

# American Legion Post 315

Post Membership Meeting

14 Jun 22

# Opening

- One rap of gavel to signify opening of the meeting:
  - Doors closed by Sgt at Arms
- Three raps of gavel:
  - Please rise, face the flag and salute. Two!
- **Plases remove your covers and place them over your heart for:**
  - Prayer,
  - POW/MIA Chair
  - Pledge of Allegiance
- Chaplin will lead us in prayer.,

# Opening

- POW/MIA Chair
  - A POW/MIA chair is placed at all official meetings of the American Legion as a physical symbol of the thousands of American POWs/MIAs still unaccounted from all wars and conflicts involving the United States of America. This is a reminder to all of us to spare no effort to secure the release of any American prisoners from captivity, the reparation of the remains of those who died bravely in defense of liberty and a full accounting of those missing.

# Opening

- Please join me in reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.
- Please replace covers.
- Please join me in reciting the Legion Preamble.

# Legion Preamble

- For God and Country, we associate ourselves together for the following purposes:
- To uphold and defend the Constitution of the United States of America;
- To maintain law and order;
- To foster and perpetuate a one hundred percent Americanism;
- To preserve the memories and incidents of our associations in all wars;
- To inculcate a sense of individual obligation to the community, state and nation;
- To combat the autocracy of both the classes and the masses;
- To make right the master of might;
- To promote peace and good will on earth;
- To safeguard and transmit to posterity the principles of justice, freedom and democracy;
- To consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness

# Opening

- Please take seats.
- One rap of Gavel
  - I now declare this meeting of Wilber-Bartlett Post 315, regularly convened.
- Is a quorum present?
- Any new members present
  - Stand give military background and reason you joined.
- Any Guests today?

# Order of Business

- Reading of minutes of the last meeting.
- Calendar
- Post membership numbers
- Sick Call
- Finance report
- Bar Report
- Building and grounds report
- Old business
- New business
- Closing

# Minutes from last meeting



# June 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29	30	31	1 1100-UTG House Burger with fries or onion rings 1230-1600hrs Bridge	2 1100-UTG Reubens 1130-1500hrs Mahjong	3 1100-UTG Club Sandwich	4
5 1300-1500hrs-Euchre 1500hrs Queen Heart s Draw	6 0900-1800rs Post Cleanup	7 1100-UTG Taco Tuesday 1900 Post Committee Mtg	8 1100-UTG House Burger with fries or onion rings 1230-1600hrs Bridge 1900hrs Legion Board Mtg	9 1100-UTG Hot Beef 1130-1500hrs Mahjong	10 1100-UTG Club Sandwich 1700-1900hrs Steak Dinner	11
12 1300-1500hrs-Euchre 1500hrs Queen Heart s Draw	13	14 Army Birt hday 1100-UTG Taco Tuesday 1900hrs Legion Member Mtg 1900hrs Aux Member Mtg	15 1100-UTG House Burger with fries or onion rings 1230-1600hrs Bridge	16 1100-UTG Burgurs on Grill 1130-1500hrs Mahjong	17 1100-UTG Club Sandwich	18 1900-2300hrs Act III Band
19 1300-1500hrs-Euchre 1500hrs Queen Heart s Draw	20	21 1100-UTG Taco Tuesday 1900hrs SAL Member Mtg	22 1100-UTG House Burger with fries or onion rings 1230-1600hrs Bridge	23 1100-UTG Club Sandwich 1130-1500hrs Mahjong	24 1100-UTG Club Sandwich 1700-1900hrs Fish Dinner	25
26 1300-1500hrs-Euchre 1500hrs Queen Heart s Draw	27	28 1100-UTG Taco Tuesday	29 1100-UTG House Burger with fries or onion rings 1230-1600hrs Bridge	30 1100-UTG Chicken Salad Sandwich 1130-1500hrs Mahjong	1	2
3	4	Notes	<b>Post Lounge Hours</b> Mon Closed Tues-Thur 1100hrs-2100hrs Fri-Sat 1100hrs-2200hrs Sun 1200hrs-1800rs			

# July 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
26	27	28	29	30	1	2
					1100-UTG Club Sandwich	
3 <b>Independence Day</b> 1300-1500hrs-Euchre 1500hrs Queen Heart s Draw	4	5 1100-UTG Taco Tuesday 1900 Post Committee Mtg	6 1100-UTG House Burger with fries or onion rings 0800-1700hrs Lifeline Screening 1230-1600hrs Bridge 1900hrs Legion board Mtg	7 1100-UTG Egg Salad Sandwich 1130-1500hrs Mahjong	8 1100-UTG Club Sandwich 1700-1900hrs Steak Dinner	9
10 1300-1500hrs-Euchre 1500hrs Queen Heart s Draw	11	12 1100-UTG Taco Tuesday 1900hrs Legion Member Mtg 1900hrs Aux Member Mtg	13 1100-UTG House Burger with fries or onion rings 1230-1600hrs Bridge	14 1100-UTG Reubens 1130-1500hrs Mahjong	15 1100-UTG Club Sandwich	16 1900-2300hrs Act III Band
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31 1300-1500hrs-Euchre 1500hrs Queen Heart s Draw	1	Notes	<b>Post Lounge Hours</b> Mon Closed Tues-Thur 1100hrs-2100hrs Fri-Sat 1100hrs-2200hrs Sun 1200hrs-1800rs			

# August 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
31 1300-1500hrs-Euchre 1500hrs Queen Heart s Draw	1	2 1100-UTG Taco Tuesday 1900 Post Committee Mtg	3 1100-UTG House Burger with fries or onion rings 1230-1600hrs Bridge 1900hrs Legion board Mtg	4 1100-UTG Reubens 1130-1500hrs Mahjong	5 1100-UTG Club Sandwich	6 1900-2300hrs Act III Band
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# Current Membership

- Legion      492
- Auxiliary    451
- SAL        461
- Total        1404

# Sick Call

# 1 Jun Finance

Legion Bank Accounts								
Account #	Future	Type	Current Balance	Minimum	Primary Holders	Secondary Holders		
0021008560	Pull Tabs	Check	\$ 7,647.14	\$ 3,000	Mark Young	Rich Smith		George Bruder
21014238	Queen of Hearts	Check	\$ 10,178.85	Prize + \$4000	Philip Reynolds	JoAnn Kay	Mark Young	George Bruder
21016258	Building	Check	\$ 62,689.25	\$ 100	Dave Moore	Ralp Long	Mark Young	George Bruder
0016026452	Honor Guard	Check	\$ 4,731.96	\$ 100	Brad Klein	Gary Kay	Mark Young	George Bruder
0021013859	Legion Unit	Check	\$ 2,132.39	\$ 1,000	Phil Krauss	Dave Moore	Mark Young	George Bruder
21012844	Fundraising	Check	\$ 8,488.05	\$ 10,000	Phil Krauss	Dave Moore	Mark Young	George Bruder
0007000334	Bar	Check	\$ 30,780.13	\$ 25,000	Phil Krauss	Jodi Wilber	Mark Young	George Bruder
Annuity			\$ 29,000.00					
Keno			\$ 1,500.00					
Pull Tabs			\$ 1,500.00					
<b>Total</b>			\$ 158,647.77					

# 1 May Finance

Legion Bank Accounts								
Account #	Future	Type	Current Balance	Minimum	Primary Holders	Secondary Holders		
0021008560	Pull Tabs	Check	\$ 6,784.14	\$ 3,000	Mark Young	Rich Smith		George Bruder
21014238	Queen of Hearts	Check	\$ 6,948.85	Prize + \$4000	Philip Reynolds	JoAnn Kay	Mark Young	George Bruder
21016258	Building	Check	\$ 90,644.20	\$ 100	Dave Moore	Ralp Long	Mark Young	George Bruder
0016026452	Honor Guard	Check	\$ 4,990.30	\$ 100	Brad Klein	Gary Kay	Mark Young	George Bruder
0021013859	Legion Unit	Check	\$ 1,224.89	\$ 1,000	Phil Krauss	Dave Moore	Mark Young	George Bruder
21012844	Fundraising	Check	\$ 10,023.87	\$ 10,000	Phil Krauss	Dave Moore	Mark Young	George Bruder
0007000334	Bar	Check	\$ 20,203.91	\$ 25,000	Phil Krauss	Jodi Wilber	Mark Young	George Bruder
Annuity			\$ 29,000.00					
Keno			\$ 1,500.00					
Pull Tabs			\$ 1,500.00					
<b>Total</b>			\$ 172,820.16					

# Bar business

- Change Sunday hours to 1000-1600hrs
  - Special Permit for sales in the AM is required.
- Profit and price review in August.



# Building and Grounds Report

## Current Funding at \$62,689

<b>Legion Capital Improvements</b>			
<b>2022</b>			
<b>Subject</b>	<b>Estimated Cost</b>	<b>Contractor</b>	<b>Funding Status</b>
Electrical	\$ 2,000	Amp	Funded
Post Back Room Roof	\$ 28,000	Billy White	Funded
Parking Lot Lines	\$ 600	D & S Equipment	Funded
Front Ramp	\$ 3,000		Funded
<b>SubTotal</b>	<b>\$ 33,600</b>		
<b>2023</b>			
Electronic Picture Frames	\$ 5,000		Not Funded
Electronic Menu and Events	\$ 3,000		Not Funded
Chair for the back room	\$ 6,000		Not Funded
Walkin Cooler	\$ 25,000		Not Funded
Post Home Roof	\$ 5,000		Not Funded
Fence	\$ 15,000		Not Funded
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>\$ 59,000</b>		
<b>2024</b>			
Back parking lot	\$ 80,000		Not Funded
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>\$ 80,000</b>		
<b>2025</b>			
Electronic sign out front	\$ 50,000		Not Funded
<b>Sub Total</b>	<b>\$ 50,000</b>		
<b>Improvement Total</b>	<b>\$ 222,600</b>		

# Fundraising

- **Current funded at \$8488**
  - Danny Moore Gun raffle
  - Hunter's Gun raffle
- What it funds and estimated funding needed of \$20,000
  - \$4000 - Four \$1000 American Legion Kerr-Lewis Scholarships.
  - \$500 - Fire Pups
  - \$2000 - Christmas member assistance
  - \$3000 – Christmas kids party
  - \$500 – Flags for Napoleon & Columbia schools, Columbia Police, Town of Napoleon
  - \$2000 – Veteran Funeral meals
  - \$2000 – Brooklyn food Pantry
  - \$300 – Napoleon Schools needy children's Christmas gifts
  - \$200 – Other service org sponsorship
  - \$500 - Veteran's Day drinks
  - \$500 – Memorial Day drinks
  - \$1200 – Web Site
  - \$1000 – Brooklyn Easter Egg Hunt
- Committed Amount \$17,700

# Honor Guard

- Current Funding at \$4731

- Legion Golf Scramble

What it funds and estimated funding needed of \$5,000

- \$1000 – for after event drinks
- \$2000 - Uniforms
- \$1000 – dry cleaning
- \$1000 – Weapons and other maintenance

- Committed Amount \$5000

# Old Business

- More Community Projects
  - Help Kiwanis with Swain Park.
- Scholarships are down to 9 with 6 essays in so far.
- Legion elections are done. Changes:
  - EC member John Kisly has been replaced by Rich Smith
  - EC member Joe Gallias has been replaced by Jason Lucas
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice Dave Moore has been replaced by Mark Oscar
- Any other old business.

# New Business

- Who to memorialize on Memorial day, one or all.
- Any other new business.

# Closing

- Please stand and remove your covers.
- Chaplin will lead us in prayer.
- Replace covers.
- Face the flag and hand salute – two.
- I now declare this meeting of the Wilber-Bartlett Post 315, the American Legion, Department of Michigan adjourned.