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COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

The Post wants to thank Santa for visiting this year, the Children's Christmas party was a huge success. The Children had a great time along with their parents and grandparents. I also want to say thank you to all the elves who wrapped gifts for Santa, decorated the hall and to those who cleaned up after everyone had left.

Although January is a slower time of the year for most of us, we need to remain focused and continue encouraging members to renew their membership for 2019. As a reminder, the bartenders will be checking for your 2019 membership card, if you do not have it, you can be signed in, 3 times is the limit, after that your grille privileges will be suspended until you renew your membership. Please continue sending in your membership dues and any other requests to the Post.

Attention Delegates and Post members **Saturday, January 26, 2019** is the date for our Mid-winter Conference at Post 7 Rochester, NH. Registration time is 08:00 with coffee and donuts being served, the meeting will start at 09:00.

Jumping ahead for a minute to give you time to process the thought of becoming an officer of the Post. At February's Post meeting, the floor will open up to nominate new Officers for the ensuing year. Then at the March meeting, it will open again for our second round of nominations. If you cannot be present at either of these meetings and still want to be considered for a candidate position, submit a letter of intent to the Adjutant to be read on the floor during either meeting.

Frank Desper, Post Commander

ADJUTANT'S MESSAGE

Hope everyone had a fun holiday season. One day the snow will arrive and we'll be reminded that it is really winter outside. The message from Department is keep increasing membership. Any veteran that you know that is not a member could be invited to join by you. Talk this up and bring them in for a visit. Membership renewals for 2019 are beginning to pick up. No need to wait until the last minute. So, if you haven't renewed yet, please get them in as soon as possible. The deadline was Dec 31st, so please hurry and don't get left behind. Please renew online or send your dues to the Post. It only takes a minute. As I have been writing all year, please renew on line at www.legion.org. You will get your membership card much quicker. Our

organization can only survive with active members. If you know any veteran that may be interested, please contact any officer for an application. Our next meeting is January 16th at 1800. Attendance at the monthly meetings have been slacking. There have been discussions in the grille about Legion concerns. Keep in mind that the only way changes can occur in how the Legion operates starts with Post meetings. That is the place where resolutions are started and submitted to department for vote at the convention. It doesn't work any other way. The next department conference is on January 26th at Post 7 Rochester. You do not have to be a delegate to attend and you will learn a lot of what's happening. Speaking of delegates, there are 5 members so far. We are allowed 9, so if you are interested in becoming one for the convention in June 2019, please come to a meeting and raise your hand. If you have an idea or concern, please come to the meetings and voice your concerns. Find out what's happening both in this Post and the Legion. Come out and find out about your post.

Jim Bailey, Post Adjutant

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

If anyone knows of a sick or hospitalized member, please let me know. My phone number is (603) 433-3911.

Jan Bailey, Post Chaplain

SQUADRON COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

Happy New Year everyone! Welcome to 2019. I hope everyone had a safe and happy Holiday. Our 2019 membership is coming in a little slow. At this time, we have about 66% of our goal of 188 members, which was set for us at the department level. We still have a way to go to meet that number. If you haven't renewed yet please come in and do so, or you can mail it to us and we can take care of it. If you decide to mail it in, the address is Squadron #6, 96 Islington St. Portsmouth, N.H. 03801. The next S.A.L. sponsored Surf & Turf will be held on **Saturday, January 12, 2019** from 3:00 pm until 5:00 pm. Come on out and try your luck. The next S.A.L. meeting will be held on **Wednesday January 16, 2019 @ 6:00 pm**. Hope to see you there!

Michael Hunt, S.A.L. Commander

SURF & TURF SCHEDULE

JANUARY 5th – Post
JANUARY 12th – S.A.L.
JANUARY 19th – Unit
JANUARY 26th - Post

BAND SCHEDULE

JANUARY 4th - Karaoke with DJ Darlene
JANUARY 19th - Rosie
Check out our Facebook Page for upcoming events!

GRILLE STEWARD'S MESSAGE

JANUARY GRILLE NEWS

Surf and Turf every Saturday 3-5

Come join us for the games!

Why pay downtown parking prices....

Free parking, free popcorn and great drink prices!!!!

Happy 2019 to all!

Join us on January 19th for the band Rosie 8-12 pm

The Grille is a great place to watch all the games!

Thank you for all your patronage, we

Really appreciate your business!

Heidi Mulder, Grille Steward

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Hello Ladies, I hope you all had a very Merry Christmas and look forward to a Happy New Year. My request this month is about "**CLIP ON EARRINGS**". These are very impossible to find in stores. I have a resident in a nursing home who loves earrings but is unable to wear pierced ones now. She can wear clip on and I promised I would try to find some for her. So, I'm asking you if you have any old ones or know where they are sold, I would appreciate the donation and any information. More so will my resident. Thank you in advance. Midwinter Conference is **Saturday, January 26, 2019** in Rochester. Registration at 8 am. The Auxiliary unit meeting is the 2nd Thursday of the month at 6 pm. If your dues are not paid for 2019, you will not be able to come to the Post Grille....so get them paid. Please let me know if you are able to volunteer for Surf and Turf. Remember it's once a month for 2 hours. Stay warm and safe on the roads this winter.

Judi Fountas, Unit President 603-964-7007

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S	M	T	W	T	F	S
30	31	1	2	3	4 Karaoke w/DJ Darlene 7 p.m.	5 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
6	7	8	9	10 Unit Meeting 6 p.m.	11	12 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
13	14	15	16 S.A.L. Meeting 6 p.m.	17 Post Meeting 7 p.m.	18	19 SURF & TURF 3 p.m. Rosie
20	21	22	23	24	25	26 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
27	28	29	30	31	1 Karaoke w/DJ Darlene 7 p.m.	2 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.

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