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VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS.

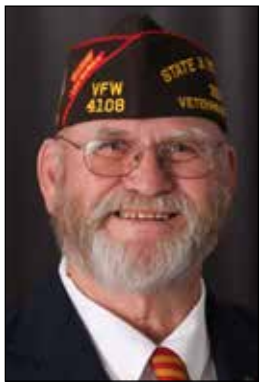
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STATE COMMANDER



JOHN WRINKLE

Believe in Oregon

Comrades, we had a great Convention and yes, I was fortunate to have been voted in as your next State Commander. It has been an outstanding year for Oregon and for Past Department Commander Rick Higgins. We can all pat ourselves on the back for getting it done. It will take some extra hard work for us to continue our present growth and we shall do so with your able assistance.

I have complete faith in the State Leadership Team you have elected to manage our great Department: State Senior Vice Commander George Carroll; State Junior Vice Commander Dennis Pratt; State Adjutant/Quartermaster Cheryl Campos; State Chaplain Ann Gosnell; State Judge Advocate Allen Anderson; State Surgeon Ron Ballard; Chief of Staff Bert Key; Inspector Wayne Sharp; and our District Commanders. We are so fortunate to have them working for us.

I pledge to work diligently for you. I believe in you and all VFW programs. As a team, we will get it done for each other because working for all veterans and their families and putting hard work into our communities is the right thing to do. In fact, your Team has already started work. I look forward to our team coming out to meet with you and your Posts and I hope you do, too. I am excited for all of us.

My office hours at Headquarters are every Tuesday, 1000 to closing. Do not hesitate to communicate with your District Commanders, our State Leadership Team or me. I would also like to know your special events. Please give me or one of our Team a chance to attend. I also ask that you let us help you manage any problems at your Post or District before they become a raging fire.

See you at National Convention or at one of our scheduled SOIs in Molalla, Madras and Sutherlin,

John R. Wrinkle

MAKING VFW HISTORY



Congratulations to our new Triple Crowns Rick Higgins and Ken Kraft



AUXILIARY PRESIDENT



JANIE WILLS

What Is Your Vision?

IMAGINE what you can do for your veterans and their families. Each auxiliary can make a difference in someone's life.

My challenge to each auxiliary and its members is to **create a VISION for your auxiliary.**

We need to look forward to what can we accomplish in our auxiliaries. How are you going to move forward?

Items to consider:

1. Is your auxiliary welcoming to new members?
2. Do you help to mentor new members?
3. Are you providing CURRENT BY-LAW BOOKS?
4. Have you invested the time in reading "Building on VFW AUXILIARY Foundation"? It deals not only with officer's duties; it also includes a section on members responsibilities.
5. Are you reaching out to your communities, and making them aware of the VFW and VFW AUXILIARY?
6. Are you recruiting new members for your auxiliary?
7. Have you checked in with all your members?
8. Are you encouraging members to take an office? You do not have to wait until next April to start training those interested in taking an officer's position.

There are many other items you could include in your vision. In order to move forward in our organization we need a plan. Take the time to create your vision. Write it down and share it.

There are many veterans and their families who still need our help and encouragement. Is that not why you joined our great organization?

Looking forward to reading about your VISION.

Sincerely,
Janie Wills

Clackamas Community College, Humana and VFW/AUX Welcomes Vietnam Veterans to Special Pinning Ceremony

On July 30th, 2019, Humana, a leading health and well-being company, in partnership with the Lawrence Alberti VFW Post and Auxiliary 12140, hosted a Vietnam War Commemoration Veterans Pinning Ceremony at Clackamas Community College. More than 250 people showed up for the event and it was a huge success.

Veterans who served on active duty in the U.S. Armed Forces between Nov. 1, 1955, and May 15, 1975, regardless of location, were eligible to participate in the ceremony. Humana is a Commemorative Partner for the Vietnam War Commemoration, a federal program, and is proud to support and salute Vietnam-era veterans.

"Humana and other organizations are working to remedy the lack of warm welcome these vets may have received upon returning home by organizing pinning ceremonies across the country. As a Commemorative Partner, Humana's goal is to create events to help the community welcome these veterans home," said Catherine Field, Humana's Medicare president in Oregon.

Oregon VFW Commander John Wrinkle was the Keynote Speaker for the event and did an outstanding job sharing his personal experience in coming home from Vietnam and what it means to be truly Welcomed Home.



The color guard was a joint group with members from Three Rivers VFW Post 1324 and Molalla VFW Post 3973. Several VFW and VFWA members came from Sandy 4273, Molalla 3973, Gresham 180 and Lawrence Alberti 12140 to help with decorating and volunteering where needed. We had entertainment from Lois Ann Marler which really kicked off the event!

Pinning our Veterans: VFW District 15 Commander Jason Griswold, VFW Post 12140 SR Vice Commander Mike Malish, VFW Post 4273 Commander Allen Anderson, VFW Post 3973 John Dobbs, VFW Post 1324 Gregory Arnold, VFW Post 180 Commander David Lowe and VFW Auxiliary 3973 President Patricia Carroll. From the American Legion 180: Commander Mike Wilson, County Commissioner Ken Humbertson and CCC Veteran Administrator R.B. Green.

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Updates

All American List

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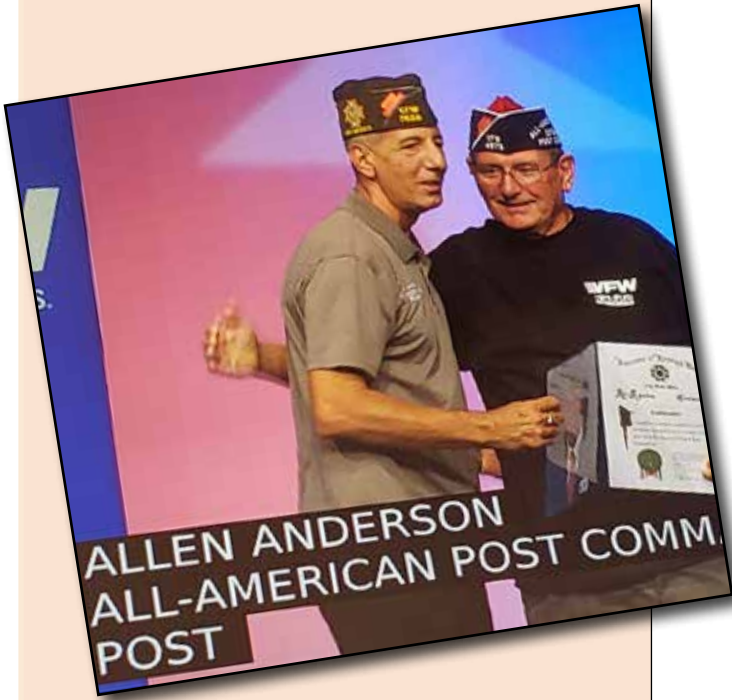
Rick Higgins

Districts:

Albert Little (10580)	Dist 2
Ken Smith (3232)	Dist 9
Chuck Delore (2302)	Dist 7
Ron Ballard (1383)	Dist 5
Dale Guldenzopf (4248)	Dist 3
Richard Eubank (9448)	Dist 13
Jim Horton (3970)	Dist 12
Floyd Leach (12141)	Dist 10
Ken Kraft (12140)	Dist 15

Posts

Allen Anderson	4273
Chad Laing	9448
Marc Warren	10580
Robert Beck	4039
Joe Ramp	3965
Ralph Groover	1833
James Bell	293
Bradley King	10639
Nicholas Lindley	7384
Bruce Hall	1325
Frederick Van Kampen	4166
Gerald Ziemann	6881
Dennis Twite	3473
David Houston	3957
Thomas Benedict	3232
William Grimm	3156
Karen Johnson	1383
Jimmy Rodriguez	2624
Martin Lackner	6057
Duane Ledford	12141
Michael Anderson	3203
David Lowe	180
Don Reed	12140
Gregory Arnold	1324



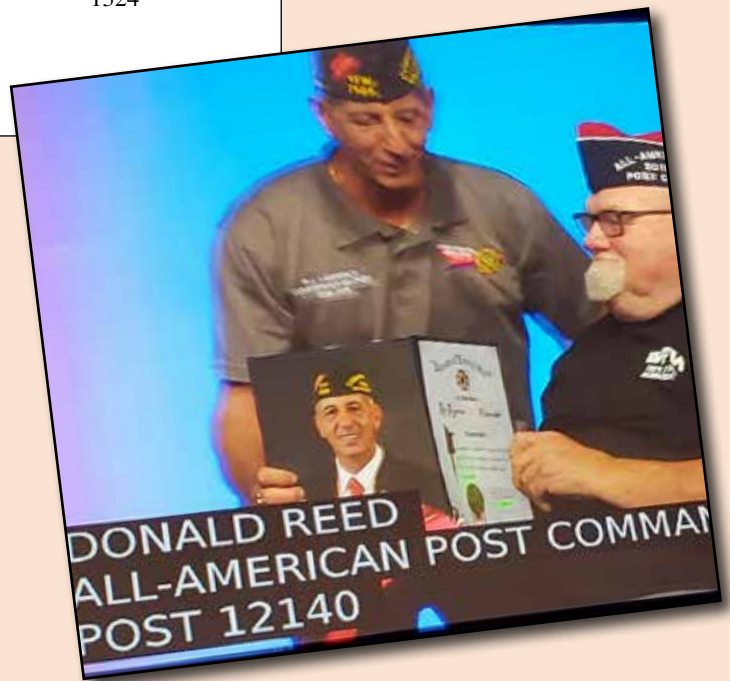
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POST



ALBERT LITTLE
ALL-AMERICAN DISTRICT CO
DISTRICT 2



CHAD LAING
ALL-AMERICAN POST COMMAND
POST 9448



DONALD REED
ALL-AMERICAN POST COMMAND
POST 12140



ROBERT O'BRIAN
ALL-AMERICAN POST COMMANDER
POST 3970

Updates

Department All State 2018 - 2019



District 2
Post 10580 Warrenton
Commander- Marc Warren
Quartermaster- Albert Little
District 23 Post 1325 Portland

Commander- Bruce Hall
Quartermaster- James Mc Gee Jr

District 5
Commander- Ron Ballard
Quartermaster- Duane Whitehead
Post 1383 Klamath Falls
Commander- Karen Johnson
Quartermaster- Duane Whitehead



District 7
Commander- Chuck Delore
Quartermaster- Frank Sobotka

District 8
Commander- Richard Halverson
Quartermaster- Clifford Smith

District 9
Commander- Ken Smith
Quartermaster- Reid Ranson
Post 3232 Florence
Commander- Thomas Benedict
Quartermaster- Reid Ranson



District 10
Commander- Floyd Leach
Quartermaster- William Pieters
Post 4108 Redmond

Commander- Joesph Steller
Quartermaster- Dan Tureck
Post 12141 Madras
Commander- Duane Ledford
Quartermaster- Leonard Parsons



District 12
Post 3970 Sutherlin
Commander- Robert O'brein
Quartermaster- Erick King

District 13
Commander- Richard Eubank
(Dist. All State Team Captain)
Quartermaster- Stanley Ritari (Dist.
All State Team Captain)



Post 293 Eugene
Commander- James Bell
Quartermaster- Arnold Christenson
Post 3473 Cottage Grove
Commander- Dennis Twite
Quartermaster- Andrew Watkins



Post 3965 Springfield
Commander- Joe Ramp
Quartermaster- James Manson

Post 4039 Creswell
Commander- Robert Beck
Quartermaster- Bryce Watson
Post 4166 Marcola
Commander- Frederick Van
Kampen
Quartermaster- Thomas Green



Post 7384 Coburg
Commander- Nichols Lindley
Quartermaster- Norm Henshen

Post 9448 Veneta
Commander- Chad Laing
Quartermaster- Kathy Lundeen



Post 10639 Junction City
Commander- Brad King
Quartermaster- Keith Perkins

District 14
Post 3203 Dallas
Commander- Mike Anderson
Quartermaster- Dennis Pratt

Post 3957 Monroe
Commander- Tommy Houston
Quartermaster- Larry Alexander



District 15
Commander- Ken Kraft
Quartermaster- Ronald Jagodnik

Post 180 Gresham
Commander- David Lowe
Quartermaster- Frank West

Post 1324 Oregon City
Commander- Greg Arnold
Quartermaster- Paul Harris &
Morrie Deets

Post 4273 Sandy
Commander- Allen Anderson (Post
All State Captain)
Quartermaster- Marcus Walters
(Post All State Captain)



District 16
Commander- Larry Tomb
Quartermaster- Orville Allman

Post 10626 Dayton
Commander- Daniel Helfrich
Quartermaster- Cheryl Campos



Updates

SENIOR VICE COMMANDER



GEORGE CARROLL

Keep Up the Good Work

First off, I would like to thank everyone for electing me as your new State Sr. Vice Commander. I know that it is going to be hard to fill the shoes that Commander John Wrinkle has left for me. I do look forward to this next year. We all are going to need to step up and work hard to match this last year. Rick got us going in the correct

direction and now it is up to all of us to make sure that we keep going. To all of the Officers at the Post, District and State, I would like to congratulate you. I would also remind all that you now have a responsibility to make sure that you fulfill the duties of your office to the best of your abilities.

By the time you read this we will be back from National Convention. Congratulations to all of our new All-American Posts and Districts. I also need to add a big Congratulations to Rick Higgins for being All American State Commander. Great job!

As we start this new year there are some changes in some of the programs. I would like everyone who can to get to one of the Schools of Instructions to learn and understand the changes. Remember, you do not want to get to the end of the year and find out that your Post or District missed out on All State and or All American because you did not do something at the first part of the year. There are deadline dates for some things and everyone needs to make sure that you get done what needs to be done by those dates.

The Commander and I are going to try to visit more Posts this year. If you have something going on and would like a Department rep there please get a request in to Headquarters as soon as possible. I know that on some dates we are going to be booked up tight. So remember, it is a first come, first served type of thing. There are also some dates when some of the State officers have things that they have to do. With that said, we do want to stay connected to all of the Posts and Districts as best as we can.

I hope that everyone has a great year. Work all of the programs. The programs are what is going to help keep the Post and Districts alive. I know that it is hard when you cannot get any help, but remember if you don't do it who will? Try to find someone who you can show how to work a program. Getting new members involved will help bring new leaders along. A lot of the new members join to be a part of something bigger than themselves again. Help them learn a program that they have an interest in and that will help keep them coming back.

I hope that everyone is out looking for new members. Remember that while you are out looking for new members, you may find some of your Post members who you have not seen for some time. Remind them that they are still needed as a Post member, when the Post meetings are and anything that you might have coming up. See if they have any Community Service hours and time to turn in. If you can, see if they can pay their dues if they are annual members. It is never too early to get that taken care of and if you are talking to them now you may be able to save a lot of time and miles hunting for them later. Maybe they can step up to life membership.

In closing, keep up the good work and let us make this as good a year as last year. I would like to hear that Oregon had all of the seats on KC Spree. If you do not know about what the KC Spree is you need to look at the National Commander in Chiefs membership program.

In Comradeship,
George E. Carroll

Post raises money to help Coast Guard Child

Article from *The Columbia Press* July 4-5 2019

Courtesy of Fort Stevens VFW. VFW is still selling chances for prizes as part of fundraiser.

A spaghetti and silent auction fundraiser to benefit 7-year-old Jackson Humpal raised \$2,500. Jackson, whose parents are serving locally in the Coast Guard, was diagnosed with leukemia in March.

The fundraiser was sponsored by Fort Stevens VFW Post 10580 and Auxiliary.

Items raffled included a AAA membership, Fast Lube gift card, Buoy Beer gift card, Pat's Pantry gift card, River- Zen Yoga gift card, and four passes to the Columbia River Maritime Museum.

Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5. Purchase tickets by sending an email to vfwpost10580@gmail.com or come to the concession stand at Robinson Community Park on July 4 or during softball game days.

The drawing was held July 14.

Dana Warren, Brian Walker and Joyce Allison served food at the VFW fundraiser

JUNIOR VICE COMMANDER



DENNIS PRATT

Get Started on Youth Programs

It's hard to believe it's September already and soon another school year will begin. That means that the teachers will be in their classrooms planning out their curriculum for the school year. This means it's time to start planning your youth programs, The Voice of Democracy, Patriot's Pen and the Teachers of the Year contests.

One thing you need to do is to get in touch with the teachers, principals and administrators of your local schools and tell them about our youth programs. Now is the time since they are planning out their year. It's amazing how many of these people have never heard of these contests. In order that the school officials are excited about these programs, make sure that you are excited about these programs, and that you know all the requirements so that you can answer their questions. You can read up on this program online, or have your questions answered at one of the Schools of Instructions this summer.

In the past, I have heard complaints that the public schools will not let these programs happen in their schools. That is sad, but there are other options available to get the word out on these programs. There are private schools, charter schools and home school students you can reach out to. There are also youth groups you can talk to like scout groups, church groups or groups like the 4H and Future Farmers of America.

The second thing to do is to plan the program within your post. Determine how much the prizes should be. Every post has different fundraising goals but remember you can use your Relief Fund for these programs. Besides the monetary awards, determine if you can get the students certificates, or other prizes, as well. The VFW catalog has many options and any bit of recognition for their participation in this program may encourage them to do it again next year.

Also, as part of your program, plan how the awards will be presented. Dropping the awards off at the school and have them deliver them is one way, but to encourage the students to enter this program again next year, do a little more for them. One possibility is to have a dinner for the winners, present the awards at a school assembly in front of their peers or present them to the winners before a post meeting. Make the time about them and make sure you show them your appreciation that they entered the contests.

The final item to be planning with your post is the contribution that will need to be made to department for these programs. This year once again the posts that are trying to be All-State will need to have not only an entry in the programs but will also have to make a monetary contribution to Department. This is to maintain the levels of prize money we have given in the past. More information about the minimum amounts will be in this year's roster, but consider giving more to keep these programs going.

So read the program guides found on the VFW website, attend a School of Instruction, talk to the various program chairs at the district and department levels and learn more about these programs to make these programs a success this year and every year.

Dennis Pratt



JULY 2020, 40th NATIONAL VETERANS WHEELCHAIR GAMES

The July 2020, 40th National Veterans Wheelchair Games are being hosted by the VA in Portland, Oregon. Approximately 600 paralyzed Veterans will be competing in this event. The Commander is challenging the Auxiliary and MOC/MOCA Auxiliaries to join us in supporting this worthy event. Department's recommended minimum involvement is as follows:

- Minimum Sponsorship \$10,000
- Purchase a 10'X10' discounted non-profit booth for recruiting and VFW information
- Volunteers

We are asking our Districts, Posts and membership to consider donating money for this worthy event. Along with the Department Auxiliary and MOC/MOCA Auxiliaries' participation in donations, we can together reach the minimum \$10,000 sponsorship. We will make sure the donation will be cited on the sponsorship submission paperwork. Our Department will recognize with a poster each District, Post, Auxiliaries and members that donate. This sign will be posted at the 10'X10' booth at this event.

At the "kick-off" Wheelchair Games meeting, the VA did specify a total number of volunteers needed for this event. However, the amount we heard was approximately 2,500. We will be urging our District Commanders to encourage Post members to sign up as volunteers once we get the number needed and specific job descriptions of the volunteer duties. We believe the Auxiliaries will also consider this a worthy event to support and will be volunteering alongside us.

The Commander will set up a 40th National Veterans Wheelchair Games Committee and Chairman, with next year's Commander George Carroll's approval to keep us up to date as the year progresses. If you can give the time and effort needed for us to plan our involvement in this special event, let Department know. We owe big thank you to Harvey Pitcher, VAVS Rep, for notifying Department that we should be involved in this event.

Thank you, Harvey.



Updates

ROSTER CHANGES

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District 3
Bruce Hall (1325) 503-285-8468

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2014-15 Wesley Larson 661

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Post 661
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Salem 97304 971-283-0509
drew.t.sizemore@gmail.com

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District 8
Anthony Bowman, 3710 NE Riverside,
Pendleton OR 97801

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VAVS Representatives:
Deputy Representative:
Ronald Ballard (1383), 3580 Denver Park,
Klamath Falls 97603 541-891-1004

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Post 584
Kelly Lawson: Kelly.lawson1212@gmail.com

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Vernon Beard, 77772 Brock Rd G,
Oakrdge, OR 97463

Pinning Ceremony

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Humana's Aaron Massaro, OR/WA Medicare Sales Director and Darin Davis Regional Veterans Executive were presented with a POW/MIA flag to take back to their locations as a thank you. A special thank you to Dori, Valdana, Kat, Randy, Brent, Tom, Michelle, Billie, Luan, May, Karen, Ryan and Marina for the many months and hours of organizing and planning this event.

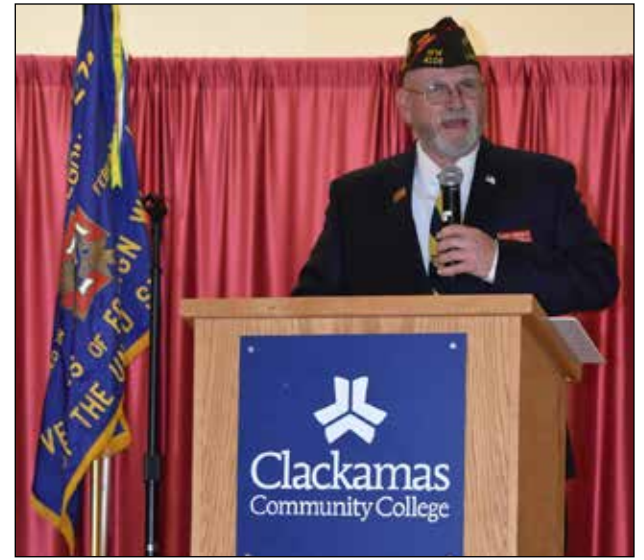
All five Clackamas County Commissioners — Martha Schrader, Paul Savas, Ken Humbertson, Sonya Fischer, Jim Bernard — and the Clackamas Community College President, Tim Cook, attended the Welcome Home.

There were wonderful resource tables that included, VFW, VFWA, Humana, American Legion, CCC, Dignity Memorial, Clackamas County Service Office, Portland VA, Portland Vet Center, Fido, Tools 4 Troops, Team Rubicon and First Choice.

A widow who attended shared her story on how she recently lost her Vietnam husband and when she read the article in the paper about the event she hesitated then decided to come. It was a way to be around like-minded people to help her find a little peace and closure.

Thank you to all who came to volunteer and be a part of the ceremony. It was truly a team effort and an extremely humbling event to be a part of. Welcome Home!

~Tracy Bogard Lawrence Alberti,
VFWA 12140 Secretary and Chaplain.



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Updates

Department of Oregon Membership 2018 - 2019 as of 8/30/2019



Department Total	2019	2020
	15,712	436

Department Percentage	2019	2020
	105.81%	2.67%

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DISTRICT #2																											
1440	St. Helens	73*	2	DISTRICT #6																							
1909	Rainier	58	1	2990	La Grande	71	1	DISTRICT #9																			
2848	Bay City	111*	3	3048	Baker City	150	3	732	Siletz	29*	0	DISTRICT #14															
2994	Clatskanie	36*	5	3749	Huntington	21*	2	2624	Newport	129*	1	584	Albany	382*	13												
4362	Scappoose	64	64	4060	Union	106	2	3156	Waldport	51*	1	661	Salem	381	31												
10580	Warrenton	179*	18	4307	Enterprise	163*	1	3232	Florence	367*	6	2105	Harrisburg	38*	1												
12123	Seaside	69*	4	5452	Ontario	128*	1	4227	Toledo	64*	4	3203	Dallas	135*	16												
		590*	34	7847	Halfway	78*	4	DISTRICT #10																			
						717*	14	1412	Prineville	133*	0	3437	Sweet Home	216*	4												
DISTRICT #3												3957	Monroe	38*	4												
1325	Peninsula/Pep	125*	5	DISTRICT #7												4065	Jefferson	33	0								
1442	Jasper C Lent	228*	3	1833	Medford	390*	9	DISTRICT #11												5638	Stayton	84*	3				
4248	Sellwood Brk.	436*	8	2302	Grants Pass	183*	3	4108	Redmond	714*	30	DISTRICT #15															
		789*	16	4116	Rogue River	286*	9	4217	Warm Springs	38*	3	180	Gresham	281*	14												
DISTRICT #4												6881	Shady Cove	57*	4	1324	Oregon City	280*	5								
965	Coquille	24*	1	9670	Jacksonville	34*	4	8138	Sisters	61*	2	3973	Molalla	436*	20												
966	Brookings	81	5	DISTRICT #8												4273	Sandy	627*	23								
2928	Myrtle Point	49	1	922	Pendleton	282*	4	DISTRICT #12												6057	Canby	101*	2				
3182	North Bend	75*	0	2471	The Dalles	74	4	2468	Roseburg	311*	4	12140	Lake Oswego	373*	4												
3440	Bandon	225*	1	3597	John Day	30	0	3970	Sutherlin	278*	7	DISTRICT #16															
4439	Gold Beach	45	0	567	Milton Freewater	36	0	7752	Myrtle Creek	168*	2	2666	Hillsboro	281*	281*												
6102	Powers	30	0	4750	Hermiston	173*	1	9745	Winston	81*	3	3452	Tualatin	159	156												
		529*	8	DISTRICT #9												4015	Newberg	178*	178*								
DISTRICT #5												4211	Willamina	83*	83*												
1383	Klamath Falls	758*	7	DISTRICT #10												4617	Beaverton	101	89								
4070	Lakeview	72	1	293	Eugene	337*	14	DISTRICT #13												0626	Dayton	209*	209*				
6147	Malin	17*	0	3473	Cottage Grove	216*	13	2965	Springfield	636*	20	MEMBERS AT LARGE															
		847*	8	4039	Creswell	181*	12	*100% POSTS																			
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												7384	Coburg	63*	0	62											
												9448	Veneta	224*	7												
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State officers "rounding up" members at the Pendleton Roundup

Scholarship Awarded to Clara Liebert by her Grandfather Bruce Hall



Bruce Hall, Commander of Post 1325, presents \$1000 scholarship to Clara Liebert at De La Salle North Catholic High School in Portland Oregon. Clara was eligible for the award because she is a grandchild of a VFW member. (Bruce Hall is her grandfather.) She plans to use the scholarship to attend Portland State University and study engineering.

You have questions. We have answers.

When can I enroll in Medicare?
What are my Medicare options?
How do I know if I'm eligible?
What do Medicare Parts A, B, C and D cover?



If you have questions about Medicare, Humana can help.

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September 17 at 11:30 a.m.



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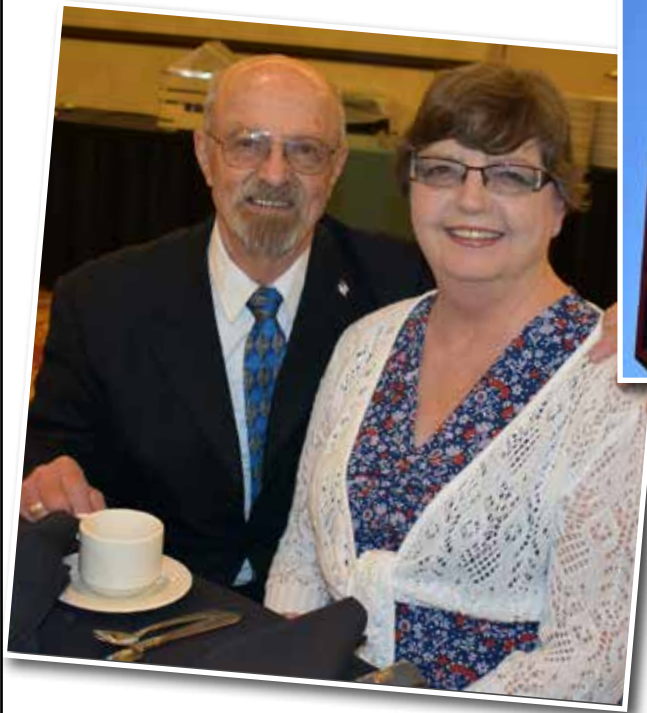


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JR. VICE PRESIDENT



VALERIE WRINKLE

Building for the Future

I hope those of you who were able to attend the State Convention at Seven Feathers Casino & Resort enjoyed yourselves. Department President Cathy Lindsay led our Department to great success this past year, and she finished her year with a wonderful celebration of everyone's hard work! I am now looking forward to National

Convention in Orlando, FL.

Our new Department President, Janie Wills, will have big shoes to fill, but I am confident that this will be another great year for the Department of Oregon if we all support Janie the way we supported Cathy. I know with Janie at the helm we can do it! Our newest addition to the Line, Karen Allenbrand has now been installed as Department Guard. Welcome to the team, Karen!

I wish the best to everyone who has been elected to serve at all levels of our great organization. We will all be a great team, "Building for the Future of our Veterans and their Families!"

Valerie Wrinkle

DEPT. TREASURER



SONYA SALLEE

Treasurer's Notes

Well, all the bonds are in and most of the audits are in, please make sure that you start getting them in a timely manner, I have been nice and lots of you should have gotten notes to your president and possibly suspension because you were so late. All it takes is a phone call or email telling me why it's going to be late and I will take care of it.

The ones who don't call me and then call me after the president gets the card are the ones who need to learn to let me know it's going to be late.

The next thing that needs to be done is get the rest of your dues in. Especially, make sure that all your officers who are annual have paid their dues. If they aren't paid by December 31, 2019, they will lose their office and Janie will be out of contention for the Circle of Excellence. I will be checking on that online and when it gets closer, I will be notifying you if you have anyone that needs paid. This is a very important thing.

Make sure that you get out your second dues notice letter the end of September or first part of October. You will get another push after that letter goes out and then your auxiliary needs to start talking about paying the last few per caps for your auxiliary. Remember your auxiliary will win money from National for having their dues paid in a timely manner.

One more thing for this article, just remember I will be doing your 990-N for you again this year and I will be sending you a copy of the paperwork that I get from the IRS. So if you don't get your paperwork by the middle of November, call me and I will let you know what is going on. I do have a few auxiliaries whose paperwork for the IRS is due in June and you might be one of those auxiliaries.

Please send money in for our programs, our hospital, scholarship and the veteran's programs. The money has been coming in really slow and we need to get money for our programs. So at your next meeting please make a motion to spend some money and send in to your Department Treasurer.

Sonya Sallee

MEMBERSHIP CHAIR



DEB WRIGHT

Welcome to a New Membership Year

Hope all are doing well and having a fun. Let's get those dues notices out, the sooner, the better. You can easily use the dues reminders generated by MALTA.

When you are out recruiting, remember to have your table set up with Membership information, Buddy Poppies, Scholarship brochures, and Membership applications. You may want to add a small bowl of candy.

When looking for a place to do your recruiting, ask your local business if you can set up a table outside. Many will let you do this.

Acceptable forms of proof are:

- Separation Document/DD214.
- Orders of various types, including
- Travel Orders
- Medical Orders
- Morning Report
- Assignment Listing
- Records showing hospital file or imminent danger pay
- Photograph of Veteran in a war zone
- Sworn affidavit

Be sure to attend the Leadership, Information and Training Academies coming up this August 10, 17 and 24th. There will be more information at that time.

Have a great Fall and Recruit, Recruit, Recruit!

Loyally,
Debbie Wright

HISTORIAN

Historian/Media Program for 2019-2020

I am happy to be your Department Historian/Media Chairperson this coming year. I look forward to learning right along with you, the media part of this program. Also looking forward to helping you make your history have a permanent place in your Auxiliaries.

Please bring your History/Scrapbooks/Publicity and/or Journals to the 2020 Department Convention. There will be a first, second, and third place winner for best historian presentation. Every entry will receive a certificate made by me (scrapbook style). Please put the Auxiliary name and number on the outside of all your books so I can quickly see who entered what. If you need any help on how to make a book come to the academies and I will be happy to give you some advice and instruction on how to get started. I am here to help you.

My most important job will be to document the National President's visit to Oregon. Please help me by being a part of the visit and share the pictures you may get. I will only have a short time to get everything to national, so please send as soon as you can at that time.

Making President Janie Wills' ScrapBook will be an all year project that I am looking forward to doing, but you can help me with that too. I may not be able to be everywhere she goes, but you can help by sending pictures, newspaper articles, fliers, or anything you think can go in her memory books. If you would like to add a word of appreciation to her book, please write a note or card and send it to me and I would be happy to add it to her scrapbook.

Patricia Carroll

CONDUCTRESS



DEBBIE LITTLE

Introducing the Conductress

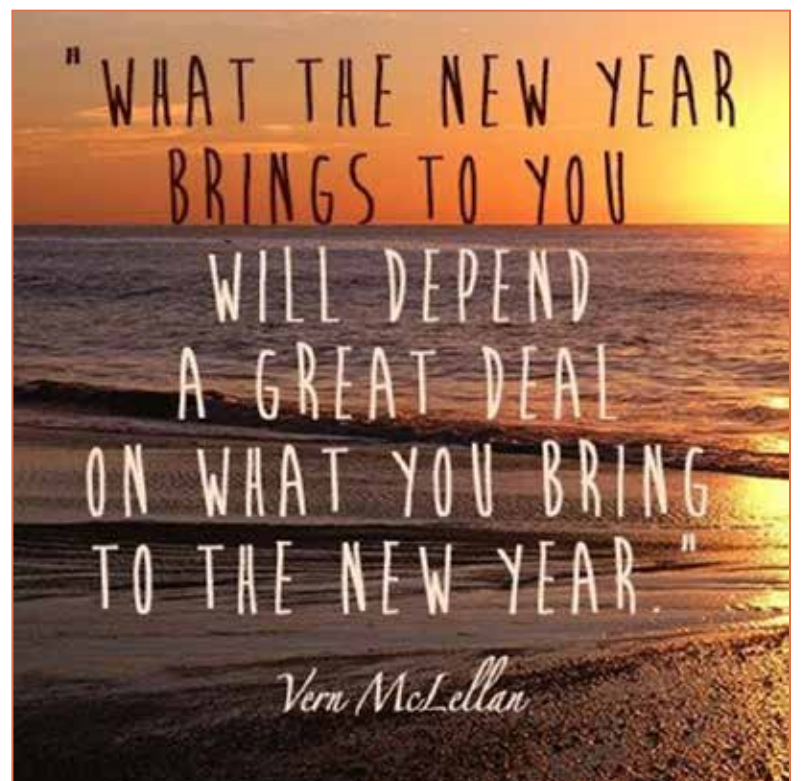
I would like to introduce myself to you. My name is Debbie Little, but I go by Cookie. Why Cookie? Well, there are three of us Debbies in the Department Line: Debra Wright, our Sr. Vice; Debby Fawve, our Chaplain; and me. Since my last name is Little, and there is a National chain of snacks, Little Debbie, "Cookie" was born.

I am the Department Conductress for the 2019-2020 year, and I am excited about this new role. The role is a large one and responsible for all flags, banners, stations, and the altar. All the ritual floor work will be my responsibility to lead and direct. The Conductress is responsible for making sure each meeting room is set up correctly at Mid-Winter, Council of Administration meetings and Convention.

Fortunately for me, we have a huge shop that has enough floor space, I can spray paint stations on the floor and practice marching. Before I lead others, I need to know how the floor work is done and to practice, practice, practice.

Each month, I will give you an update on my progress and explain my duties in more detail. I am looking forward to a prosperous and rewarding year for the Department of Oregon Auxiliary.

Debbie Little "Cookie"



SECRETARY



IONA KLINE

I would like to thank all of the Secretaries for getting their election reports into Department before the deadline.

Your job of secretary is critical in how smooth your Auxiliary or District meetings run. There will be a Secretaries' table at the Academies this year, and I hope to see each of you there. The chairman and officers work very hard to get you the information that you will need this next year so please make sure you have several members

at one or more of the Academies.

E-mail is the fastest and easiest way for Department to get you information that you will need so, please check your e-mails for the Department or District. This should be checked at least once a day and an acknowledgment that you received it sent back.

Thank you again for all you do for our Veterans every day.

Iona Kline

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SCHOLARSHIP CHAIR



CATHY LINDSAY

Scholarship Report Fall 2019

Well a year has gone by, and now it is time to start all over again. The 2019-2020 Scholarship Program is here. We will start off by helping the VFW with their programs — the Voice of Democracy Essay Contest is for students in 9th to 12th

grades, and the Patriot's Pen Essay Contest is for students in the 6th-8th grades. The theme this year is the same for both essay contests: "What Makes America Great." Deadlines for these essays are:

Entries to VFW Post: Midnight, October 31, 2019.

Post Judging complete: November 15, 2019,

District Judging complete: December 15, 2019.

Department Judging complete: January 10, 2020,

Department Winner to VFW National Headquarters: January 15, 2020.

Continuing Education Scholarship

We have our own programs, the Oregon Continuing Education Scholarship, and National Continuing Education Scholarship. They both have the same criteria for the scholarship.

They are open to any Auxiliary member (who has been a member for at least one year), or spouse, son, daughter with financial need. Entrant must be at least 18 years old, complete the application, and submit an essay of 300 words or less. The application must be received at Department and National Headquarters by February 15, 2020. You will find the application online at both websites for each of the scholarships.

Young American Creative Patriotic Art Contents

Open to all students and home schooled students, grades 9-12 are eligible, no older than 18 years at the time of local entry and a U.S. citizen or U.S. National. Make sure there is no digital artwork; it will not be accepted. Artwork must be on paper or canvas to be accepted. Only one winner will be sent to National.

Deadlines:

Entries received by:

Local Auxiliary – March 31, 2020

Department – April 15, 2020

National – May 5, 2020

"NEW to the program."

Expanded Art Forms Now Accepted

The Patriotic Art Contest will now accept additional forms of art. See the new rules below:

Two-dimensional art

- . Must be on canvas or paper.
- . Watercolor, pencil, pastel, charcoal, tempera, crayon, acrylic, pen, ink, oil, markers or other media may be used.
- . Do not frame two-dimensional pieces.
- . Submit canvas entries on a stretcher frame or canvas board.
- . Other entries must be matted in white.
- . Do not use colored mats. Reinforce the back with heavy paper.
- . Mounted and floating mats may also be used.
- . The art should be no smaller than 8" x 10" and no larger than 18"x 24", not including mat.

Three-dimensional art:

- . Can be paper, paper-maiche, pottery clay, metalwork, etc.
- . The piece should be no smaller than 8" in any direction and no larger than 24", not including mat.
- . Art cannot be more than 5 lbs. in weight.

Digital art, photography, and jewelry are not accepted.

At the Sunday morning Council of Administration, they are asking each district to bring a basket to mid-winter for a fundraiser, the money would go toward the scholarship fund.

Please make your donations to help with the scholarship fund to the Department of Oregon VFWA and send it to the Department Treasurer Sonya Sallee; her address is in the roster.

These are our Scholarships we help with Department-wide. So, let's get the information out to our Veterans and their families and our communities. I am looking forward to working with all of you this year. With any question, please call me at 541-401-9154 or email celindsay88@hotmail.com. Applications are available from the Department Scholarship Chairman or at www.vfwauxiliary.org/scholarships.

Keep a watch on the Scholarship Program more information to come.

Cathy Lindsay

LEGISLATIVE

I have the honor of being named your Legislative Chairman for the 2019-2020 year. I am excited to take on this new challenge. I feel strongly that we should hold our legislators accountable and make sure they continue to support legislation that benefits our veterans and their dependents.

One of my first goals is to share the VFW Priority Goals with each of you. I think it is important to know what the VFW is currently working on in support of our veterans. I also want to make sure that every one of our members has signed up for the VFW Action Corps Weekly. It is the easiest way to keep track of legislation the National VFW organization supports and you can make your opinion known with the click of a button!

I plan to keep everyone informed about any Town Hall meetings and other opportunities to communicate in person with our Legislators. I have participated when the VFW "Storms the Hill" every March for the last three years, so I know first-hand the kind of impact being eye-to-eye with our Senators and State Representatives can have. Emailing, writing letters and making telephone calls are all great ways to keep in touch, but letting the Legislators know that we are paying attention to what they are doing by showing up in person can have a big impact, too! I hope to encourage you to participate whenever possible, and I will make as many meetings as I can, as well.

I am going to ask you to be an informed voter and to encourage you to get others to register to vote! Our veterans fought to maintain our liberties, let's exercise one of them when it is time to vote!

I will have a lot of information and handouts for you at the Training Academies this year, and I will make sure you know exactly what National expects from you in order for your Auxiliary to receive awards at the end of the year. I hope you can all make at least one of the dates! I look forward to seeing you there.

Valorie Wrinkle

Buddy Poppy and VFW National Home for Children

Let me introduce myself to those who don't know me. I am Dianne Guthrie, an Auxiliary member for the past 20+ years at Redmond Deschutes Post 4108. I have been the Auxiliary "Buddy" Poppy Chairman at 4108 for many years now — so many, I don't know how many.

As far as "Buddy" Poppies, I hope you ALL held a Memorial weekend distribution. Now it is time to evaluate the successes of that distribution and what can be done next time to improve the number of Poppies distributed and increase the donations.

Now is not too early to plan the next distribution! Planning is the key to success and improving your subsequent distribution. Look for me at the Training Academies for lots of handouts.

While I have been the "Buddy" Poppy Chairman for many years, it has been a while since I was a VFW National Home for Children Chairman. However, this program is close to my heart as I grew up in a family that not only had four children of their own, including two born with significant medical issues, but also had more than 50 foster children over the years! My big dream is to visit the National Home someday.

Did you know that when you purchase "Buddy" Poppies from the VFW Department H.Q. you are donating to the National Home? At the National Home, they care for Veteran and Military families that need time to re-group and get help. When I see kids from the National Home at the National Convention, they are amazing!

Want to be the first to answer my quiz on "Buddy" Poppies and National Home correctly and win a prize? Come visit my table at one of the Training Academies, August 10th in Molalla, August 17th at Redmond, or August 24th in Sutherlin.

Dianne A. Guthrie

P.S. Guess my middle name at one of the Academies for a special prize.

VETERANS AND FAMILY SUPPORT

Greetings,

I am your Department Chairman for the Veterans and Family Support Program for 2019-2020. This program is why we are members of the VFW Auxiliary. It is what we are all about, supporting our veterans and active duty service members.

There are so many ways we can provide that support:

- National Veterans Services (NVS)
- VFW Military Assistance Program (MAP)
- Unmet Needs
- VFW "Sports Clips Help a Hero Scholarship"
- Operation Uplink

These are National programs we can all participate in.

I hope you are planning on attending one of the Training Academies in August to learn more about each of our programs. Academies will be held:

- August 10th, 9:00 a.m. at Post 4273, Molalla
- August 17th, 9:00 a.m. at Post 4018, Redmond
- August 24th, 9:00 a.m. at Post 3970 Sutherlin

Watch your email for more information as the dates get closer. Training Academy's are open to all members, you do not have to be an officer to attend.

Each month I need your Programs Report sent to me. You can print our reports form and please include the following information:

- Total number of Auxiliary members involved in the project
- Total hours
- Total miles
- Total projects

You may forward your reports from April, May, and June to me now at:

Cookie Little, 91727 Sunnyside Road, Warrenton, OR 97146

I look forward to seeing each of you at a Training Academy.

Loyally,

Cookie

Mentoring for Leadership 2019 – 2020

Our newest program is "Mentoring for Leadership," where I take you back to the basics on the etiquettes of an Auxiliary meeting. Some of us have gotten lax, and others are new to our meetings, and we want to ensure we all know what to do when. Let's brush off some of the dust and get back to a solid foundation.

We just finished our state convention, and some of us are headed for the National Convention in Orlando. With an excellent finish and a fresh start for the coming year, we'll get off (left foot) to a wonderful beginning to a new year! We might even cover a lot of ground so put on your running shoes.

The first point of business is to make sure your Auxiliary has the 2019 Ritual Book for all members. This book is updated every year, and we want everyone to "be on the right foot," and this is the start. If you're a new member, your Auxiliary will purchase the first one for you. For existing members, please purchase the latest edition.

Mentoring for Leadership will begin at the three (3) Academies in August. Please be sure to try to attend the one in your area.

Topics that will be covered during these Academies will include:

- When to stand ~ parade rest
- What to do when the Chaplain is on the floor
- Q&A time to answer your specific questions

Please be thinking of one or two people in your Auxiliary who are outgoing and positive, that are willing to take the initiative to be a mentor in your Auxiliary.

Sandy Miller

Updates

VFW TAPS

District/Post	City Name	MI	Last	District/Post	City	Name MI	Last		
2	2848	Portland	Donald H	Cameron	10	1643	Bend	Russell L	Wessels
2	2848	Portland	Thomas C	Vanwickle	12	3970	Sutherlin	Earl W	Rhoades
2	10580	Warrenton	Jerry T	Coulombe	13	293	Eugene	Floyd L	Carpenter
3	4248	Portland	Vile D	Brownlow	13	293	Eugene	Leo P	Gibson
3	4248	Portland	George A	Morin	13	293	Eugene	Gyorgy	Karpati
3	4248	Portland	Truman F	Moultrie	13	293	Eugene	George H	Keating
5	1383	Klamath Falls	William R	Hargrove	13	293	Eugene	John R	Klobas
5	1383	Klamath Falls	William P	Hirschy	13	293	Eugene	Thomas J	Klotter
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5	1383	Klamath Falls	William R	Switzer	13	3473	Cottage Grove	William L	Potter
6	3048	Baker City	Leonard C	Bacon	13	4039	Creswell	Shane E	Miller
6	3048	Baker City	Russell T	Chandler	14	3203	Dallas	Kenneth A	Androes
6	3048	Baker City	Derrick A	Coates	14	3437	Sweet Home	Eugene H	Woods
6	4060	Union	Ernest I	Smith	15	3973	Molalla	Peter J	Blythe
6	4307	Enterprise	Gilbert D	Hansen	15	3973	Molalla	Jason	Carroll
6	5452	Ontario	Bryan L	Krasznavolgyi	15	3973	Molalla	Harold G	Evans
7	2302	Grants Pass	Dennis J	Kleffner	15	3973	Molalla	Vernon C	Holmquist
7	2302	Grants Pass	Margaret L	Wallen	15	3973	Molalla	Wilbert J	Hoskinson
7	4116	Rogue River	Donald E	Dahl	15	3973	Molalla	James W	Laramore
8	3597	John Day	Roy L	Bondurant	15	3973	Molalla	Kenwood C	Price
8	4750	Hermiston	Emery C	Ashbeck	15	3973	Molalla	Martin G	Tonissen Jr
8	4750	Hermiston	John C	Calhoun	15	6057	Canby	Emil M	Sabol
8	4750	Hermiston	James D	Carmack	16	3452	Tualatin	Richard G	Burkhart
8	4750	Hermiston	Paul E	Gibbard	16	4211	Willamina	Frank C	Olsen
8	4750	Hermiston	Vernon H	Lane	16	4617	Beaverton	John C	Richards
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Share your news

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CIRCULATION: 15,000 in Oregon

RECRUITERS

as of 8/2019

Dist	Post#	Recruiter	Members	Dist	Post#	Recruiter	Members
		No Recruiter	18	7	6881	Gerald A. Zieman	1
2	12123	Claude Miller	15	8	922	Sean P. Degan	1
10	12141	Floyd W. Leach	5	8	4750	Dennis R. Aiken	1
10	4108	Dennis G. Guthrie	4	9	4227	Lance White	1
16	2666	Roger D. Pack	4	10	4108	Dan S. Tureck	1
16	10626	Juan M. Palacios	4	10	4108	Donald R. Deland	1
14	661	Kerry A. Wymetalek	3	10	4108	Joseph J. Steller	1
14	3203	Dennis R. Pratt	3	10	4108	Michael K. Trammel	1
14	3957	Donald H. Strine	3	10	4217	Johnathan W. Courtney	1
15	180	Franklin R. West	3	10	8138	Jeffrey A. Mackey	1
2	2848	Mark J. Davison	2	12	2468	Michael D. Eakin	1
5	1383	Duane G. Whitehead	2	12	3970	Eric D. King	1
7	4116	Charles A. Prudhon	2	13	293	Arnold B. Christensen	1
7	4116	David L. Pearson	2	13	3473	Andrew G. Watkins	1
9	4227	Michael R. Petersen	2	13	3965	Ronald E. Havener	1
10	4108	Robert M. Bragg	2	13	4039	Camren J. Baker	1
13	3473	Kenneth E. Hunt	2	13	4039	Rick L. Higgins	1
13	3965	James E. Manson	2	13	4039	Robert A. Beck	1
14	584	Michael Robert Aaron	2	14	661	Greg Terhune	1
14	3203	James R. Mc Kee	2	14	3203	Ronald E. Gonshorowski	1
14	3203	Terry Smith	2	14	3203	Steven A. Storey	1
14	3437	Ryan P. Matteson	2	15	180	David B. Lowe	1
15	4273	Bert W. Key	2	15	1324	Gregory A. Arnold	1
16	3452	Harvey A. Pitcher	2	15	3973	George E. Carroll	1
2	1909	Michal D. Tolleshaug	1	15	3973	Luke T. Weintz	1
4	966	Frederick L. Bremer	1	16	2666	John Joseph Motter	1
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5	1383	Bryan S. Ellison	1	16	4015	David E. Tilman	1
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293	Joseph	M	Rosano	Bronze
584	James	M	Willis	Bronze
584	Melvin	L	Chaput	Gold
661	Greg		Terhune	Gold
661	Kerry	A	Wymetalek	Gold
661	Robert	F	Osterlund	Bronze
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922	Nicholas	R	Van Kirk	Gold
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2666	Larry	R	Tomb	Bronze
2666	Dale	S	Yee	Bronze
2666	Carl	G	Anderson	Bronze
2666	Michael	R	Premi	Bronze
2666	Andrew	L	Eason	Gold
2666	Don	R	Bowen	Bronze
2666	Rick	D	Johnson	Silver
2666	Dennis	C	Marsh	Gold
3156	Andrea	D	Summerlin	Gold
3203	Dennis	R	Pratt	Bronze
3232	James	W	Swant	Bronze
3232	Timothy	K	Marler	Bronze*
3232	Dennis	R	Marsh	Silver
3232	Gerald	F	Hernandez	Silver
3232	Bruce	D	Andrade	Bronze
3232	Harold	D	Morgan Sr	Silver
3232	Frederick	T	Kolbeck	Gold
3232	Anthony	V	Cavarno	Bronze
3232	Ronald	R	Tate	Bronze
3232	Vincent	R	Le Piane	Bronze
3232	Thomas	S	Benedict	Bronze
3232	Robert	F	Brown	Gold
3232	Thomas	F	Spayd	Gold
3232	Rex	L	Ruck	Gold
3232	Phillip	M	Jarvis	Gold
3232	Terry	J	Robertson	Bronze
3232	Kennith	E	Smith	Gold
3232	Gordon		Rhodes	Bronze
3232	John	E	McBride	Bronze
3232	Robert	J	Jackson	Bronze*

Legacy Life Members in Oregon

Posts with 5 or more Legacy Members

3232	Florence	32
1324	Oregon City	20
4039	Creswell	13
4015	Newburg	12
2666	Hillsboro	10
3973	Molalla	10
9448	Veneta	7
12140	Lake Oswego	8
180	Gresham	5
4108	Redmond	8
4273	Sandy	7
3965	Springfield	5
3452	Tualatin	6



* Deceased Member
*** In Memorium Member

Post	First	MI	Last	Legacy Level
3232	Nicole	A	Buckley	Bronze
3232	Bruce	W	Smith	Bronze
3232	Merritt	C	Mosby	Bronze*
3232	Allen	R	Ransom	Bronze
3232	David	L	Younce	Gold
3232	Robert	B	Woerner	Silver
3232	James	W	Gerth	Bronze*
3232	David	R	Snyder	Bronze
3232	Russell	E	Downs	Bronze
3232	Fred	M	Burns	Bronze
3232	Paul	L	Gargis	Gold
3232	Harley	O	Youngblood	Bronze*
3437	Ronald	W	Wilson	Bronze
3440	Larry	D	Langenberg	Gold
3452	Harvey	A	Pitcher	Gold
3452	Lawrence	J	Howard	Bronze
3452	Shaun	D	Benson	Bronze
3452	Arthur	V	Mauer	Bronze
3452	Ted	D	Gilbo	Gold
3452	Ernie		Doyle	Gold
3957	David	T	Houston	Bronze
3957	Lawrence	R	Alexander	Gold
3965	John	P	Stanks	Gold
3965	James	E	Matthews	Gold
3965	James	E	Manson	Gold
3965	Steven	M	Boosinger	Gold
3965	Jess	M	Wise Jr	Gold*
3970	Clifford	N	Mc Cauley	Gold
3973	Stephen	G	Morris	Bronze
3973	Jeffrey	D	Knight	Gold
3973	Rodney	W	Wymore	Gold
3973	Kenneth	L	Carroll	Bronze
3973	Jason		Carroll	Gold*
3973	Ronald	W	Jagodnik	Gold
3973	Ernest	H	Winterton	Bronze
3973	George	E	Carroll	Gold
3973	Jason	F	Griswold	Gold
3973	Roscoe	V	Dorsett	Bronze*
4015	George	P	Edmonston	Bronze
4015	Alvin	A	Tesky	Bronze
4015	Leonard		Schorzmann	Bronze
4015	Leon	L	Blanchard	Bronze
4015	Hubert	M	Mardock	Bronze

Post	First	MI	Last	Legacy Level
4015	Leonard	D.	Braithwait Jr	Bronze
4015	Donald	R	Cooke	Bronze
4015	Randall	E	Savage	Bronze
4015	Stanley	L	Beecroft	Bronze
4015	Seth	J	Forquer	Bronze*
4015	Richard	G	Lightfoot	Bronze*
4015	Lester	E	Beecroft	Bronze*
4039	Camren	J	Baker	Bronze
4039	Vernon	A	Beard	Gold
4039	David	W	Hendrick	Bronze
4039	Richard	L	Colson	Silver
4039	John	R	Clark	Bronze*
4039	Leonard	M	Hecker	Bronze
4039	Jack	L	Gradle	Bronze
4039	Richard	A	Leppin	Bronze
4039	Melvin	L	Northcutt	Bronze*
4039	Bryce	L	Watson	Bronze*
4039	Michael	G	Coltharp	Bronze*
4039	Bill	E	Beer	Bronze
4039	Rick	L	Higgins	Gold
4108	William	E	Pieters	Bronze
4108	Harold	G	Davidson	Gold*
4108	Charles	E	Chester Jr	Gold
4108	Gary	D	Pitman	Silver*
4108	Dennis	G	Guthrie	Gold
4108	Dan	S	Tureck	Gold
4108	John	R	Wrinkle	Gold
4108	Robert	M	Bragg	Bronze
4116	Corbin	A	Motter	Silver
4116	James	M	Poling	Silver
4116	Thomas	A	Lazette	Bronze
4116	Charles	A	Prudhon	Silver
4211	Lee	K	Saddler	Bronze
4217	Raymond	C	Tsumpti Jr	Gold
4227	Charles	R	Ritz	Bronze
4248	Dale	N	Guldenzopf	Gold
4248	Sharon	M	Ploor	Bronze
4248	William	C	Hughes	Bronze
4248	Gregory	L	Drais	Gold
4248	Thomas	R	Mc Neal	Bronze*
4273	Terry	E	Boyer	Silver*
4273	James	M	Ramsey	Bronze
4273	Bert	W	Key	Gold
4273	Marcus		Walters	Bronze
4273	Allen	P	Anderson	Gold
4273	Robert	L	Anderson	Bronze*
4273	William	H	Miller	Gold
4307	Ann	M	Gosnell	Bronze
4362	Roger	J	Antonich	Bronze
4362	David	P	Sleightam	Bronze
4362	Jerry		Peal	Bronze*
4362	Frank	C	Weber	Bronze
5452	Harvey		Hatfield Jr	Gold
5452	Shannon	M	Kelly	Bronze*
5452	Gary	M	Good	Bronze
5452	Donald	M	Ristow	Silver
6057	Robert	G	Sigleer	Bronze
6057	Janile	L	Yost	Silver
6881	Robert	D	Walsh	Bronze
7384	Norman	M	Henshen	Silver
9448	Richard	L	Eubank	Gold
9448	Thomas	G	Laing	Gold
9448	James	R	Clarke	Gold
9448	Michael	L	Beyerlin	Bronze
9448	Donald	L	Fertgus	Gold
9448	John	C	Johann	Gold
9448	Stanley	G	Ritari	Gold
9448	Kathy	A	Lundeen	Bronze
10580	Melvin	H	Jasmin	Bronze
10580	Tyler	E	Marriott	Gold
10580	E	L	Dunn	Gold
10580	George	I	Gunn	Bronze
10580	Albert	A	Little	Bronze
10626	Cheryl	E	Campos	Gold
10626	Thomas	G	Clayton	Bronze
10626	Juan	M	Palacios	Silver
12123	Louis	J	Neubecker	Silver
12140	Boyd	C	Yaden	Bronze
12140	Beau	D	Mcneff	Silver
12140	Anthony	L	Barber	Bronze
12140	Larry	C	Harmon	Bronze
12140	Kenneth	L	Kraft	Gold
12140	Donald	L	Reed	Silver
12140	Michael	C	Malish	Silver
12140	Raymond	L	Mack Jr	Bronze
12141	Craig	L	Mc Donald	Bronze
15038	Courtland	J	Rawson	Gold
15038	Donald	C	Sopher	Bronze*
15038	Michael	C	Tribble	Silver
15038	Jon	W	Parks	Bronze

Updates

Fall District Meeting Schedule

DIST.	DAY	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	OFFICERS	REMARKS
2	Sat	21-Sep	1pm	Post 1909 Rainier Rainier Senior Center 48 W 7th St. SOI After Meeting	George Carroll	Potluck Noon
3	Sun	22-Sep	1pm	Post 1442 3405 SE 87th Ave Portland OR 97236 SOI 22-SEP 2019 at 1pm	Allen Anderson	Noon
4	Sun	22-Sep	2pm	Post 3182 North Bend 67575 East Bay Dr. SOI to be Determined	Ron Ballard	1pm
5	Sat	14-Sep	1pm	Post 4070 Lakeview 1130 N 4th St. SOI After Meeting	John Wrinkle	Noon
6	Sat	26-Oct	1pm	Post 4060 Union 518 N Main St Union OR 97883 SOI during meeting	Allen Anderson	Noon
7	Sat	19-Oct	1pm	Post 2302 Grants Pass 1830 Redwood Ave. Grants Pass SOI 19-Oct 11am	Dennis Pratt	Potluck at Noon
8	Sun	27-Oct	2pm	Post 922 Pendleton 1221 SE Court Pl Pendleton, OR 97801	Allen Anderson	Potluck at 1pm
9	Sat	7-Sep	1pm	Post 4227 Toledo 268 Pioneer Mt. Loop Toledo, OR 97391	Ron Ballard	Potluck at Noon
10	Sat	14-Sep	1pm	Post 1412 Prineville 405 N Main St. Prineville OR 97754 SOI 14-Sep 10am	Dennis Pratt	Potluck at Noon
12	Sun	8-Sep	2pm	Post 9744 Myrtle Creek 252 S Old Pacific Hwy Myrtle Creek 97457 SOI 9-8-19 at 3pm	Dennis Pratt	1pm
13	Sat	14-Sep	10am	Post 3965 Springfield 5344 Main Street Springfield OR 97478 SOI at 9am	George Carroll	Potluck at Noon
14	Sun	15-Sep	1pm	Post 3437 Sweet Home 580 Main St. SOI at 1pm meeting to follow	George Carroll	Potluck at Noon
15	Sat	28-Sep	1pm	Post 3973 Molalla 127 Grange Ave Molalla OR 97038 SOI 9am	Ron Ballard	Potluck at Noon
16	Sat	21-Sep	1pm	Post 2666 Hillsboro 310 SW Walnut Hillsboro, OR 97123 SOI at 9:30 am	Dennis Pratt	Potluck at Noon

GENERAL ORDER #1 019-2020 Series, July 6, 2019

TO BE READ AT A REGULAR MEETING AND FILED:

1. Having been duly elected and installed, I hereby assume command.
2. All previous appointments are declared null and void.
3. The following officers having been duly elected, and installed are entitled to all the courtesies of their office.

Sr. Vice Commander	George Carroll	Post 3973
Jr. Vice Commander	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
Quartermaster	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
Chaplain	Ann Gosnell	Post 4307
Judge Advocate	Allen Anderson	Post 4273
Surgeon	Ronald Ballard	Post 1383
Jr. Past Commander	Rick Higgins	Post 4039

DISTRICT COMMANDERS:

District #2	Albert Little	Post 10580
District #3	Dale Guldenzopf	Post 4248
District #4	Bill Wilson	Post 965
District #5	Karen Johnson	Post 1383
District #6	Jerry Hunter	Post 3048
District #7	Charles Delore	Post 2302
District #8	Anthony Bowman	Post 922
District #9	Ken Smith	Post 3232
District #10	Floyd Leach	Post 12141
District #12	Mike Eakin	Post 2468
District #13	Will Parrish	Post 3473
District #14	Larry Alexander	Post 3957
District #15	Jason Griswold	Post 3973
District #16	Dale Pack	Post 2666

4. I hereby appoint the following officers and chairmen to begin function immediately:

Adjutant	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
Chief of Staff	Bert W. Key	Post 4273
Deputy CofS (in Memoriam)	Jason Carroll	
Inspector	Wayne Sharp	Post 1442
Service Officer	Ernie Doyle	Post 3452

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FINANCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE:

Chairman	Steve Morris	Post 3973
	Will Parrish	Post 3473
	George Carroll	Post 3973
	Don Reed	Post 12140
	Albert Little	Post 10580

VETERANS SERVICE COMMITTEE:

Chairman	Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
	George Carroll	Post 3973
	Allen Anderson	Post 4273
	Dale Pack	Post 2666
	Rick Higgins	Post 4039

MEMORIAL ENDOWMENT TRUST COMMITTEE

(Garrick Trust Fund)

Chairman	Bert W Key	Post 4273
	Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
	Norm Henshen	Post 7387
	Larry Alexander	Post 3957
	Will Parrish	Post 3473
	George Carroll	Post 3973
	John Duggan	Post 7347

The Department Service Officer and/or his assistant shall be non-voting advisor to this committee.

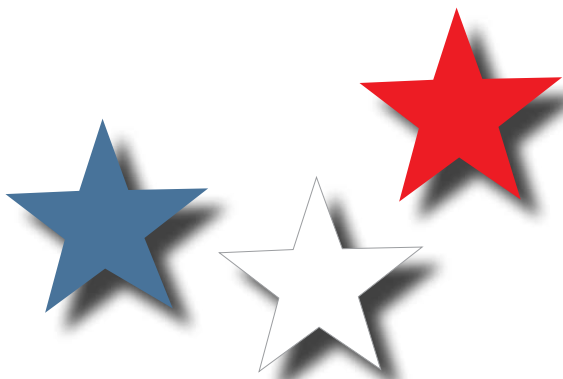
MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE:

Chairman	Allen Anderson	Post 4273
	Ron Jagodnik	Post 3973
	George Carroll	Post 3973
	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
	Norm Henshen	Post 7384
	Mitch Miller	Post 12123
	Ron Ballard	Post 1383
	Rick L. Higgins	Post 4039
	Ken Hunt	Post 3473

Bowling Family Style
Floyd Leach Post 12141

Bowling Open Tournament
Bob Brown Post 3232

Buddy Poppy & Poppy Contest
D.J. Ruger Post 1324



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Citizenship Ed (Americanism)	Michael Beyerlin	Post 9448
Color Team	Madras Capt. Craig McDonald	Post 12141
Communications	Jason Griswold	Post 3973
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Community Service	Richard Halverson	Post 922
Convention Committee		
Chair	William Pieters	Post 4108
	QM Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
	John Stanks	Post 3965
	Richard Halverson	Post 922
	Don Reed	Post 12140
	Ron Jagodnik	Post 3973
	Greg Draiss	Post 4248
Corporate Sponsorship Chair		
	Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
	George Carroll	Post 3973
	Albert Little	Post 10580
	Dale Pack	Post 2666
	Bert W. Key	Post 4273
	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
	Ron Jagodnik	Post 3973
Distinguished Guest (Ambassadors)	Larry Alexander	Post 3957
Golf Tournament	Richard Halverson	Post 922
Guard	Floyd Leach Bob Gore	Post 12141 Post 584
Historian	Mitch Miller	Post 12123
Hospital Chairman		
	Michael Countryman	Post 3973
	Ann Gosnell	Post 4307
Life & legacy Membership		
	Bert W Key	Post 4273
	Ken Smith	Post 3232
	Reid Ranson	Post 3232
National Home	Larry Alexander	Post 3957
National Legislative Committee		
	Rick Higgins	Post 4039
ODVA Liaison	Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
Officer of the Day	Will Parrish Richard Halverson	Post 3473 Post 922
OTS	Bert W Key	Post 4273
Patriot's Pen	Carl Anderson	Post 2666
Photographer	Dennis Marsh Mitch Miller	Post 3232 Post 12123
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Post Development	George Carroll Richard Halverson Allen Anderson	Post 3973 Post 922 Post 4273
POW/MIA	Juan Palacios	Post 10626
Publications	Ron Jagodnik	Post 3973
Re-District Committee Chair		
	Norm Henshen	Post 7384
	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
	Bruce Hall	Post 1325
	Mitch Miller	Post 12123
Resolutions/By-law Comm Chair		
	George Carroll	Post 3973
	Dennis Guthrie	Post 4108
	Chad Laing	Post 9448
	Ron Ballard	Post 1383
	Wayne Sharp	Post 1442
Safety	Floyd Leach	Post 12141
Scholarship Committee		
Chair	Bert W Key	Post 4273
QM	Cheryl Campos Dennis Pratt Jason Griswold Michael Beyerlin Ron Ballard David Lowe	Post 10626 Post 3203 Post 3973 Post 9448 Post 1383 Post 180
Scouting	Carl Anderson	Post 2666
State Legislative Comm.		
Chair	Dennis Guthrie George Carroll Allen Anderson Dennis Pratt Floyd Leach Ron Jagodnik	Post 4108 Post 3973 Post 4273 Post 3203 Post 12141 Post 3973

Student Veterans of American (SVA) Chair	William Beaulieu	Post 10626
	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
	Rick Higgins	Post 4039
	Andrea Summerlin	Post 3156
Teachers Award	Albert Little	Post 10580
Veteran & Military Support	Jason Griswold	Post 3973

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Veterans Health & Wellness		
Chair	Johnathan Courtney	Post 4217
	Jason Brock	Post 4108
	Martin Baltazar	Post 4108
	Michael Wills	Post 1324
	Steve Nicholson	Post 4108

Voice of Democracy (VOD)	Dennis Pratt	Post 3203
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Youth Activities	Ken Smith	Post 3232
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Women Veterans		
Chair	Andrea Summerlin	Post 3156
	Cheryl Campos	Post 10626
	Martha Garcia	Post 661
	Christina Gittens	Post 4108
	Tamara Calhoun	Post 4217
	Ann Gosnell	Post 4307

VAVS Representatives

Portland Representative		
Chairman	Harvey Pitcher	Post 3452
Deputy	Carl Anderson	Post 2666

Roseburg Representative		
Chairman	B. J.Engen	Post 2468
Deputy	Lee Sparks	Post 3970

White City Representative		
Chairman	Gary Lowe	Post 1833
Deputy	Ralph Groover	Post 1833
	Ken Wilson	Post 1833
	Charles Delore	Post 2302

Walla Walla Associate Representative		
Chairman	Clifford Smith	Post 922
Deputy	John Cook	Post 922

1. National Manual of Procedure, Section 218—Officers and Chairmen, Duties and Obligations.

Duty of Commander (Post) – k. Assure that the Commander or their representative attend all properly called District Conventions or meetings.

Duty of Quartermaster (Post) – c Disburse funds as properly authorized by the Post using accepted banking practices. Unless otherwise provided for in Post By-Laws, all disbursements of Post funds shall bear the signature of the Quartermaster or other person(s) authorized by the Quartermaster. Such other authorized person(s) shall be bonded with an indemnity company as surety in a sum at least equal to the amount of the liquid assets for which the Quartermaster may be accountable in accordance with Section 703.

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2. District Commanders: Send the Department copy of the Post Inspection Report to the Department Inspector immediately after inspection and no later than 31 October 2019. The Post copy stays with the Post. District Commanders or Inspecting Officer will be paid travel for only one Post Inspection per year.

3. Line Officers: All travel will be at the direction of the Department Commander. Unauthorized travel cannot be paid. Send a brief summary of travel purpose with results and/or observations to the Commander at Department Headquarters.

4. Post Officers, elected or appointed, shall submit proof of eligibility to the Post Adjutant. Post Officers shall not assume the duties of their office until proof of eligibility has been submitted. After sixty (60) days from election or appointment and failure to submit such proof, all rights to hold office shall be forfeited, the office declared vacant and the eligibility qualifications of such officer shall be questioned in accordance with the provision of Section 108 of the National By-Laws. (Section 216, Paragraph 2 of the National, By- Laws and Manual of Procedure pg. 70-71). District Commanders, District Senior vice Commanders and District Junior vice Commanders shall submit to the Department

Adjutant a copy of their DD-214 or proof of eligibility before assuming their elected offices.

5. The Quartermaster bonding year begins September 1ST. It is necessary to renew the QM Bond before this date. A new QM Bond Fees schedule will be sent to all Quartermasters. Posts with Private Club bonding must provide proof of bonding to Department Headquarters. Post not properly bonded by September 1st can be put on suspension.

6. The Department Commander strongly urges District and Post Officers to attend the Department and District Schools of Instruction. This is the meeting to get information and ask questions. If you don't attend you may miss out. Required for All-State consideration. District Commanders will be able to pick up the District and Post packets at this time. Please let Department know which SOI you will be attending so we may have the packets ready. If you cannot attend, send a substitute.

7. Section 403 of the Manual of Procedure clearly indicates that Districts shall hold at least two (2) regular meeting each year for the purpose of transacting business and conducting schools of instruction. Each District shall hold an annual District Convention for the purpose of electing District officers and for the transaction of business. (For a total of 3 meetings)

8. District and Post Quartermasters: When receiving a check from Department, deposit it immediately so we can keep our bookkeeping up to date. There is a sixty (60) day period on Department checks. If you miss this date, thank you.

9. The National Life Member Board of Trustees, pursuant to Section 111 of the VFW Bylaws, has determined that for the 2019 – 2020 membership year, the Life Membership Fund will pay out \$3.50 for each Plan A, B and C, \$3.86 for each Plan D and \$8.36 for each plan E Life member to their Post. Payment will be made in September 2019 for all life members recorded as of 31 August 2019. For life members processed from September through December 2019, the \$8.36 payout will be made in January 2020.

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10. Attention is directed to Section 709 of the National By-Laws and Manual of Procedure, paragraph two (2). Any Post owning and/or operating, directly or by reason of a holding company or other entity substantially controlled by the Post or its members, a canteen, clubroom or other facility available to members or guests must maintain general liability insurance, including, if necessary or appropriate, liquor liability insurance. Such insurance must be of a type and amount sufficient to protect the Post and must name, as additional insured's, the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States and the Department in which such Post is located.

11. Attention is called to the provisions of Section 703 of the National By-Laws which require that each officer accountable for funds or property pursuant to any provision of these By-Laws shall be bonded with an indemnity company as surety in a sum at least equal to the amount of the liquid assets for which, so far as can be anticipated, he may be accountable. The bond premium shall be paid from the funds of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Department, District, County Council or Post, as the case may be, to which each officer is accountable. The bonds of such accountable officers, in amount and as to surety, shall be approved by their respective units and held by their respective Commanders. The Commander of each unit shall be responsible for the proper and adequate bonding of all accountable officers in his unit.

BY ORDERS OF:

//SIGNED//

JOHN WRINKLE, State Commander

ATTEST:

//SIGNED//

CHERYL CAMPOS, Adjutant

Updates

Buddy Poppy Contest Winners at Seven Feathers Convention

Category 1: Public Promotion:

- 1st place: Sandy Post and Aux 4273, "100 Years of Remembrance"
- 2nd place: Kilchis Tillamook Post and Aux 2848, "Planter box of poppies"

Category 2: Memorial or Inspirational

- 1st place: Hillsboro Post and Aux. 2666, "Why we kneel"
- 2nd place: Creswell Post and Aux. 4039, "United We Stand"
- 3rd place: Cottage grove Post and Aux 3973, "Remember, Honor, Teach"

Category 3: Artistic or Decorative

- 1st place: Three Rivers Post and Aux. 1324, "Quilt"
- 2nd place: Molalla Post and Aux. 3973, "Umbrella"
- 3rd place: Let'er Buck Post and Aux. 922, "Flower Pot"



1st place: Hillsboro Post and Aux. 2666,



2nd place: Creswell Post and Aux 4039



1st place: Sandy Post and Aux 4273



2nd place: Kilchis Tillamook Post & Aux 2848



2nd place: Molalla Post and Aux. 3973



3rd place: Let'er Buck Post and Aux. 922

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS POST 81 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

NAME: _____
 ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
 PHONE: _____ ALTERNATE: _____
 GRADE POINT AVERAGE (Cumulative): RANK (in class): _____ OF _____ Seniors.
 College or school you are planning to attend: _____
 Major Field of study: _____
 SAT or ACT Scores (If available) _____ SAT: CR _____ M _____ WR _____
 ACT: Composite _____
 FATHER'S NAME: _____
 MOTHER'S NAME (Maiden name) _____
 Name of parent or grandparent who is/was a member of the Department of Oregon Veterans of Foreign Wars:
 Membership Number: _____ VFW Post Number: _____

- Please attach a neatly typed 300-word essay on the theme: "What Makes America Great"
 - Submit a Letter of Recommendation from at least one teacher or administrator focusing on your classroom work, as well as your community service.
 - Please include a COPY of your official grade transcripts.
 - This scholarship must be used between September 2020 and June 2021.
 - Deadline: Must be submitted in person NLT 3:00 PM, or by U. S. Mail, post marked NLT Monday February 17, 2020.
- To: Veterans of Foreign Wars Department of Oregon 12440 NE Halsey Streets Portland, Oregon 97230