

#### **MEMBER OF OHIO CHARITIES**

**Veterans of Foreign Wars** 

Post 6710 Wilmington, Ohio

# Newsletter July 2019

Comrades,

I hope all is well with everyone. It looks like summer is finally here. Remember to check on our elderly family and friends as the heat increases. Some comrades do not have air conditioning or enough fans. Also, as you are out and about remember to keep hydrated yourself. Beer and alcohol do not count.

I would like to talk about commitment for minute. When you join a group or club for whatever reason, you have committed to support and help the organization complete their mission. When commitments are made and then not followed, you let that organization down that was counting on you to step up perform the duties you accepted. So, if you commit to something please follow thru and do the things you say you will do, remember other people may be counting on you. With this being said to do what to thank EVERYONE who steps up and helps at the Post with the events and the fund raiser, who cannot do it without your commitment. THANK YOU.

A quick reminder that our newsletters are on our webpage, <u>www.vfw6710.org</u>, under the heading of news and events. If there is something you would like to see on our webpage let me know and I'll see what can be done.

Respectfully,

Richard L. James Post Commander, VFW 6710

# **QUARTERMASTER**

First and foremost, I want to welcome the new Officers for their 2019/2020 term. With your help we hope for continued success in keeping the Post moving in the right direction. There have been plenty of improvements and repairs made around the Post over the past few years, due to members coming together and working with our volunteers to make these accomplishments. Though there is more work and repairs to be made, we're proceeding one step at a time.

I hope everyone had a fun filled and enjoyable July 4<sup>th</sup> with family and friends. The month of July and August are the Post most busiest with scheduled activities and events that we hope our members and community will come out to support. Our canteen Manager, (Theresa) along with our canteen committee work together to schedule a variety of events that everyone can enjoy.

Every once in a while, it is brought to the attention of the Officers to remind our members the the Post have "House Rules" which everyone must obey. The Post is known for its friendly environment and we wish to keep it that way. We ask that "Attitudes" be checked at the front door and remind members; they are responsible for their quest.

Again, I want to thank Theresa, the Bartenders and Volunteers for the excellent job they do for the Post and our members.

Quartermaster, Dennis Harris

### **VFW AUXILIARY NEWS**

Auxiliary Members,

The Auxiliary will be raffling off a Lasor Cut Metal Flag. The drawing will be August 11, at the VFW Car and Bike Show. Proceeds will be going to the "VFW National Children's Home" Please stop in and buy your tickets. Thank you to Gustellia Scott for donating the flag.

Your slate of officers has been installed for the next year. Thank you to VFW #6710 Post Commander Richard James for doing the honors.

Our next meeting will be July 15, 6:30. Please try to attend.

Have a safe July 4th.

God Bless our Veterans and the United States of America,

Auxiliary President, V. Rose

## **CANTEEN**

As I write this newsletter, the day has been beautiful, sunny and breezy, and believe it or not, no rain. June was a very busy month for us and July seems to be just as busy. I would like thank everyone that helped and supported the Gumball Rally, we had a good turnout considering the rain. A big thank you to Gary Cramton for taking the bus, he had a full bus load. 1st place smoke off winner was Dub town smokers and 2nd was Simple boys. Heath and Amanda got People's Choice. Our fall Gumball will take

Place Oct 19th. ABATE car and Bike show will be held at the VFW POST this year July 6th from 11-3, there will be a breakfast from 8-11. The Freedom Drivers will be doing a fun ride to the Georgetown Veterans Home July 13th, this is cars and bikes, meeting at the post at noon. This is a cruise in that the veterans will enjoy, anyone and everyone is invited. The American Legion Riders will be doing the Ride to Remember July 27th starting at the VFW, breakfast from 9-12, sign up 11-1. Hopefully we can get Gary to take the bus on this ride, I know everyone had a blast. Our cruise in and Karaokee is every Wednesday starting at 5, please spread the word. I want to thank Gretchen, Richard, Judy, Bob, Gary, Brenda, Brady, Eric and Deidre for helping with the GI Cleaning party, if I left anyone out, I'm truly sorry. Also, a huge thank you and beautiful job to Laura Lewis on the painting of the American Flag on the doors of the band stand.

As always keep our Troops in your Thoughts and Prayers and God Bless America!!!

Canteen Manager Theresa

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Freedom Drivers meeting 6:00	2	3 cruise in & Karaoke	4	5	6 9-11 Breakfast 11-3. ABATE car and Bike show
7	8	9	10 cruise in & Karaoke	11	12	13 ride to Georgetown Veterans' home 12:00
14	15 VFW Auxiliary meeting 6:30PM	16	17 cruise in & Karaoke	18 VFW Post meeting 7:00PM	19	20
21	22	23	24 cruise in & Karaoke	25	26	27 912. Breakfast 11-1 Legion Riders poker run
28	29	30	31 cruise in & Karaoke			

