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“Together we can make a difference”

July 2020

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We are beginning a new year at our Post and I am very excited about what we can do together. First and foremost, I want to thank you and tell you how honored I am to be elected Commander of Post 112. I am looking forward to what we can do to help Veterans and also to help our community. I look at my position as a manager, not as a Boss. The officers and I will manage and lead the Post as our member's vote and instruct us. I assure you, there will always be an open door policy and everything we do will be as transparent as possible.

Our goals for the year:

1. Increase membership.
2. Always be available to help Veterans in need.
3. Continue our good work in the community.
4. Improve communication between members and officers.
5. Have a family atmosphere.

To do these things I will need the help of each or you. As our committees are formed, I will ask our officers to chair most of them. But, I will also ask them to look for other members of the Post to serve on these committees. We need as much participation as possible from each of you to get the job done, *We need input from each of you!*

We have made several changes at the Post for your protection against the Virus. We now have a one-way entrance and a one-way exit. There are one-way directions down each aisle between the tables. Hand sanitizers

are at several places in the room. After each event at the Post, it is not only cleaned but also completely sanitized. We have procedures and supplies to sanitize the restrooms each time used.

We ask that you maintain social distancing of six feet at all times. The Health Department and CDC guidelines are for anyone without a breathing problem to wear a mask. We will be checking body temperatures as you enter the building. Our goal is to make Post 112 to be a place where you do not fear the virus. We only ask that you work with us with these new guidelines.

Thank you for your support and I am looking forward to a good year for everyone.

For God and Country,

John Wilson
Commander



Veteran's designation on a state-issued driver's license or ID

At this time, all 50 states and Puerto Rico offer a Veteran designation (an identifying mark) printed on state-issued driver's licenses or IDs. The type of Veteran designation may vary from state to state. If you have a Veteran's designation, you may be able to get discounts offered to Veterans at many stores, businesses, and restaurants.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- July 4, Independence Day
- July 9, 5:30 pm, Executive meeting American Legion; 6:00 pm Auxiliary
- July 16, 6:00 pm, Regular meeting SAL
- July 30, 6:00 pm, Regular meeting American Legion and Ladies Auxiliary

BINGO - Every Friday and Saturday, 6:30 pm (Social distancing and other safety measures are in place.)



We are happy to get back to our executive meetings and regular meetings. Even with the limitations, because of the COVID-19 virus, we were able to conduct business as well as enjoy fellowship.

I am thrilled to announce that my Granddaughter, Belle Anne Peeples, member of the Junior Auxiliary, won Best All Around Trophy in dancing and First Place Trophy in Solos at the Rising Star National Championship (in Pigeon Forge). Harrison and I are so proud of her.

Have a happy Independence day!

Our best days are before us,

Wanda Parker

Auxiliary President



“Howdy Ya’ll” - I was born and raised in Georgia, so that’s my first greeting to you as the NEW Commander for Sons of the American Legion! We hope George Lo Greco Sr. enjoys his well-earned retirement after 20+ years as Commander promoting the programs and principles of SAL.

I look forward to learning, growing and doing everything possible for the betterment of our veterans. Confidence is high that the 2020-2021 year will introduce some exciting new plans, interesting meetings with guest speakers, renewed engagement of our members and innovative ways to attract new members. Thank you for your support, prayers, and suggestions for improvement.

Sing-cerely,

Anthony J. Robertson

SAL Commander

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