



MEETING REPORTS:

MEMBERSHIP:

1st READING: James Fitzgerald (Army) – Present.

Sons & Daughters of Veteran Members:

Alyssa Beaudet (D), Denise Bernstein (D), Joel Chernenkoff (S), Glenn Derle (S), Erin Doyle-Facciolo (D), Mike Kuhn (S), Bonnie Lober (D), Thomas Richter IV (S), Nicole Romero (D), Tyler Schilling (S).

All Present. Patrick Brzezicki (S), Phillip Dauria Jr (S) – **Not Present.**

2nd READING: Michael Froggatt, (Marine) – authorized absent.

Don't forget, we meet the **first Wednesday of every month. NEW TIME: 7:30pm** Please try to attend.

Funerals of Member and Families:

Post policy gives the use of the Post Rental Hall with two (2) hours open bar to deceased member or member's deceased spouse, his/her children and parents.

Call 302-475-0636 to make arrangements.

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT:

DEATHS:

Patty Rosbrow's mother passed away recently.

The following members have passed away on the dates stated:

Gene DiPasquale, 02-23-2016
John E. Mahek, Sr 02-16-2016
Donald F. Talley 02-03-2016
John Franz 01-25-2016
"Dan" J Taylor 01-13-2016

The Post sends our sincerest condolences to our members for their recently departed family members.

Commander's Corner ↵



Hello Post Members,

February, being a short month has come and gone quickly. Despite Punxsutawney Phil's prediction of an early spring, we had more snow and some bitterly cold temperatures. Fortunately the Post fared well during these times mainly due to the hard work in winterizing and maintenance.

The Super Bowl Party and the Valentine's Day Dinner were very successful and has helped raise funds for our Building and Maintenance Fund. Thank you to our Kitchen and Entertainment Committees who did a great job and thank you to all who supported these events. Post membership involvement; be it coming to the event or volunteering to help, is what keeps our Post moving forward.

Looking forward to March, we have again filled the calendar with events for the membership to enjoy. These events are posted on the Post Calendar of Events located on our website. The WACs are having their Saint Patty's Day dinner with Irish dancers on the 17th and the Post is having a Comedy Night on Saturday the 19th. I hope to see many of you there for an enjoyable time. In closing, stay warm, healthy and safe. See you at the Post.

Joe Rodriguez, Commander

VETERANS MUSINGS



Dick's (Bostic) article didn't find me this month because I am down south warming my bones and he didn't know how to send it to me here in the warm south !

(Editor)

WAC's:



The next WACs meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 1st at 7:00 pm.

VETERANS' AFFAIRS:

Commissioner Myron advised there are 8856 retirees in Delaware receiving retirement benefits. Myron will post information on the Bulletin Board.

POST MEMBERSHIP CARDS:

The Membership Committee has the paid membership cards stuffed and addressed and they are available for pick up at the Post.



All paid members can pick up their cards in the Lounge. The cards show you are a member in good standing. Also, by picking up your card, you are saving our Post postage money which can be put towards our Building and Maintenance Funds.

Thank you,
Del Vets Membership Committee

POOL NEWS:



Hopefully the last of the snow is behind us as we look forward to the warmer weather! We are working on getting the pool membership information ready and dues invoices should go out by early April. If you have moved, have changes, or plan on not renewing your pool membership, please email the pool committee as soon as possible at delvetspool1@verizon.net. Also let us know if you or someone you know wants to join the pool. We are accepting new members. The biggest change you will see this year will be the addition of a basketball court in the field next to the pumphouse.

Mike Phillips

DEL VETS Sports & Current Events Corner

SPORTS:

IN HOUSE POOL LEAGUE

Dateline: 2535 Veterans Drive

Dear Readers:

Sitting around the pool room I often hear some really mind provoking statements from the players on the various teams. V.



Vandenbraak was heard saying to Rich Hartland "What I do when I see someone pretty is, I stare, I smile, then when I get tired I put the mirror down" Vince you're so vain!

Fast Eddie Payne was telling Dennis Quinn "Sometimes when I close my eyes, I can't see" - Don't close them Eddie! Chip Roop was telling Tommy Squires "You laugh because I'm different, I laugh cause I just Farted", Doctor "Too Tall" Steve Hill says "In beer there is freedom, in wine there is health, in cognac there is power and in water there is bacteria" - Interesting statement Steve....But the most profound statement that I heard came out of Richard Rosbrow's mouth the other night "Don't forget that alcohol helps to remove the stress, the bra, the panties and many other problems" Good Point Rich!

And finally, Mike Hannon said "When I read about the evils of drinking, I gave up reading"!

Now for the updates>>>Tuesday night seems to belong to the Rich Hartland gang of three. Thursday's looks like a shootout between Ernie and Greg's teams. Know what really stinks? I don't care about either team! I know that I can be stupid sometimes but then I take a step back and look around me I feel a lot better! Until next month my faithful readers, I wish to remain as always.....



Anonymous

FACT OF THE MONTH:

We all get heavier as we get older because there's a lot more information in our heads.

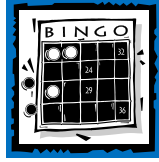
That's my story and I'm sticking to it!

DON'T FORGET BINGO!

**IN THE LOUNGE ON
WEDNESDAYS —**

**March 9th, 16th, 23th &
30th**

MEMBERS ONLY



Thursday, March 17th
St. Patrick's Day Dinner Dance



Irish Dancers after Dinner
See Bulletin Board for details

Need a laugh?
Saturday, March 19th
**Comedy Night in
the Hall**



\$15pp Open at 7pm – Show 8pm



DATES TO REMEMBER:

- **TUESDAY, March 1st, 2016**
WACs Meeting 7:15pm
- **WEDNESDAY, March 2nd, 2016**
General Member Meeting **7:30pm**
- **SATURDAY, March 5th, 2016**
Game night in Lounge – Password is the game
- **MONDAY, March 7th, 2016**
Honor Guard Meeting 7:00pm

- **WEDNESDAYS, March 9, 16, 23, 30, 2016**
BINGO in the lounge – **MEMBERS ONLY**
- **THURSDAY, March 17th, 2016**
St Patrick's Day dinner & Irish Dancers
- **SATURDAY, March 19th, 2016**
Comedy Night – Open 7pm - Show at 8 pm
- **SUNDAY, March 20th, 2016**
Daylight Savings begins – Spring forward
- **MONDAY, April 4th, 2016**
Honor Guard Meeting 7:00pm
- **TUESDAY, April 5th, 2016**
WACs Meeting 7:15pm
- **WEDNESDAY, April 6th, 2016**
General Membership Meeting 7:30pm

Lucy Stephens, Editor

EDITOR'S NOTE: **

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