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COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

As we approach the winter months allow me to give you a brief overview on the upcoming events around the Post; our Veteran's day ceremony will be held November 11th, 2017 at 11:00 in Goodwin Park, the Christmas parade will be held on the first Saturday in December and Children's Christmas party will be hosted shortly after that, I'll get back to you with a firm date on the Christmas Party.

To all "Early Bird" card holders, if you like playing surf & turf, bring your 2018 membership card to the October 28th game. When you present the early bird stamp, you will receive 2 free game cards for each food game.

This month's District Meeting will be held at the Post in the up -stairs hall Friday, October 13, 2017 starting at 7:00pm. Check out the Stewards message when the Halloween Party will be in the Grille?

In closing, each note within the newsletter is full of information, please read it in its entirety to stay up to date with what's happening around the Post.

Frank Desper, Post Commander

Happy Halloween 

ADJUTANT'S MESSAGE

Renewals for 2018 were coming in strong and now have come to a trickle. Our membership stands at approximately 55%. Keep in mind that renewing is easy and can be done online. It helps the Post save time as your renewal goes straight to Department and National. Those of you that remain please renew online at www.legion.org/renew or send your dues to the Post. It only takes a minute. You only have two more weeks to catch the Early Bird by renewing before October 15th. You can still send in your 2017 renewal without any change in your years. One more item, the new cards show more information. I remind you again that several members are missing service and/or periods served. Please take credit for your service. Ensure that a copy of your DD-214 is on file with the Post. If you can't locate it, contact the Post and we can get the paperwork started so that you can receive your copy. It will come in handy to verify your service. All veterans with honorable or general discharges will be eligible to shop online at the various service exchanges starting on Nov 11, 2017. You can verify your status on www.vetverify.org. More information is available on the above website. Remember, 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 **Thursday, October 19, 2017** at 1830. Interesting topics are forthcoming for voting. Please come to the meeting, voice your concerns and find out what's happening both in this Post and the Legion. Don't forget – Military Family Day is **Sunday, October 8, 2017** at the Redhook Brewery in Portsmouth at 11am, Free food and amusements for the children. Free to military and veterans. Read the flyer posted at the Post.

Jim Bailey, Post Adjutant

CHAPLAIN'S MESSAGE

On September 27, 2017 member Don Capalare passed away. If anyone knows of a sick or hospitalized member, please let me know. My phone number is 603 433-3911.

Jan Bailey, Post Chaplain

SURF & TURF SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 7th – Post
OCTOBER 14th – S.A.L.
OCTOBER 21st – Unit
OCTOBER 28th – Post

BAND SCHEDULE

OCTOBER 6th – Karaoke w/DJ Darlene
OCTOBER 7th – War Horse
OCTOBER 28th – Echo Tones
Adult Halloween Party

SQUADRON COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

Welcome to fall everyone, hope it goes easy on us. There will be a District 3 meeting held in the upstairs hall at the post on **Friday, October 13, 2017 @ 7:00pm**. It would be great to have a good turnout by our members to show our support.

I'm sorry to report we have lost two of our members. Phil Slingsby and Bill Caswell have passed away. I'm sure they'll be missed by everyone.

The next S.A.L. Surf & Turf will be held on **Saturday, October 14, 2017** from 3:00pm till 5:00pm. Come out and have some fun, and show support for your S.A.L.

Get you 2018 membership card by **Sunday, Oct.15, 2017** and be an early bird member.

The next S.A.L. meeting will be held on **Wednesday, October 18, 2017 @ 6:00pm**. At this meeting we will be accepting nominations for S.A.L. delegates and alternates. If you're interested, please come to the meeting or submit a letter of intent to myself or the Squadron Adjutant before the meeting.

Michael Hunt, S.A.L. Commander

STEWARD'S MESSAGE

Are you ready for this year's Halloween Party? Every year gets better and better so start making your costumes now! We will be judging in three categories; the funniest, the scariest and the original costume. Each category winner will receive \$50.00, the winner will be chosen by audience applause. The band for the party will be the Echo Tones. The band starts at 8:00.

Sue Desper, Grille Steward

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We are in the start of the new term and still not getting any feedback from members. Remember the meetings are the second Thursday of each month at 6:00 pm. Thank you for donating your empty medicine bottles and pull tabs. They will be put to good use. This month the meeting is **Thursday, Oct 12, 2017**, District Meeting in Portsmouth is **Friday, October 13, 2017** at 7 pm and Surf and Turf is the **Saturday, October 21, 2017** for the Auxiliary. I will, again, be looking to sign up volunteers to do the money for S&T. It's once a month and if a few of you will volunteer just once, the same people won't have to do it every month. I plan to do it on the 21st. Karyl did it last month, so I need someone to step up in November. It's only 2 hours. Thanks in advance.

Judi Fountas, Unit President 603-964-7007

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S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5 FULL MOON	6 Karaoke w/DJ Darlene 7 p.m.	7 SURF & TURF 3 p.m. War Horse
8	9 COLUMBUS DAY	10	11	12 Unit Meeting 6 .p.m.	13 District 3 Meeting Portsmouth 7 p.m.	14 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
15	16	17	18 S.A.L. Meeting 6 p.m.	19 Post Meeting 6 p.m.	20	21 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.
22	23	24	25	26	27	28 SURF & TURF 3 p.m. Echo Tones Halloween Party 8 p.m.
29	30	31 HAPPY HALLOWEEN	1	2	3 FULL MOON	4 SURF & TURF 3 p.m.

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