and check out the many vendors.

In 2025, the Auxiliary's soda and beer tab collection totaled 55 pounds—more than 170,000 tabs—raising just under \$400 for the Ronald McDonald House. Special thanks to Auxiliary member Theresa Santama for leading this collection effort throughout the year.

Finally, the Auxiliary members will be providing salads for the Steak and Shrimp Dinner on Saturday, February 14.

If you haven't stopped by Taco Tuesday lately—or ever—join us at the Legion on Tuesdays from 5:30–7:00 p.m. Auxiliary members will be serving up delicious tacos and taco salads. This is one of our biggest fundraisers of the year, and now we offer both chicken and beef options!

Stewartville Auxiliary President, Molly Schmidt