



Post 219 Legion News

February 2010 - March 2010

Commander's Corner

Greetings to ALL

Hello to all my fellow legion members, it's that time again to bring you all up to date.

I first want to thank Gary G. & Dick G. for doing the coleslaw for the past five years, They have decided to take a break and they would like to teach someone how to make the slaw.

Hopefully someone will step up and help out. Again thank you and job well done!

We need everyone to renew his or her dues. If you know of someone who forgot please remind him or her. The legion could use your help not only as volunteers, but to show up at the meetings or come to the social hall. Remember without you we have no reason to have what we do. So come on out and lets get to know each other. Have a safe, short and wonderful winter.

Yours,

Clinton Martin, Commander

Auxiliary Activities

Hello Fellow Auxiliary Members; Thank You to everyone who donated the Adopt a Family. Over \$3500.00 was contributed which helped five families with fifteen children have a Holiday Season!

A new youth center has opened in Kingsley (not just for kids though) check it out on the web at www.therockofkingsley.com !

February 10th will be the annual visit by our sitting Auxiliary District President, refreshments follow. The Legion is sponsoring a Hawaiian themed party on March 20th; we hope to see you all there. It would be nice to see attendance at our membership meetings increase.

We meet on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at 7:30 PM. Your input is vital to the success of our unit. You may contact me via email at redwingnut24@live.com or via phone at 231-499-9945.

Respectfully,

Cindy Magel, Auxiliary President

SON'S SECTION

Hello SAL

Happy New Year! We'll be hoping for a safe and productive year for all.

Your SAL continues throughout the winter, with a reduced Fife Lake crew, by offering EZ Meals the last Thursday of the month. We also participate in the music event on the last Sunday of the month. Your help at the EZ Meal would be appreciated anytime. Please check with Ed Hungness at 231-879-3287 to volunteer at the meal.

The SAL helped financially with the adopt-a-family Christmas program, the food pantry, the pole barn electrical improvements, Legion carpet cleaning, annual Legion picnic, handicap ramp project, and others throughout the year. The dues you pay are used to help finance these projects.

Annual membership dues need to be paid ASAP. If your membership card does not show 2010, please send your \$15.00 to: SAL, 10283 M-186, Fife Lake, Mi. 49633 or leave the money at the clubhouse bar.

Thanks to all of you who have supported the SAL in the past and we appreciate your membership. For those with less opportunity to use the facility, be sure to stop at the club if you get to Fife Lake this season. There is plenty to do there, including pool, shuffleboard, Wii, cards, or just plain conversation.

Have a great winter.

Tom Freiwald, Vice Commander

Greetings from your PSO,
Bob Kerr

If you or your spouse have any questions or concerns regarding your veterans benefits I will try and get you the answers and or help you may need.

Please contact me at:
(231)-879-4421

VALENTINE DINNER

Sat, Feb. 13th 5 till 7 pm

\$10 per person / ½ rack baby back ribs, potatoes, vegetable, slaw, roll & desert
Includes Entertainment

SO COME ONE COME ALL!

Reservations welcome 231.846.0913

HAWAIIAN LUAU

Sat, March 20th 5 till 11 pm

Pork, Chicken, Salad, Rice Pilaf +
Advance purchase \$20 per couple
/ \$25 at the door
Includes Entertainment & Prizes!

Commission on Aging Offers services to seniors

- Help with winter heat bills
- Help with snow removal, etc.

GT County call 231.922.4688

Kalkaska call 231.258.5030

The Auxiliary is sending packages to our troops overseas. Please give **Judy Houts** the address of your loved one deployed. There is also a box in the Post for items to send.

Food Drive – Fife Lake Area Food Pantry

Your Community needs your help to support those families in need. Non-perishable items needed, a donation box will be located in the club.

MUSIC & SNACKS

Join **Tom & Vic** and the gang for some music, fun and food.
Last Sunday of the month 2-5pm

First Friday Fish Fry on the
First Friday every month
**February 5th &
March 5th**

Sign up for electronic delivery!

Receive your letter 7-10 days sooner
Receive updates during the month

- Save your Post postage and printing fees.

Send your request to:
newsletter@americanlegionpost219mi.org

Check our new Website!

Fife Lake Post has a website at:

www.americanlegionpost219mi.org

It's under development but please look around and let us know what you think.

Website Sponsor Ads

Sponsor a full-page ad for your business at \$25 per year member and \$50 for non-members

More information to come.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Second Sunday Monthly

New pricing - Adults \$6.50,
Kids 5-12 \$4.00, Kids 4 and
under Eat Free. World War II
Veterans Eat Free.

Expanded menu has had the following items added: Hot Biscuits, Sausage Gravy, Hash Browns and Chocolate Milk.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

CFK Cartridges for Kids

Don't throw away your used Ink/Toner Cartridges and Electronics. Donation box located in the club next to merchandise display cabinet.

Newsletter Submissions

Deadline for submissions to the next newsletters is January 18th.
Email or leave at the bar.



February 10

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4 Easy Meal 5:00- ? pm	5 Fish Fry 4:30-7PM	6
7	8	9	10 Legion/Aux Meetings 7:30 pm	11 Easy Meal 5:00- ? pm	12	13 Valentine Dinner 5-7 pm \$10
14 Pancake Breakfast 8:00-Noon	15 <i>Health Commodities</i> 1:45PM	16	17	18 Easy Meal 5:00- ? pm	19	20
21	22	23	24 E-Board Meeting 7:30 pm	25 Easy Meal 5:00- ? pm	26	27
28 Music/Snacks 2-5PM						

Post Phone 231-879-4475

Club Tuesday - 4:00 PM
 Thursday - 4:00 PM
 Room Friday - 1:00 PM
 Opens Saturday - 1:00 PM
 Sunday - 1:00-6:00PM

Gift Certificates Available!!!

Want to buy a friend dinner for the Fish Fry and not able to attend with them? Need a good gift idea? You can now purchase Gift Certificates for the Fish Fry and Pancake Breakfast from the Bar. Just ask your Bartender

Tournaments
Pool: 2 nd Sunday
Shuffleboard: 3 rd Sunday

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 Tue - Thur - Fri at 7:00 pm
 Saturday at 2:00 pm



NEW LEGION MEMBERS

James Bixby, Kevin Frick, Randy Wheeler

NEW AUXILARY MEMBERS

None

NEW S.A.L. MEMBERS

Doug Daniels, Wayne Elton,
 John Guzen, Larry Inman,
 Byron Martin Jr., Jay Poortenga,
 Randal Rosenberg, Mark Switek



Taps

Erwin R. Stambaugh, Sr.



March 10

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28 Music/Snacks 2-5PM	29	30	31			

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