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COMMANDER'S COMMENTS

Greetings Legionnaires:

At the next Post #92 meeting on Tuesday, October 20th, we will be voting on an amendment to Post #92 Bylaws. Article III, Section 5 states, "No more than one member per immediate family may be employed by Post #92, except gambling employees who are employed by the gambling manager." The proposed change shall read, "No more than one member per immediate family may be employed by Post #92." To vote on this change you must be a Legion member and your dues must be current. Membership will be checked at the door.



Also at the Post meeting in October, we will be honoring our Boys and Girls State representatives from Rochester.

Saturday, October 3rd at 9 AM, we will have our fall highway clean-up. Please meet at the Legion Club.

We need a few good volunteers to help work in the kitchen. If you can help, contact Sheila, our friendly bartender, and she will get you on the schedule.

At the post meeting in September, Terry (Dutch) Heiderscheit, head coach for the Rochester Patriots, presented Post #92 the Minnesota American Legion Sate Champion Trophy along with a picture of the team.

Our annual membership dinner will be Thursday, November 12th. Social hour will start at 5 PM and the dinner at 6 PM. Al Davis, Minnesota Department Commander, will be our special guest. There will be a sign-up sheet at the club or you can call Deb at the Legion Office 252-1659. The meal is free to paid-up members. The cost for guests will be announced in the November Bugle. If you sign-up and don't show, you will be expected to pay for the meal.

On October 10th, there will be a District Fall Rally in Stewartville at 9 AM.

In closing, remember our troops in your prayers. Visit our web page at www.post92.org

—Joe P Brown, Commander
367-2157 or 990-1347
Brown49tex@charter.net

AUXILIARY PRESIDENT'S NOTES

Here it is October and the leaves are turning colors and some are falling, too. It is also the month of Make a Different Day in someone's life. The different Scholarships information will be at the schools for 2009-2010. Please check for them at schools or you can see Cindy Sharp or Evelyn Lyke.



Fall Conference will be held in Breezy Point on October 22-24. This is a "school of instruction", it is for everyone to attend. The National President Rita Navarrete (NM) will be our special guest. There will be a Silent Action and Bake Sale.

There are some dates to remember:

October 3 – South Harvest Rally in Owatonna Membership turn-in 2-3 PM; program at 4 PM and Dinner at 5 PM.

October 10 - District Fall Rally in Stewartville with a 10 AM Meeting.

Please welcome our new members; Rebecca Houghten, Dana Gagnon, Laura Sauer, Elaine Starks, and Linda Logan, Welcome!

Our sympathy goes out to the families of Betty Korstad and Marcia Decker.

Our next meeting will be October 20. It will be a joint meeting including our Boys and Girls Staters. They will talk about the experiences they have had.

Remember to keep our active men and women in your thoughts and prayers.

—Evelyn Lyke, President

EMBLEM ORDERING

Bring your white shirt (long or short sleeve, plain back) to the next promenade. It will cost \$5.50 if we order for 10-12 shirts or \$10-12.00 for less than 10 shirts.

—Bill Born, 281-2560

THANKS

On behalf of the Korstad Family, we would like to thank you for the love and support you showed during the illness and death of my wife, Betty. Many acts of kindness will always be remembered. She will be truly missed.

—Jerry Korstad



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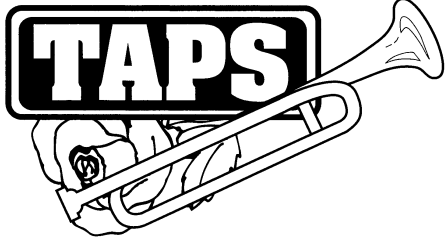


The next Promenade is Tuesday, October 13 at 7 PM at Post #92. Chuck Kruger and Dick Skillestad were at the National Convention in Rochester, NY. Chuck is Cheminot National. Dick is POWMIA Director National. Good Luck to both. They will discuss the National at the Promenade. Please send all dues to Bill Lyke at 846 10th St NW, Rochester, MN 55901 or Richard Skillestad at Box 161, Eyota, MN 55934.

—Richard Skillestad, Correspondant

STAYING IN TOUCH

All families of The American Legion and the Korean War Veterans Club members are asked to help keep us informed of homebound and hospitalized members, and of veterans in need of medical assistance. I'm sure they would enjoy hearing from us with a card or visit. Please call Chaplain Jerry Barnhart at 282-5704, Gladys Stephan (Auxiliary) - 289-6062 or the Post #92 office - 252-1659. "We care for all our veterans."



Sympathy cards have been sent to the families of the following

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25	26	27	28	29	30	

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Sunday 12 Noon to 7 pm

Monday - Saturday 10 am to 12 midnight

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Sunday 1 to ??

Monday - Saturday 11 am - closing

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SAL SQUADRON #92 NEWS

Please consider paying your 2010 SAL dues. You can send your check to the office or drop it off at the club. They are \$21.00 SAL, \$10.00 dual Legion, and \$8.00 junior SAL. You can still pay your 2009 dues.



The August 14th chicken and fish dinner was a big hit. We served 134 dinners. A big thanks to the following volunteers: Deb Arch, Dave Arch, Daryl Odegarden, Carmen Odegarden, Renne Herrera, Melissa Herrera, Jordan Herrera, Alexis Herrera, Dave Bilderback, Carol Johnson. Sam Amundson, John Janikowski, Karen Vangness. Thanks for your hard work.

New SAL membership meeting date and time - SAL will now meet every fourth Tuesday 6:00 PM at the club.

SAL purchased a new ServWell steam table and donated it to the Club. It is a four well table. The table and accessories cost over three thousand dollars. It is a much needed improvement. The old table was in very bad condition. Hope all groups who use the kitchen enjoy it.



This year the SAL had the honor of sponsoring two RYFSA teams. The Wizards and Bulldogs. SAL supporting our community. Sorry no names available.



For the Good of the Legion

—David Arch, SAL Squadron 92 Adjutant

KOREAN WAR VETERANS CLUB

Our Annual Fall dinner/meeting would be held at the International Events Center starting at 4 PM on October 18th, 2009. Election of all officers will be conducted following the dinner. The information letter was mailed out on September 14th and did request that you send your confirming information directly to our Commander, Wayne Uptagrafft at 2324 Pinestar Lane SE, Rochester MN 55904. Once again, Ted Conger and his sister Marcia Bickman will be playing music on the keyboard and accordion. They were a big “hit” during our May 09 meeting so make plans to attend and hear some wonderful entertainment – **October 18th, 2009.**

For each of the past several months I have indicated the number of Korean War Veterans who have submitted their Veteran pictures and payments to Merle Peterson for inclusion in the Veterans Day Supplement of the Post Bulletin. The number is now at 115 submitted as of September 14, 2009 with the number still growing. Please contact Merle at 1-507-288-1043 for more information as **we want your picture in that supplement.**

We have three new members to welcome to our KWVC. **WILBERT SAS** served in the US Army from 1954 to 1955; **RAY DAVIS** served in the US Air Force from 1952 to 1956; and **LES FIELDS** served in the US Air Force from 1951 to 1953. Thank you, fellows and we are proud that you joined our club.

Again, we would invite any Veteran who served from 1950 to 1955 to join our Korean War Veterans Club. Join us for breakfast each Monday morning at Grandma’s Kitchen 8 AM - 9 AM.

For information about joining the Korean War Veterans Club contact:

—Wayne Uptagrafft, Commander - 288-8350

—Ken Thamert, Adjutant - 289-0836

Korean War Veterans Club

GAMBLING EXPENSES

Gambling report month of August 2009
 American Legion Post #92
 Roger K. Vangness, Gambling Manager

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ALLOWABLE EXPENSE	AMOUNT
PAYROLL	\$1,647.45
EQUIPMENT & REPAIR	\$1,182.68
PADDLE WHEEL	\$64.51
ADVERTISEMENT	\$150.00
OFFICE SUPPLY	\$2,053.31
UTILITIES	\$216.23
LEGAL SERVICE ACCOUNTING	\$200.00
MEAT TRAYS	\$940.00
SHORT BANKS	\$152.00
FED AND MINN PAYROLL TAXES	\$1,185.70
COMBINED RECEIPTS	\$341.95
TOTAL ALLOWABLE EXPENSES	\$8,133.83

LAWFUL PURPOSE	AMOUNT
MN ENERGY RESOURCES	\$137.00
ROCHESTER PUBLIC UTILITIES	\$2,038.00
US TREASURY (FORM 730)	\$599.86
CUB SCOUTS	\$500.00
DISONS CLEANERS	\$3.20
ROCHESTER YOUTH BASEBALL	\$4,199.46
BOY SCOUTS	\$500.00
ROCHESTER AREA BOYS CHOIR	\$200.00
SCHOLARSHIP	\$500.00
VETERAN IN DISTRESS (2)	\$1,000.00
TEE IT UP FOR THE TROOPS	\$1,000.00
TOTAL LAWFUL PURPOSE EXPENSES	\$10,677.52

TOTAL EXPENSES FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST 2009 **\$18,811.35**



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Joe Brown - Post Commander



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