



Post News

COMMANDER'S CORNER

I will try to keep this short. We have had a good month. Myself and 1st Vice Rick Hanes went to the District Meeting at Post 6 in Deland on August 8th. We picked up a few things there from our visit and are looking into bringing these ideas to our Post in the future. At the General Membership Meeting we voted and approved the revised Constitution and By-Laws. We will be sending them to the Department for approval for the Department JAG Officer.

On August 28th. Myself and Paul Warring helped the Rotary Club with the concession stand at the Interlachen High School home football game. We had a good time even though the home team lost.

On August 29th. We had our first Post work day. We had a good turn out of members. There were 7 Legionnaires, 1 from the sons, 3 members of the Auxiliary, and 6 or 7 scouts. We got a lot of work done and the Post is looking better but there is still work to be done. I will be setting a date for the next work day soon.

Unfortunately we have been forced to cancel the Golf Tournament. This due to the fact that there are other Golf Tournaments going on around in the area around the same time. We also did not get the sponsorships and golf teams we had hoped for. We will need to find new fundraisers. Anyone with any ideas please bring them to us to consider.

Some dates to remember for September. Post Watch is every Tuesday from 10:00am until 2:00pm and Thursday from 4:00pm until 8:00pm. On September 26th is Breakfast at the Post followed by a shortened General Membership Meeting. Following the membership meeting there will be a Post Officers training class at our post put on by District 17. This class will be attended by members from other Posts, as well. The class is open to any member.

By Veterans For Veterans
Jeff Jernigan
Commander



UPCOMING EVENTS

MONTHLY HIGHLIGHTS

- Community Flea Market / Scouts Car Wash - Sep 12
- Executive Meeting - Sep 13
- Auxiliary Meeting - Sep 14
- Potluck Family Social - Sep 21
- Breakfast - Sep 26
- General Membership Meeting / District Training - Sep 26
- Sons of the American Legion Meeting - Sep 26

Be sure to see the full calendar attached to the newsletter.

TIME TO RENEW!

Contact 1st Vice, Rick Hanes to
renew your membership
936-635-9936

Ask about 3-year renewals



Bob was edging and trimming weeds at Post Work Day

AUXILIARY REPORT

Welcome to September!

Primaries have wrapped up (I hope you had a chance to get out and practice your right to vote).

Our hard core members (you know who you are) showed up at our Post Social Meeting on the 17th. #AuxiliaryStrong. We were able to enjoy a nice dinner together and were able to update our members about a couple of new events that popped up since our last meeting.

We have a couple of things coming up in September. On the 5th, we have District 17 School of Instruction. This will be held at Post 17 in New Smyrna Beach, starting at 9 AM. If you are interested in going, let's talk about car-pooling!

Our next local event is our Community Flea Market on the 12th. All hands on deck! Don't forget to bring in your baked goods either Friday afternoon or Saturday morning for our Bake Sale. As usual, the BloodMobile will be on site, if you can donate, please come out and do so. And don't forget to support our Scouts, they will be there doing their car wash for donations.

Our next scheduled Auxiliary Meeting will be on September 14th at 3:30 pm.

See you soon!

Chris Carroll
President Unit 293

Thank you
FOR YOUR
Hardwork



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Post Family Potluck Social

Pumpkin Patch Planning

I had planned to hold a planning meeting for the Pumpkin Patch on Post Work Day, thinking we'd have a lot of folks from all of our family organizations available. What I forgot was how much work needed to be done and how tired we'd all be at the end of it. So instead of a meeting, I'm going to put the requests and needs for the patch here. Please speak up, email me, text me, or call me with what you are willing and or able to provide.

The pumpkins are due to arrive on October 9th at about 4pm, assuming all goes to plan. We will need all hands on deck for offloading. The JROTC and Scouts will help, as school schedules allow. Scouts will begin to setup and decorate the evening of Tuesday Sep 6.

We will run the patch and other Halloween events the same as last year, though we may move the trunk or treat to Faith Life Church grounds if we get enough candy vendors.

Pumpkin Patch Needs:

Delivery Day

- Wagons/Wheelbarrows (needed throughout the patch)
- Buckets
- Brooms
- Rakes
- Leafblower
- Potentially more pallets, but we may have enough this year.

Overall

- Wagons/Wheelbarrows
- Exterior lights
- Tarps
- Extension Cords
- Pop Up Tents
- Plywood/Tablecloths
- Photo Booth Items/Decorations
- Straw / Hay
- Signs



If you have anything to add or mention, please let me know no later than 1 week following the general meeting!

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Jeff Mowing and Ron Weeding



Steve Mowing and Irene Shredding



Scouts Hauling and Paul Cleaning

