

Hasso Briese American Legion, Post #473



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Commander's Column Lowell Huston

Hello Everyone

June brings with it the installation of the new Officers for the 2005 / 2006 year. I fully expect to see all of the officers attend this meeting so that everyone knows what is required of your position. As you will notice below the BOD Mtg. date has changed to the third Monday of each month. The Membership will stay as it has been in the past.

June meeting dates are as follows BOD = 6/20/05 Membership = 6/6/05. One item of interest is the Flag Disposal Ceremony to take place after the June BOD Mtg. behind the post. Officers that are needed for this ceremony are the Cmdr., 1st Vice, 2nd Vice, Sgt-at-Arms and Chaplain and anyone else that would like to attend.

Until next month
Cmdr. Lowell Huston

Poppy Donation Report

As of May 24th we have received 88 replies out of 285 mailed out and we have received \$721.00 in donations. Thank you to all of those who have responded. The monies donated go for Veterans and Veterans Programs. We will continue to take donations.

New Post Report

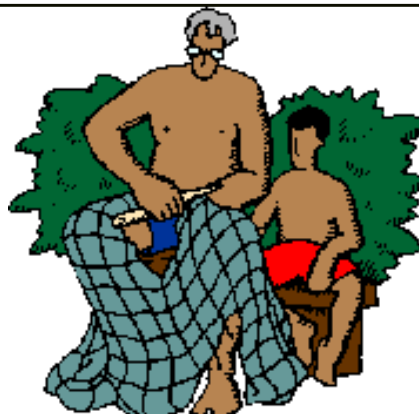
The month of May showed some donations come in, but not enough to satisfy the required amount by the bank.

Our last meeting with Gopher State / Everett and Rita S. was a donation brain storming session and we also proposed some ideas to Everett and Rita that would help us out in a lot of ways toward our goal. I am writing this Post report on the 23rd of May and we will be meeting with them on the 25th so we don't know the outcome yet. Please feel free to call me for an update after the 25th of May 2005

For answers to any questions please contact Cmdr. Lowell at 529-8323. I will be happy to discuss this with anyone.

Next Month
Commander Lowell

Until





Post Donations

In May your post donated \$2,630.82 to: The Langola Township Association for cemetery maintenance, The City of Rice for a transformer for the ball fields, your post color guard for one event and the Sauk Rapids Rice High School Band for transportation to our Memorial Day event. Oh, I almost forgot, lots of \$\$\$\$ to the tax folks.

A REMINDER TO THOSE WHO DESIRE TO ATTEND BOD MEETINGS. THEY ARE NOW THE THIRD MONDAY OF EACH MONTH AT THE RICE CITY HALL AT 6:00 P.M. THE CLUB COMMITTEE WILL MEET TWO HOURS EARLIER AT THE POST.

Auxiliary News

Newly elected officers for the 2005-06 year will be:
President – Pat Fuchs
1st Vice – JoAnne Betker
2nd Vice – Janice Martin
Executive Committee – Mary Ann Keeney
Cecil Huston
Treasurer – Shelly Vogel
Sergeant at Arms – Cindy Moen
Installation of officers will be held at our June Meeting. Good Luck and wishes for a successful year ahead of them.

Thank you to all of the members who contributed to the lunch after the Memorial Day Festivities. A nice way to share the day.

Thank you to Linda Urbik, Mary Urbik, Mary



WARRIORS COLUMN

Jim Hovda, 1SG, USA (Ret)

No special information received about our folks that are stationed overseas. Sergeant Major Klug (recently promoted to E-9) is still in Iraq. You can get lots of information on the post web site www.post473.com along with other information about legion information.

Remember Flag Day is June 14th. Show your patriotism, Fly the Flag.

Also Remember Fathers Day is June 19th. Do something nice for your Dad, maybe take him fishing.

From the Post Home

Our Tuesday and Thursday night softball teams are doing pretty good so far this year. Thank you for the support tha the teams show after the games and during the year.

Summer is trying to roll into town, so let's stop at the club and have some refreshments. You might just run into an old friend or meet a new one. We always have fresh popcorn.

If you attended the Memorial Day activities in Rice, you had the opportunity to meet Kyle McNeal, our newest soldier

Ann Keeney and Darla Swenson for serving
May Dinner. Servers for June are: Rosemary
Ganz, Cecil Huston, Delores Brown and
Michelle Brown.

recently returned from Ft. Bragg, N.C. In the
near future he will be attending the vaunted
language school in Monterey, CA. That will
be a 1.5 year tour to learn Arabic.

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Auxiliary Dinner

June 8th, 5-7 PM

Baked Chicken, Dressing, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Vegetable,
Salads, Desserts, Rolls & Butter.

Coffee & Milk

Take Outs Available

Adults \$5.00

Children under 10 \$3.00

Everyone Welcome

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