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POST COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

If like to thank everyone who worked so hard around the post beautifying the outside. If you haven't seen their contribution to this project the post perimeter looks great. To recognize a few of the people who helped; Sheila, Sheri, Scott and Jimmy (their last names are left out to protect their innocence). If anyone else was involved that I didn't mention, the post wants to say thank you for everything you done keeping the post beautiful.

This project was completed just in time to welcome the visiting British sailors scheduled to arrive on **Sunday, June 4, 2023**. I ask, if you're not doing anything for their arrival, please come to the post to commiserate with the visiting sailors. The British crew coordinator arranged for food to be brought into the grille for everyone in attendance. Hopefully, this will be a fun time for all.

The City of Portsmouth will be celebrating their 400th anniversary on **Saturday, June 3, 2023**. A parade is scheduled to step off in the vicinity of Hannaford's market at 10:00 am to conclude by 1:00 pm downtown. Be advised, Islington Street will be closed and cleared off all vehicles prior to the start of the parade. Log onto Portsmouth's website for all the details.

The Dover bowl game room has accepted the post as one of their hosting nonprofit organizations. This means all of the proceeds from one week's worth of gaming played during the month of September and October will come to the post. Call the post for the exact dates of those games.

We officers would like to increase the membership attendance at our post meetings. Please consider attending future meetings. The meeting schedule is posted on the calendar at the back of this and all newsletters.

If there is anything the post can do for you, please let us know. Like if you need a family member (veteran) discharge paper, or help getting assistance from veterans affairs, or getting a headstone for a veteran who's passed? (I can't promise this comment) but some of our members have offered to take other members to doctors' appointments. You'll have to call the post to see if anyone is available to take you. Until next month, enjoy the summer weather we've been experiencing.

Frank Desper, Post Commander

POST ADJUTANT'S MESSAGE

Greetings Veterans! June has arrived, and with it a bit of real summer weather. My advice is that you amble down to the grille to visit with friends and enjoy a refreshing drink. While you're there you may want to try your luck with our charitable gaming options. At any rate, say hello to the adjutant while you're there.

Sunday, June 25, 2023, in conjunction with Portsmouth's 400th Anniversary celebration, there will be a full slate of American Legion Baseball games at Leary Field in Portsmouth. Senior, Junior and Prep teams from Dover Post 8 and Portsmouth Post 6 will square off. The day will also feature a vintage baseball game in the middle of the day. Come on out and see what the game of baseball looked like when played a hundred years ago as regional vintage teams play an exhibition game.

Please consider talking with Commander Desper or with Adjutant Capalare about how you can become involved in the continued operation of Post 6. Officer candidates and committee candidates are sorely needed if we are to survive as a post. Enjoy the start of your summer!

Frank Capalare, Post 6 Adjutant

SQUADRON COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

Hi everyone, hope you have been enjoying the nice weather we have been having lately. Looks like we might have a great summer. Our next S.A.L. meeting will be held on **Wednesday, June 14th @ 6:00pm** in the upstairs hall at the post. There are no S.A.L. meetings scheduled for the months of July and August. The next S.A.L. sponsored Surf & Turf will be held **on Saturday, June 10th**, from 3:00 till 5:00pm. Come on out and have some fun, hopefully go home with some nice prizes.

Michael Hunt, S.A.L. Commander



SURF & TURF SCHEDULE

JUNE 3rd- Post
JUNE 10th – S.A.L.
JUNE 17th – Unit
JUNE 24th – Post

ENTERTAINMENT SCHEDULE

JUNE 2nd – Karaoke w/DJ Darlene
JUNE 17th – Karaoke w/DJ Darlene

GRILLE MESSAGE

The entertainment scheduled for June is.

Karaoke Friday June 2nd and Saturday June 17th starting at 7:00pm.

The band for June is Rico Milo
The band starts at 7:00pm.

The post elected to stop having bands for July and August but augmented those months of entertainment with karaoke. The entertainment schedule for July & August is as follows.

July 7	August 4
July 15	August 18
July 21	August 19
July 28	August 25

The bands will start back up in September.

Don't forget the grille has electronic ticket machines for your playing enjoyment. You could win up to \$499.00 in just one pull? Just think, you spend \$0.50 and hit it!!! What would you do with an extra \$499.00 in your pocket? Good luck!

We still play surf & turf starting at 3:00pm. Remember all of the proceeds go towards our child and youth programs. You could win steaks and lobsters or a host of other prizes.

UNIT PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Ladies. Well, we have one more meeting till September. We will still have surf and turf. The auxiliary will be bringing lobsters back!! I want to thank all officers who helped keep the Auxiliary going. You all do a great job each year. Just 5 of us who are active every month doing the best we can. Again, thank you to all the ladies who are always ready to help with events where we serve food. Also, to everyone who have donated all those side dishes!! We'll do this again starting in September. Continue to support your Post!!

Judi Fountas, Unit President 603-964-7007

JUNE 2023						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
28	29	30 MEMORIAL DAY	31	1	2 Karaoke with DJ Darlene 7-11 p.m.	3 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
4	5	6	7	8 Unit Meeting 6 p.m.	9	10 SURF & TURF 3 p.m. Rico Milo 7 p.m.
11	12	13	14 FLAG DAY S.A.L. Meeting 6 p.m.	15 Post Meeting 6 p.m.	16	17 SURF & TURF 3 p.m. Karaoke with DJ Darlene 7-11 p.m.
18 HAPPY FATHER'S DAY	19	20	21	22	23	24 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
25 American Legion Baseball	26	27	28	29	30	1 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.

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