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COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

I want to thank all of the volunteers who helped make our Adult Outing such a great success this year. A vote was made at our last meeting to purchase a pool table and make it FREE to all players. So, for all you pool players out there, come to the Post with your friends and enjoy a game or two or three or four on us.

To all of our golfers out there and sponsors who supported our tournament a couple of weeks ago, next years golf tournament is already scheduled. Saturday, September 8, 2020 at Pease Golf Course. The golf committee set up the tournament to remain the same as this year. The registration table will open at 07:00am for walk-ins. The cost is, \$100.00 per player (\$400.00 per team). If you or anyone on your team is a member of Pease Golf Course, his or hers entry fee will be \$65.00. The round of play (shotgun) will begin at 08:00. A BBQ buffett meal will served after all the teams return to the club house. To help boost our fundraising event, the winning team will receive a free round of golf at Pease. The runner up team will receive a dozen of new quality golf balls (to hit into the woods, haha) and the third place team will win a nice gift from one of our sponsors. With that said; and before everyone tees off, raffle tickets will be on sale to offer you a chance to win several great prizes donated by our sponsors. These same raffle tickets will be on sale prior to the BBQ being served. Good luck to everyone who enters, I'll remind you again when the team registration letters are ready for issue. Thank you, to all of the supporters who help make this event a tremendous fundraiser helping our veterans and families.

Frank Desper, Post Commander

<u>ADJUTANT'S MESSAGE</u>

The monthly newsletter can be accessed at **mylegion.org**. Just create an account in the members section. It is also available on the Department website **nhlegion.org** and click on the newsletter tab. Some info bears repeating. The message from Department is keep increasing membership. The membership rules have changed. It is now official policy. The dates for membership in the legion were expanded to include all veterans honorably discharged or still serving since December 7,1941. The remaining requirements remain the

same. This also applies to the SAL and Auxiliary. Any veteran that you know that is not a member could be invited to join by you. Talk this up and bring them in for a visit.

Membership renewals have slowed down. Early Birds will receive special deals throughout the coming year. The deadline is **Tuesday**, **October 15**, **2019**, so don't miss out. Life and Honorary Life members are already eligible for Early Bird status. Any member with 50+ years of membership can request that there are dues paid by the Post. Please ensure that a copy of your DD-214 is on file with the Post. We need to be able to verify your service. If you can't locate it, contact the Post and we can get the paperwork started so that you can receive your copy. Our organization can only survive with active members. If you know any veteran that may be interested, please contact any officer for an application. Our next meeting is **Thursday**, **September 19**, **2019** at 1800. Attendance at the monthly meetings have been slacking. If you have an idea or concern, please come to the meetings and voice your concerns. Find out what's happening both in this Post and the Legion. Come out and find out about your post.

Jim Bailey, Post Adjutant

SQUADRON COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

Welcome to September, hope everyone has enjoyed their summer. Our 2020 membership cards are in and ready for issue. Get yours by **Tuesday**, **October 15**, **2019** and be an early bird member. The next S.A.L. meeting will be held on **Wednesday**, **September 18**, **2019** @ 6:00 pm. The next S.A.L. sponsored Surf & Turf will be held on **Saturday**, **September 14**, **2019** from 3:00 till 5:00 pm, hope to see you there. Enjoy the rest of your summer! Thank You!

Michael Hunt, S.A.L. Commander

SURF & TURF SCHEDULE

SEPTEMBER 7th – Post SEPTEMBER 14th – S.A.L. SEPTEMBER 21st – Unit SEPTEMBER 28th – Post

BAND SCHEDULE

SEPTEMBER 6th - Karaoke with DJ Darlene SEPTEMBER 28th - Classic Invasion OCTOBER 19th - Rosie Check out our Facebook Page for upcoming events!

GRILLE STEWARD'S MESSAGE

School is in full swing, as a reminder, please be cautious of the children in the crosswalks and getting on and off the school buses. Don't forget and for your entertainment, the Post provides karoke the first Friday of each month. Come in with some friends and sing your heart out with us? Or come enjoy the other great singers Darlene brings along with her. The band for this month is "Classic Invasion." The Band starts playing at 8:00 pm. I am working on providing some early mid week entertainment for a couple of hours, maybe starting at 6:00pm and playing until 8:00 pm or 7:00 until 9:00. Give me some input, would you come listen, if I arrange it? Remember, our Grille will only be as good as you support it.

UPCOMING ENTERTAINMENT

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 28, 2019 8-12 pm CLASSIC INVASION

SATURDAY OCTOBER 19, 2019 8-12 pm ROSIE

SURF AND TURF Join us for Surf and Turf every Saturday 3-5 pm

We appreciate your business and support.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Ladies: Our first meeting will be held on **Thursday, September 12, 2019** at 6:00 pm. There will be many topics for discussion and to vote on for the coming year. Also, committees will be assigned and we can start early on the programs. The Children's Christmas party will be planned early this year so when we are ready to celebrate, we just have to notify Santa Claus of the date. We will have different events to plan including contests, meals, fundraisers, etc. as well as serving our military, community, children and their education and many others. So, if you are interested, please come to a meeting and find out what you can do to help. A few members cannot do it all and do it right. We need you to donate a couple of hours a year and it will be appreciated. Remember this is **YOUR** Auxiliary, not just ours. Donation boxes will be posted in the newsletter as well as posters for items we may need. You all have been generous in the past so we thank you again.

Judi Fountas, Unit President 603-964-7007

UNIT MEMBERSHIP NEWS

I recently returned from the National Convention in Indianapolis, IN. On **Wednesday, August 28, 2019** the delegates of the American Legion voted in the LEGION ACT recently signed by President Trump. Included in this Act is an amendment to the American Legion Auxiliary's Membership Eligibility. **The following section has been changed to strike the word "wives" and change to "spouses".** "Membership in The American Legion Auxiliary shall be limited to the grandmothers, mothers, sisters, wives, and direct and adopted female descendants of members of <u>The American Legion</u>, and to the grandmothers, mothers, sisters, wives, and direct and adopted female descendants of all men and women who were in the Armed Forces of the United States during any of the following periods: April 6, 1917, to November 11, 1918; and any time after December 7, 1941..." This allows male spouses of the veterans (male and female) to join our Auxiliary. If you wish to join, new members are \$30.00. Just put on the application, "Spouse". If you have any questions, feel free to call me, 603-988-8267.

Karyl Horn, Unit 6 Membership Chairman

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25	26	27	28	29	30	31 Super SURF & TURF 3 p.m. Illusion
1	2 LABOR DAY	3	4	5	6 Karaoke w/DJ Darlene 7 p.m.	7 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
8	9	10	11	12 Unit Meeting 6 p.m.	13	14 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
15	16	17	18 S.A.L. Meeting	19 Post Meeting 6 p.m.	20	21 SURF & TURF 3 p.m. Classic Invasion
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
29	30	1	2	3	4 Karaoke w/DJ Darlene 7 p.m.	5 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.

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