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COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

I apologize for not announcing the Children's Christmas party in last month's newsletter. The deadline for your response and attendance is **Sunday, November 18, 2018**.

I announce every year that if you or any of your friends who have a computer might be able to help each other in retrieving a copy of the Post newsletter? That way everyone can stay informed of special announcements happening around the post. The web address is

www.feboomapost6.org. I would also like to ask you and your friends to "like and follow" the F. E. Booma Post 6 FACEBOOK page? Our Facebook page is an additional electronic news feed to help you catch any other changes to the post monthly schedules? If you do not have a computer, the Post will mail a newsletter to you, call (603) 436-7575 please leave a message with your name, address and zip code so it can be forwarded to your respective organization administration officer, i.e. Post, Auxiliary or S.A.L.

On **Saturday, November 11, 2018** this year's Veteran's Day ceremony will be conducted in Goodwin Park on Islington Street starting at 11:00. On this Veterans Day, let us thank God for the gift of freedom made possible by those who served our nation with honor, courage and commitment in our armed forces during all wars that enabled so many of them to earn that coveted title of an "American veteran." After the ceremony, the Central Veteran's Council will sponsor an open buffet at the Post, all are invited. If it's raining the ceremony will shift to the upstairs hall at the post.

The Wal-Mart Corporation on Lafayette Road invites everyone to attend their Veterans Day ceremony on **Saturday, November 11, 2018** commencing at 0900. I encourage everyone to be in attendance to support our community.

This year's Thanksgiving Dinner will be held on **Thursday, November 22, 2018** serving at 1400. This is a time-honored tradition at the Post and is open to everyone. Hundreds of dinners will be prepared and served, please consider volunteering. If you would like to donate desserts, assist prepping for the meal, serving, delivering meals to those who are shut-in, setting up tables, etc. there is a sign up sheet posted in the Grille.

Frank Desper, Post Commander

ADJUTANT'S MESSAGE

IMPORTANT the Tricare retiree dental plan will change starting January 1, 2019. Keep an eye on your mail because you will have to make a choice during the open enrollment period. November 12 – December 10, 2018. It is not an automatic enrollment. Check out the notice from Tuscan Kitchen on the bulletin board. Veterans Dinner with soft drink on November 12, 2018 from 11-4 pm. Sign up at the restaurant by November 10, 2018. 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 slacking. 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 is fast approaching. 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. We have been having some issues with member home addresses. Remember, it is your responsibility to keep your address current, especially if you are paid up for life (PUFL). You can update your address on www.legion.org. 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 November 15th at 1800. 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. 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

Larry Meats passed away in Oct. Services pending. Charter will be draped at next meeting. 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

Hi everyone, hope you're ready for winter, it'll be here soon. Our 2019 membership is coming in pretty slow; please don't forget you need to have your 2019 cards by January 1st to visit the Grille. The post will be hosting Thanksgiving Dinner this month and their looking for volunteers to help with the prep, serving and clean up. If you have some time and would like to volunteer, please talk to the Grille Steward Heidi, thank you! The next S.A.L. sponsored Surf & Turf will be held on **Saturday, November 10, 2018** from 3:00 till 5:00pm, hopefully you can come out and take some nice steak and lobsters home with you. Our next S.A.L. meeting will be held on **Wednesday, November 14, 2018** @ 6:00pm. Thank you, and have a great Thanksgiving.

Michael Hunt, S.A.L. Commander



SURF & TURF SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 3rd – Post
NOVEMBER 10th – S.A.L.
NOVEMBER 17th– Unit
NOVEMBER 24th – Post

BAND SCHEDULE

NOVEMBER 2nd - Karaoke with DJ Darlene
NOVEMBER 24th – Fog
Check out our Facebook Page for upcoming events!

GRILLE STEWARD’S MESSAGE



Join us **Saturday, November 24, 2018** for the band Fog 8-12 p.m. Surf and Turf every Saturday from 3-5 p.m. Come by and watch the games! Wishing you and your family a safe and Happy Thanksgiving! We appreciate your patronage and look forward to seeing you soon at the Grille.

Heidi Mulder, Grille Steward

PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE

Hello Ladies: We have lots of activity coming up in the next few months. First, the next Auxiliary meeting is on **Thursday, November 8, 2018** at 6 pm. We will be voting on the budget as well as have lots of business to conduct to catch up so anyone willing to volunteer, please attend this meeting as we don't have lots of time to delegate. The Thanksgiving dinner event will need volunteers to help out. Please see Heidi. The Annual Children’s Christmas party will be held on **Sunday, December 2, 2018** from 1 to 3 pm. Deadline to sign up is **Sunday, November 18, 2018**. The party is for members’ children and grandchildren up to age 12 years old only. See the poster at the bar to sign your child up indicating sex and age and if he/she is interested in a particular toy or game. Or, fill out the slip below and bring into the Grille. We will need volunteers to shop, wrap and help out at the party. I will have a list of names and the money to purchase gifts. Refreshments will be served. It was voted on at a meeting that the Auxiliary will hold a 50/50 raffle at our Surf and Turf games. The proceeds will be earmarked for our programs. I hope you all have a wonderful Thanksgiving with family and friends... then it is time to get ready for Christmas.... where did this year go? Too many changes, too fast. I also want to compliment everyone who did such an outstanding job catering and decorating the luncheon honoring our Sue. It was done with so much love for someone we will all miss.

Judi Fountas, Unit President 603-964-7007

 ANNUAL CHILDREN’S CHRISTMAS PARTY SUNDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2018 1-3 p.m. 			
NAME	M/F	AGE	TOY SUGGESTIONS
MEMBER NAME (S):			
PLEASE PRINT CHILD’S NAME – Ages 0-12 years. RETURN SLIP TO POST NO LATER THAN SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2018			

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S	M	T	W	T	F	S
28	29	30	31 Happy Halloween	1	2 Karaoke w/DJ Darlene 7 p.m.	3 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
4	5	6	7	8 Unit Meeting 6 p.m.	9 District Meeting Epping 7 p.m.	10 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
11 Happy Veteran's Day Ceremony 11 a.m.	12	13	14 S.A.L. Meeting 6 p.m.	15 Post Meeting 7 p.m.	16	17 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
18 Deadline Children's Christmas Party	19	20	21	22 Happy Thanksgiving 1 p.m.	23	24 SURF & TURF 3 p.m. Fog
25	26	27	39	3+	30	1

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