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Jim Frost, Commander  
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# VFW Messenger

## Commander's Message

Loyalty, Honor, Service

Comrades,

Greetings! I hope you enjoyed a wonderful 4<sup>th</sup> of July.

Thankfully the rainy season appears to have moved on. By my count we had rain 26 of 31 days in July. Hopefully the second half of the summer will be drier and hotter!

We have lots going on during the month of August:

BINGO - Our Bingo continues to set attendance records. We had over 140 players this past week. With the help of the Auxiliary, we've been able to manage the crowd and complete the games in record times. We could use 3-4 more volunteers to smooth out the process. The revenue generated by Bingo supports a wide range of our Veteran support activities. If you could possibly spare a couple of hours on a Tuesday night, please come out to the hall. Based on the time you can provide you can help with card sales, food prep and sales, winning card verification or post cleanup. If you are available, we start at 5 on Tuesdays and are normally finished by 9:30. Bingo is the live blood of the Post. Please consider donating a couple of hours a month to help.

SUMMER PICNIC - Our annual summer picnic will be held on Sunday August 22. There is a picnic flyer in this newsletter. This is a family event so spouses, children and/or grandchildren are welcome to attend. We ask if you are attending, to RSVP to the post at (518) 793- 7535 by Tuesday Aug 17<sup>th</sup> so we can get a good head count

Hard to believe the summer is half over already. Where does the time go? We continue to offer outstanding support programs to our Veterans through the efforts of Post members. I am excited about our future opportunities. Our next Post meeting will be on Monday 16 August come join us and hear for yourselves the different programs and activities we have going on.

Hope to see you at our meeting on the 16<sup>th</sup> and the picnic on the 22<sup>nd</sup>!  
Take care.

*Commander Jim Frost*



## *Auxiliary President's Message*

### *Unwavering Support For Uncommon Heroes*



**Lest We Forget.**

Dear Sisters and Comrades-

Just a reminder that meetings are now on the 3rd Monday of the month.

The Post picnic will be Aug 22rd pot luck style. Please bring a dish. The VFW will be supplying the meat. See flyer in newsletter.

I want to thank all the members helping with Bingo and in the kitchen.

We have been asked to open the kitchen for the Polson fan club once a month and volunteers would be appreciation.

School starts back in September and we are waiting on our backpack information from the schools.

Please check on your neighbors as we still have hot weather coming.

We will be advised on all the Covid updates with the new Regulations being changed the CDC.

Please keep submitting your reports for our programs.

The collection of dry goods from all our Bingo players and community donations has been sorted and will be issued to the Glens Falls Veterans Home,,the Blue Code Shelter and

Thank you Barry, Peggy and Allison Cronkhite for the donation of a Air Fryer for use in the kitchen.

God Bless our Troop and God Bless America.

Loyally yours,

Margaret Gordon Monteleone







# WE HAVE BINGO TUESDAYS !!!!

Regular Tuesday night Bingo Coming!!

For August @ 6:30 pm

3rd, 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st

Food and Snacks available

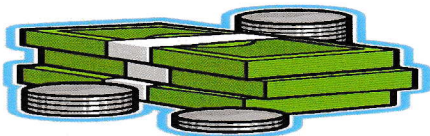
Come and enjoy yourself!

## VFW MOTTO

*"Honor the dead by helping the living"*

VFW POST DONATIONS

July Total - \$0.00



## AUXILIARY DONATIONS

Amy Sweeney

\$250.00

July Total - \$250.00

## CHAPLAINS CORNER

All Members,

Forrest Robinson is our Post Chaplain. You can reach him at 518-743-0714

Auxiliary Chaplain is Kathleen Hayward. She can be reached at 518-642-3024

Please remember those of our members who reside in area Nursing facilities. Keep our ill comrades and sisters in your prayers.

If you know of any member in distress or that needs cheering, you can always leave a message at the Post by calling 793-7535.

If you hear about anyone who is having health problems (VFW or AUX) please use one of the above numbers or the Chaplains box to let us know. There is a very good chance that we do not know about it. Our Chaplain will be glad to send a get well card to a member or a sympathy card to the families.





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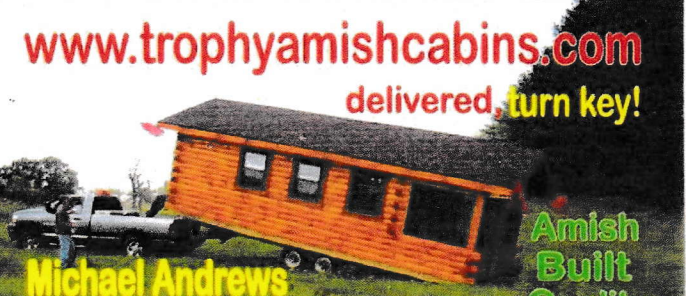


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# VFW POST 6196

## Annual

## Post Picnic

### Bring the Family

Sunday, August 22

1200-1600



**Bring a Dish  
To Share**

**Great  
Food!**

Sausage Hot & Sweet

Barbq Chicken

Hot Dogs

Hamburgers

Salads

Chips

RSVP: By Tuesday August 17<sup>th</sup> Call 518 793-7535



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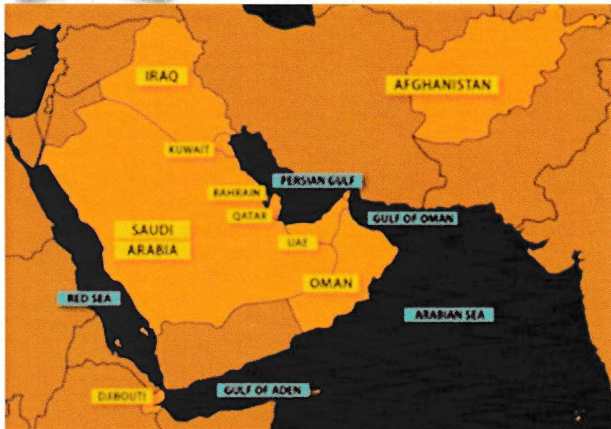


Pray for our troops at home and overseas

God Bless America

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	<b>B I N G O</b>	4	5	6	7
8	9	<b>O  I S</b>	11	12	13	14 Kevin Harder "The Elvis Tribute Show" 5PM - 9PM
15 RGLB Fan Club 12pm - 6pm	16 <i>VFW &amp; Aux Meeting 6 pm</i>	<b>B A C K</b>	18	19 Bass Club 7 PM	20	21
22 VFW/Auxiliary Post Picnic: Pot Luck-don't forget your dish. Noon-???	23	<b>6 PM</b>	25	26	27	28 "The Blues Brothers" & Drew & Donna Country Time 5PM - 10PM
29	30	31				





## VA processing disability claims for certain conditions related to particulate matter

VA is now processing [disability claims](#) for asthma, rhinitis and sinusitis on a presumptive basis based on particulate matter exposures during military service in Southwest Asia and certain other areas – if these conditions manifested within 10 years of a qualifying period of military service.

This will expand benefits for Veterans who served in:

- Afghanistan, Djibouti, Syria, and Uzbekistan during the Persian Gulf War, from September 19, 2001, to the present, **or**
- The Southwest Asia theater of operations from August 2, 1990, to the present

If you have a pending claim for one or more of these conditions, you don't need to do anything. We'll send you a decision notice when we complete our review.

For more information on the new presumptive conditions, visit our website at [Airborne Hazards and Burn Pit Exposures - Public Health \(va.gov\)](#).

To apply for benefits, Veterans and survivors may visit [VA.gov](#) or call toll-free at 800-827-1000.

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