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COMMANDER'S CORNER

Legionnaires,

I hope all our members are doing well and getting ready for warmer weather. As things start to improve and we recover from a tough year, be on the lookout for events happening at our post. We started to bring back some of your favorite events, such as, Friday Night Bands now held in our Hall to allow for social distancing. Also, for those Bingo players do not forget our Wednesday Wacky Bar Bingo! You can stay informed by checking out our [website](#) or Facebook.

This year I invite all our members to join us for our annual Memorial Day Celebration being held on May 31st starting at 8:30am. This year we are honored to have as guest speakers, Maryland Secretary of Veteran Affairs, Honorable George W Owings III, and Maryland Delegate, Honorable Mike Rogers. So please join us as we remember and honor our departed heroes.

As we approach the end of the Legion year, we are once again holding elections for Legion Officers. Nominations will be accepted during our General Membership meeting on 5/13/2021. So, if anyone is interested in running or would like to nominate someone, please ensure that you are present.

Membership continues to progress as we hit our goals. The American Legion, and this Post, only exist because of our members. So, if you have yet to renew, please go ahead and submit your payment. You can do it online or drop off the payment in the Lounge. If you know someone who is eligible, bring them in, sign them up and show them the benefits of being a Legion Member. I want to welcome our new members and those who transferred in.

Do not forget to check out the Events Page.

I look forward to seeing everyone around the post!

God Bless You all!

Marcelo Teixeira
Commander, Post 276



First Vice Commander

Legionnaires,

Membership currently stands at 93.50%, or 554 renewals, we have met our April goal! Please ensure your dues are paid up for 2021 as our Commander will be hosting a Member's Appreciation Summer Bash on June 12th, 2021; dues must be current to attend.

If you know of anyone eligible to become a member, bring them into the Post and show them around, applications are in the file box near the food service window. Questions? Please contact me at (410) 903-1790

Yours in Legion Service,

Ed Kenealy



Chaplain's Corner

My enduring hope is that this newsletter finds all in good health as we continue our COVID-19 recovery. As we come out of the lock down, please be careful and stay safe.

Get Your Vaccine Now!

As your chaplain, I have been praying for all of you and for the post. Please give a big "thank-you" to the ones that have been working so hard to keep things going at the post. Looking forward, we can use all the help that you can give. If you can stand up and take on a job with the board, please do so - talk to a board member. They have given so much in running the post. I urge everyone to strongly consider stepping up and volunteering for a position on the board. Remember that this is your Legion Post.

All legionnaire members in good standing are eligible to serve and vote. The election of officers for 2021-22 will commence at the next monthly General Membership meeting on Thur, 13 May 2021 at 1900 hrs in the hall. Everyone is highly encouraged to attend. Consider ALL POSITIONS open and available... including this chaplain position which will also be available!



Charlotte Hall Veterans Home Accepting New Residents: Here at MDVA we are being asked if Charlotte Hall Veterans Home is accepting new residents. The answer is Yes! Both Veterans and eligible spouses may apply for admission to Charlotte Hall Veterans Home. To ensure the safety of current residents and staff, those newly admitted to Charlotte Hall are cared for in a separate unit for fourteen days and tested for COVID-19 before being moved into the assisted living or skilled nursing care units. If you are interested in more information about Charlotte Hall Veterans Home admission, use this link and call the Admissions staff on 301-884-8171 Ext. 5111#



Binnacle (Sick call) Prayer List includes...

Sonny Cockrell

Harold Greer

Bob Habel

Guy Hall

Deepest sympathies go out to Joan Faulkner and former Post Commander Mike Lowman for the loss of their loved ones – may they RIP!

And may we continue to pray for our ill and deceased legionnaires and their friends and family!

God Bless!

Chaplain Mike

SAL

Greetings

On July 1, 2020 the membership dues increased to \$25.00 for the 2021 year. The reason is due to the national organization increased the membership dues.

Yours for a better Sons of the American Legion

Jeff Miller
Commander



We are always looking for
new members for each of
the organizations
associated with our Post.

Please recommend your
friends that may be eligible.





Auxiliary Unit 276

My term as Unit President for the Auxiliary is coming to an end very soon. I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone for their support during this tough past year; without everyone's help we would not have accomplished all that we did. THANK YOU! The Easter Egg Hunt was a success for the children; thank you to all the ladies that helped make it successful. We hosted our first Bus Crawl since COVID on Saturday, April 24th. Our goal was to sell 40 seats in 2 weeks, we almost met that goal...we sold 36 seats. Please see below our planned events for the next two months. Reminder...your membership card should say 2021 if your dues are up to date. If you need to pay your dues you have several options; drop off dues in lounge, pay online or mail to Michelle Ford 8237 Powers Drive, Millersville, MD 21108. If you know of anyone eligible to become an Auxiliary member, bring them into the Post and show them around, applications are in the file box near the food service window. If you have any membership questions please contact our Membership Officer Michelle Ford.

Cinco de Mayo Wednesday May 5th the Auxiliary will be serving beef tacos, chicken enchiladas, chips & salsa, margaritas and sangria wine from 4pm – 7pm in the lounge. Cinco de Mayo themed pictures with sombrero will be taken for \$1.00 each 4 X 6 photo size.

Dinner for May 14th will be Crab Cake, Macaroni Salad, and Green Beans with dessert. The band Never Too Late will be performing in the Hall 7pm-11pm.

Cooler of Cheer – The Auxiliary is selling chances for \$5.00 each; all donations collected will be donated to local food banks. Ask your bartender for your tickets at the bar or ask an Auxiliary member. The drawing is going to be held on Friday June 11, 2021 during Auxiliary Dinner.

Celebration of Life for Mrs. Beverly Hansberger on June 5th in our Post Hall 4:00pm – 7:00pm. Please see attached flyer advertising the event.

Dinner for June 11th will be Crab Cake, Fries and Coleslaw with dessert. The band Wild Grey Hairz will be performing in the Hall 7pm-11pm.

The Auxiliary would like to thank everyone for all their help; without volunteers we would not be successful.

May God bless each and every one of you.

Yours in Service for God & Country

Tammy Kenealy, ALA President/Historian

“Membership is what fuels our Auxiliary, so please come join us at our Unit Monthly Meetings on the 2nd Thursday of every month at 7pm.”

In loving memory of



Beverly Hansberger

November 15, 1934 - December 4, 2020

**THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY INVITES YOU TO JOIN THEM
FOR DINNER AND TO CELEBRATE BEVERLY'S LIFE ON**

SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 2021

4:00 - 7:00pm

*Please feel free to share your memories of Beverly during the celebration.
RSVP to Tammy at 410-446-2901 - Requested, but not required.*

Howard L. Turner Post 276

8068 Quarterfield Road, Severn, MD 21144

American Legion Auxiliary

Post 276



Cinco de Mayo Celebration!



**Wednesday,
May 5th**

**Sombrero
Pictures \$1.00**

2 Enchiladas or 2 Tacos with
a Margarita or glass of Sangria Wine **\$5**

Happy Hour Specials:

4:00 – 7:00pm

\$1.50 Taco or Enchilada

\$2.50 Corona & Modelo

50/50

Raffle



Memorial Day Celebration!

Monday, May 31st 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Hot Dogs, Hamburgers & Baked

Beans

Open Juke Box... Happy Hour Prices!



ALA Unit 276 Spring Raffle

Cooler of Cheer!

\$5



All proceeds will go to helping local food banks in our community.

Drawing on June 11th

Many thanks to Bass Pro & Legion Members for their generous donations!

Post 276



Member Appreciation

Summer Bash!!

SAT. JUNE 12
1:00PM - 6:00PM



LIVE MUSIC - ASSISTED LIVING

Cash Bar & Happy Hour Prices
Food & Dessert Provided
Please Bring Lawn Chairs



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American Legion Post 276 Golf Tournament

The 4th annual AL Post 276 Golf Tournament is tentatively set for Mon, 1 Nov 2021 @ 0900 at the Crofton Country Club.... So mark the date on your calendars. We will get the official flyer and notices/sign-ups out soon. Hope to see you there!

POC: Mike Krieger, Chaplain Post 276



Finally, **May is National Military Appreciation Month**. The month of May honors, remembers, recognizes and appreciates all military personnel; those men and women who have served throughout our history and all who now serve in uniform and their families as well as those Americans who have given their lives in defense of their country.

May 2021

SUN MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT

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Cinco De Mayo
See Pg 5
Wacky Bar Bingo
7pm
Executive Board
Meeting
7-8pm
Dinner 6-8
Cheesesteaks
Impulse

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General Mem.
Meeting 7pm
Aux Mtg 7pm
Dinner 6-8pm
Crab Cakes
Never To Late

16 17 18 19 20 21 22

Wacky Bar Bingo
7pm
Dinner 6-8pm
Jerry and The
Heartaches

23 24 25 26 27 28 29

Breakfast 9-11
SAL Mtg 12:30
Dinner 6-8pm
Open Jukebox

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June 2021

SUN MON TUE WED THU FRI SAT

1 2 3 4 5

Wacky Bar Bingo
7pm

Executive Board Meeting
7-8pm

Dinner 6-8
Cheesesteaks

Jill Black & Panic
Attack

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General Mem.
Meeting 7pm

Aux Mtg 7pm

Dinner 6-8pm
Crab Cakes

Wild Grey Hairz

Member
Appreciation
Summer Bash
1-6pm
See Flyer pg 10

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Wacky Bar Bingo
7pm

Dinner 6-8pm

Chasing Time

20 21 22 23 24 25 26

Dinner 6-8pm

Family Tradition

27 28 29 30

Breakfast 9-11

SAL Mtg 12:30

The American Legion Membership Application

(Name)	(Phone)
(Mailing Address)	(Date)
(City)	(State)
(Zip)	(Post #)
(Membership ID# former member)	(Email Address)
(Dues)	

Please check appropriate eligibility dates and branch of service below

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aug 2, 1990 – cessation of hostilities as determined by U.S. Government | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Army |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dec. 20, 1989 – Jan. 31, 1990 | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Navy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aug. 24, 1982 – July 31, 1984 | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Air Force |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Feb. 28, 1961 – May 7, 1975 | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Marines |
| <input type="checkbox"/> June 25, 1950 – Jan. 31, 1955 | <input type="checkbox"/> U.S. Coast Guard |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dec. 7, 1941 – Dec. 31, 1946 | <input type="checkbox"/> Merchant Marines 12/7/41 – 12/31/46 (only eligibility) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> April 6, 1917 – Nov 11, 1918 | |



I certify that I served at least one day of active military duty during the dates marked above and was honorably discharged or am still serving honorably.

Signature of applicant	Name of recruiter
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Hall Rentals

Do you have an event coming up? Remember that the Post 276 Hall is available for you. Big or small, we can help. We offer special pricing for Post members and full catering can be arranged. This is one of your membership benefits so be sure to take advantage of it.

Call 410-969-8028, and ask for the 2nd Vice Commander for more information.