

Commanders Corner Nov. 2019

The month of October has flown by but is not forgotten. The chili cook off and silent auction was a great success and the Post raised a good amount of money to put toward a new ceiling in the function hall. A great many other upgrades have occurred in the hall. Stop by to see our progress and consider having your next function at Post 3031.

I personally will be in charge of frightening children at the kids Halloween Party in the gentlest possible way.

As always November will be a busy month for the VFW. Your Honor Guard and Commander will be in schools and senior housing facilities and on Saturday Nov. 9th we will be hosting a poppy drive in at least three different locations from 9am till 1pm. We desperately need volunteers to support this effort. There is a signup sheet on the bulletin board and if you are unable to come in to sign up call in to the Post (479-636-7042) and have your name added to the list along with your phone number.

Nov. 10th Sunday join us for our Veterans Breakfast Buffet. All veterans are welcome at no charge and are welcome to join the Commander in celebrating the Marine Corps Birthday! Nov. 11th (Veterans Day) from 11am till?, come in for the traditional beans and cornbread.

Don't forget our monthly post meeting on Nov. 16th Saturday at 10 am.

We now have Steak Night on the First and Third Saturday's of the month from 6 to 8 pm. I look forward to seeing you at the post.
Yours in service,
Patrick Collins
Commander

Presidents Corner

November is upon us, which means cooler weather. October ended with stormy weather and I hope all is well with everybody. The Halloween party for the kids was a success, even for the adults. Everyone who attended enjoyed the games, piñatas, and, of course, the treats.

A busy month is ahead. We will be having a poppy drive on the 9th, sign up at the Post if you would like to help.

The Post is hosting a buffet breakfast on the 10th for veterans; please join us in honoring our vets. On Veteran's Day, we will be offering ham, beans, and cornbread at 11:00 a.m. Stop by and visit with our vets.

And, as usual, we will be serving Thanksgiving dinner at the Post, starting at 2:00 p.m.

Remember, dues are now due and you can pay at the Post or drop them in the mail. Notices will be sent soon as a reminder.

Our next meeting is November 16th. Hope to see you there. Loyally,
Norma Hill

A doctor was addressing a large group of people in Tampa, FL "The material we put in our stomachs is enough to have killed most of us sitting here many years ago...Red meat is awful...Soft drinks corrode your stomach lining...Chinese food is loaded with MSG...High fat diets can be disastrous...and none of us realizes the long-term harm caused by the bacteria in our drinking water. However, there is one thing that is the most dangerous of all, and we have all eaten it or will eat it. Can anyone here tell me what food it is that causes the most grief and suffering for years after eating it?" After several seconds of quiet, a 75 year old man in the front row, raised his hand, and softly said, "Wedding Cake."