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November 9, 2016

☺ SMILE ☺

Think of many things; do one.

Holiday Reminder

The Department Headquarters Office will be closed Friday, November 11 in observance of Veterans Day.

The American Legion, Department of Maine 100th Anniversary Members Directory



The American Legion Department
of Maine Publication Project
is about to begin!



Starting soon, Publishing
Concepts (PCI) will be
contacting you via mail, phone,
and email to request that you
update your information.

We understand security and
privacy are concerns, but please
know that PCI is a trusted
partner of the American Legion
Department of Maine. Don't miss
out on the opportunity to be
included!

PCI not the big company

www.publishingconcepts.com

The American Legion, Department of Maine

100th Anniversary Members Directory

The American Legion, Department of Maine is working on its 100th Birthday Celebration. In order to make this a special event, we are offering all members the opportunity to be part of the history of our 100th Anniversary.

The American Legion, Department of Maine has partnered with PCI (also known as Publishing Concepts) to produce our new 100th Anniversary Members Directory. PCI is a company that publishes directories for educational institutions, fraternities, sororities and military organizations across the nation.

This hard-cover, yearbook style directory offers members of their survivors the opportunity for a permanent commemoration of the Legionnaires' Legion career, including a narrative and photographs. Participation is voluntary.

This benefits our organization in three ways:

1. It helps chronicle and commemorate our membership's Legion experiences as our Centennial celebration approaches.
2. Our directory will be analyzed and updated, completing missing information and removing outdated and/or incorrect information.
3. Our inactive members will be asked to participate and encouraged to renew their membership.

The names, addresses and information provided to PCI by The American Legion, Department of Maine for the publication of the Directory will be held confidential by PCI.

The Directory will be made available only to members of The American Legion, Department of Maine. Upon completion of the project, PCI will return to The American Legion, Department of Maine any and all electronic files that have been supplied by The American Legion, Department of Maine or produced by PCI in connection with the production of the Directory. Only members of The American Legion, Department of Maine may purchase this Directory.

The total duration of the Directory is about 12 months. Types of questions that will be asked are: Organization/Membership background, military Branch of Service, length of time, tour of duty and military awards with a short story to follow, status after the military, current job, are you retired, are you active within the American Legion, do you volunteer to work with Veterans or within the community and what was your greatest achievement in your post military career. You will also have the opportunity to provide a picture from the past or a current one.

PCI representatives will be requesting your participation at some point throughout the next year. In the meantime, those that do wish to participate can gather photographs and narratives they may wish to share.

Frequently Asked Questions

I received an email/postcard/phone call from a company asking for my personal information. They said they were working on a directory for The American Legion Department of Maine. Is this a legitimate project, or is it a scam?

We have partnered with PCI (also known as Publishing Concepts) to produce our new members directory. PCI is a company located in Dallas, TX that publishes directories for educational institutions, fraternities, sororities and military organizations across the nation. This project allows The American Legion Department of Maine to receive important updates to our database so we know more about our members and how we can better serve you and future members.

How do I know my information will only be used for directory purposes?

The American Legion Department of Maine has a contractual agreement with PCI that states:

- *The names, addresses and information provided to PCI by The American Legion Department of Maine for the publication of the Directory will be held confidential by PCI, except to the extent that they are utilized in, or in the preparation of, the Directory and except as required by court order or law.*
- *The Directory will be made available only to members of The American Legion Department of Maine. Upon completion of the project, PCI will return to The American Legion Department of Maine any and all electronic files that have been supplied by The American Legion Department of Maine or produced by PCI in connection with the production of the Directory.*

I would like to verify and update my information. How may I do this?

If you have received a postcard or an email with a telephone number, you may call the number to speak with a dedicated representative for The American Legion Department of Maine project. The representative will verify all the information we have on file for you and make any updates where needed. One of the numbers for The American Legion Department of Maine members is 1-877-761-8365.

If you have received an email with an embedded link, you may go to the online site to review your information. If you have questions, you may call PCI's customer service desk at 1.800.982.1590.

Can anyone purchase a directory?

The American Legion Department of Maine members Directory is available for sale only to The American Legion Department of Maine members.

When will I receive my directory?

The total duration of the directory project is about 12 months. Since we began the project in August 2016, the directories will be distributed in August 2017.

I ordered a package containing the Discounted Companion Airline Certificate, but I haven't received the post card requesting verification of my address.

For those who purchase a package containing the Discounted Companion Airline Certificate, they will receive a postcard within 2 -3 weeks and will direct them to go to the PCI website to initiate the certificate process by entering their ID # and order # (shown on the postcard) and verify their mailing address. Alternatively, the buyer can call a toll free number (also shown on the postcard) and leave a voicemail to initiate the certificate process.

You will receive a business envelope that contains the guidelines, terms and conditions, as well as the certified voucher from Award Headquarters so you can begin to make your travel arrangements.

Basics of the certificate program:

The Discounted Companion Airline Certificate allows the holder to purchase two round trip tickets for a bundled rate.

The Certificate is:

200 US Destinations (continental US)

NO BLACKOUT DATES

40 Plus Airline Carriers

24/7 Online Booking

7-Day Advance Purchase

Frequent Flier Miles for Both Passengers

Low Price Guarantee

Fully Transferrable

Can I choose some or all of my information not to be printed in the directory?

When you call to update your information, you can tell the representative what information you would prefer to have excluded. You may also communicate this information to the PCI customer service desk (1.800.982.1590) or to the Legion.

I ordered a directory/package over the phone and would like to cancel my order. How do I do this?

Call the PCI customer service help desk at 1.800.982.1590, and they will take care of this for you.

THEN AND NOW EXAMPLES FROM AIR FORCE ASSOCIATION

MEMBERS WERE ASKED



- 1) WHEN AND WHERE DID YOUR SERVICE BEGIN?
- 2) IN WHICH MILITARY CAMPAIGNS DID YOU PARTICIPATE?
- 3) LEADERSHIP ROLES
- 4) WHAT WAS YOUR MOST RECENT ASSIGNMENT AT THE TIME OF RETIREMENT/ SEPARATION?

COL MILLARD E. MOON



Beginning of Service I enlisted in the Alabama Army National Guard, Support Company, 167th Infantry (mech), in Birmingham, AL on November 21, 1969

Military Campaign Participation Desert Fox

Leadership Roles
At various times I was a Detachment Commander, Region 1 Vice-Commander, and after the attacks on September 11, 2001 I was mobilized at HQ

and served as Deputy Director of Operations.

Final Assignment I was a Colonel at HQ Air Force Office of Special Investigations, Andrews AFB, MD.

Memories My best memory is of serving in Saudi Arabia with the Protective Service Operations Team. We provided security for the Commander and Vice-Commander of Joint Task Force-South West Asia, and for visiting Flag Officers and VIPs. It was an amazing tour.

CAPT MICHAEL T. MOORE, USAF (RET.)

Beginning of Service Air Force ROTC at the University of Notre Dame

Final Assignment 36th TAC Fighter Wing, Bitburg Germany and 52nd TAC fighter Wing, Spangdahlem, Germany.

Memories Experiencing the cultures of many European countries



1972: In front of Building 1, Bitburg housing area, with the Bitburg BX in the background



2014: With my fully restored 1947 Cessna 140

SMILE Deadline

All information for the SMILE needs to be at Department by 1 p.m. each Wednesday. Any info after that time will be in the next week's issue.

From The Adjutants Desk

Our Boy Scout Chairman is really making a big difference with the Eagle Scout Award program. The Department HQ staff is supporting him by generating the proper material needed to move this Committee forward. Please do not hesitate to call him for guidance and support. He is also looking for any Legion member that would enjoy helping with this program. "Make a difference and lend a hand"

Chairman: Bill Benson, 63 South Levant Road, Levant, ME 04456, 884-7325 or 356-5559

e-mail: wbenson@midmaine.com

Our data base on Legion Posts that support Boy Scouts programs is not up to date. We are trying to build that program and need your support. Please forward to HQ if you are supporting a troop and give the Troop # if possible. Remember this is a great program that many people do not know that The American Legion supports!!! Please forward the information as soon as possible.

To all Posts:

After asking all of you to stand by while we researched the Maine Sales Tax Exemption for The American Legion we are now ready to provide you with a step by step procedure that you may all follow. It will include some of the paperwork and information needed to pass the requirements. This packet that we will send you will provide you with 80% of the needed information. (You may stop at the office and pick one up also)

Now the other side of the story---If you have not kept up with State & Federal requirements, this will add more work for you to process this form in a timely matter. Please read the sheet on How to Obtain a Sales /use Tax Exemption Certificate carefully.

In order to receive one of these packets you must e-mail or call this office to request one which will be mailed to you. We will track these request for further results. Thank you again for your patience.

To all Legion Post in Maine: Please be aware that the following Post from New York is soliciting money in the State of Maine. This is against the National Constitution & By-Laws and they have been ordered to stop immediately. The post information: American Legion Post 490, 1 American Legion Road, Stillwater, NY 12170

Directory Changes

Pg. 65, Brewer Post 98, meetings 1st Monday, 7 p.m.

Pg. 67, Hermon Post 200, Service Officer Peter Mead, 238 North Rd., Newburgh 04444 (234-2175)
(c 649-4660)

Crafters Wanted

Hello Crafters,

On November 19, 2016 the Women's Auxiliary is hosting a craft fair at the American Legion Post 86, 15 Lewiston Road in Gray, Maine. We are doing this to raise money for veterans and their families. The cost of a table will be \$25. Checks can be made out to ALA Unit 86 and sent to P.O. Box 428, Gray, Maine 04039. The fair will run from 9-3. If you are interested and would like to reserve a table, please email me at mbrushwe@bates.edu. **Crafters are still needed.**

Thank you and I hope to hear from you soon,

Mary

District Meetings

District 9 – Kennebec: Nov. 9, Gardiner Post 4, 7 p.m.

District 3 – Androscoggin: Nov. 13, Turner Post 111, 2 p.m.

District 6 – Knox: Nov. 13, Camden Post 30, 1 p.m.

District 15 – Washington: Nov. 13, Machias Post 9, 2 p.m.

District 5 – Oxford: Nov. 15, Bethel Post 81, 7 p.m. Refreshments

District 11 – Waldo: Nov. 15, Palermo Post 163, 2 p.m.

District 14 – Piscataquis: Nov. 19, Monson Post 116, 12 p.m. lunch, 1 p.m. mtg.

District 7 – Lincoln: Nov. 21, Wiscasset Post 54, 6:30 p.m.

District 10 – Somerset: Nov. 21, Skowhegan Post 16, 5 p.m. social, mtg. 6 p.m.

December meetings

District 9 – Kennebec: Dec. 14, Augusta Post 205, 7 p.m. Christmas party with wives invited.

District 2 – Cumberland: Dec. 18, Naples Post 155, 2 p.m., Christmas party exchange of gifts, Leg Dist. 2 and Aux Dist. 1

District 5 – Oxford: Dec. 20, Locke Mills Post 68, 7 p.m. Appoint nominating committee. District Christmas party.

Military Trivia

What was the first U.S. Navy ship named in honor of a black person?

Proclamation For Ring For Peace

Jerry DeWitt is asking all churches in Maine to ring their bells on 11-11-2016 at 11a.m. for 2 minutes to remember all those veterans that have served our country and pray for peace. This is a project of District 3 Commander Jerry DeWitt, American Legion Post 22, American Legion District 3, Androscoggin County, Franco American War Veterans Post 31, Disabled American Veterans Chapter 11 of Maine and the L/A Maine Military Community Network and the L/A Veterans Council Veterans for Peace. District 3 Commander Jerry DeWitt would appreciate your support.

State of Maine



WHEREAS, the first Armistice Day on November 11, 1918 was commemorated by the ringing of church bells across England; and

WHEREAS, the tradition of honoring those who have served their country has continued to the present day in the United States of America, now called Veterans' Day; and

WHEREAS, the Council is encouraged by the efforts by the Am Vets Department of Maine, American Legion Post 22, American Legion District 3 Androscoggin County, Franco American War Veterans Post 31, Disabled American Veterans Chapter 11 of Maine, Lewiston/Auburn Maine Military Community Network, the Lewiston/Auburn Veterans Council, Veterans For Peace, VFW Post 1603 Auburn, VFW Post 9150 Lewiston, all VFW Posts in District 9, be it resolved that we call churches in Maine to ring their bells on 11-11-2016 at 11:00 AM for 2 minutes to pray for peace and to remember all those veterans that have served our country.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, PAUL R. LEPAGE, Governor of the State of Maine, do hereby proclaim November 11, 2016 as

RINGING BELLS FOR PEACE ON VETERANS' DAY

throughout the State of Maine, and urge all citizens to recognize this observance.



In testimony whereof, I have caused
the Great Seal of the State
to be hereunto affixed GIVEN under my hand
at Augusta this Fourth day of October
Two-Thousand and Sixteen


Paul R. LePage
Governor


Matthew Dunlap
Secretary of State
TRUE ATTESTED COPY

<p align="center">Department Officers Visitation</p>

Department Commander Pete Johnson:

Department 1st Vice Commander Randy Kluj:

11-11-16, Milo Town Hall, POW-MIA Ceremony, 11:30 a.m., free meal for all area veterans, noon

11-19-16, Monson Post 116, District 14 meeting, 12 noon lunch, 1 p.m. meeting

Department 2nd Vice Commander Scott Paradis:

11-19-16, Monson Post 116, District 14 meeting, 12 noon lunch, 1 p.m. meeting

Department Americanism Officer Deb Couture and Chaplain Greg Couture:

11- 9-16, Greg and I will both be speaking at Gardiner Area Middle School. It is a group of 16 veterans. 0700 - 1200

District 9 meeting @ 1900.

11-10-16, VA Togus - 150th Anniversary. We are not speaking or anything. We will just be there to see the presentations. 0900 - 1200

11-11-16, Litchfield Post 181, 0930-1400.

11-13-16, Christ Church, Gardiner, Special Veterans Day thank you for all Vets. 1000-1200. Legion Baseball event in the afternoon.

11-16-16, Palermo Post 163, Waldo District 11 meeting, 1400

11-19-16, Women Vets Appreciation Luncheon, Rumford (no Greg)

11-21-16, Somerset District 10 or Lincoln District 7. Greg and I go to all these together.

Department NEC John Hargreaves:

11-9-16, Gardiner Post 4, District 4 Meeting

11-11-16, Schooner Cove Assisted Living Veterans Day Flag Ceremony with Post 42

11-13-16, Machias Post 9, District 15 Meeting and Pearl Harbor Survivor recog.

11-15-16, Bethel Post 81, District 5 Meeting

11-19-16, Rumford Post 24, 4th Annual Women's Veterans Luncheon

11-21-16, Wiscasset Post 54, District 7 Meeting

<p align="center">Influenza Shots</p>
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11/9/2016	Bangor CBOC	8:00 AM	11:30 AM	
11/14/2016	Togus Outpatient Pharmacy		1:00 PM	3:00 PM
11/16/2016	Bangor CBOC	8:00 AM	11:30 AM	
11/21/2016	Togus Outpatient Pharmacy		1:00 PM	3:00 PM
11/23/2016	Bangor CBOC	8:00 AM	11:30 AM	
11/28/2016	Togus Outpatient Pharmacy		1:00 PM	3:00 PM
11/30/2016	Bangor CBOC	8:00 AM	11:30 AM	
12/7/2016	Bangor CBOC	8:00 AM	11:30 AM	
12/12/2016	Togus Outpatient Pharmacy		1:00 PM	3:00 PM
12/19/2016	Togus Outpatient Pharmacy		1:00 PM	3:00 PM

Even More Opportunities!

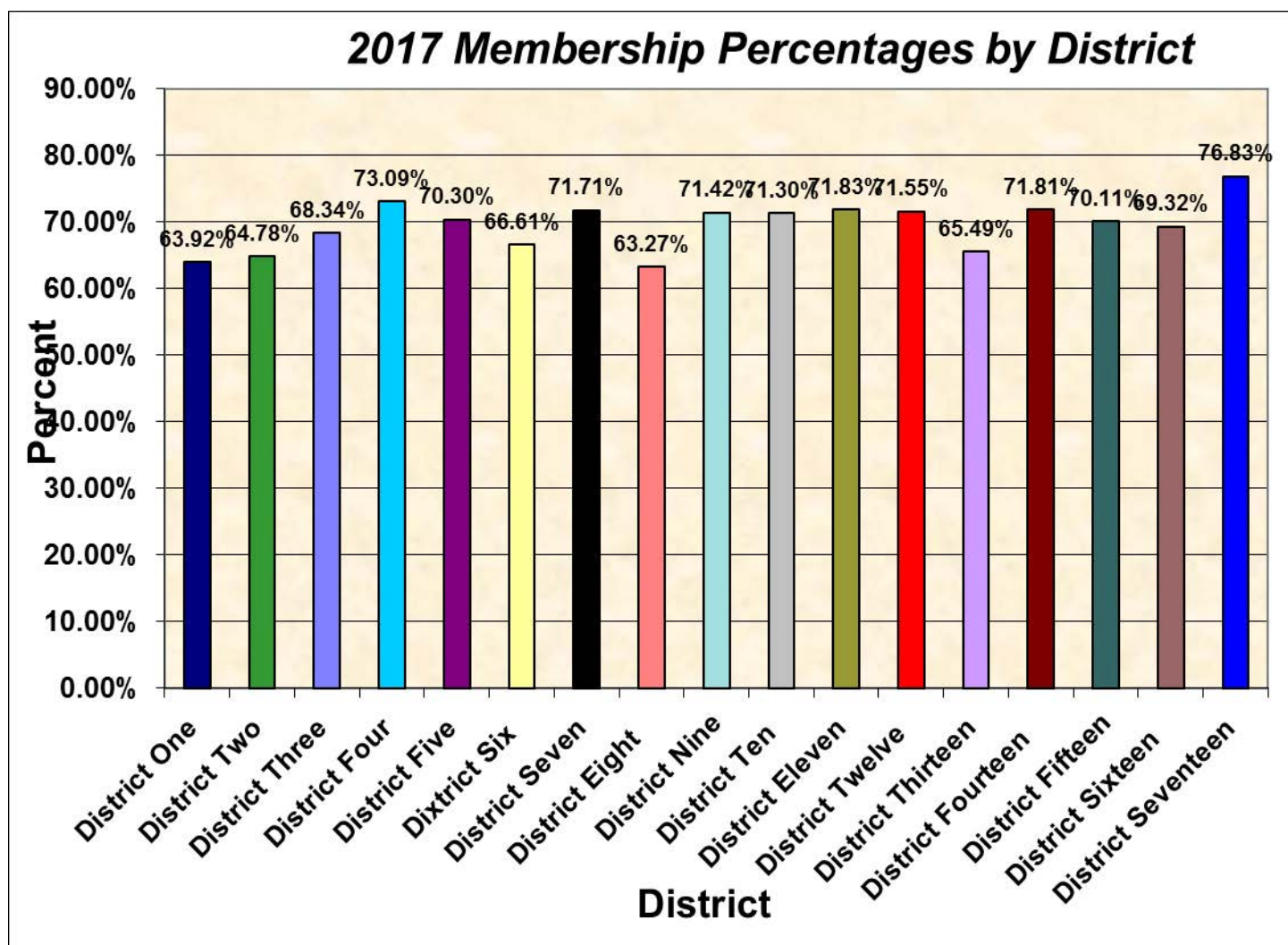
Rumford CBOC, Monday thru Friday, 1:30 - 4 pm, **Lincoln CBOC**, Monday thru Friday, 1pm - 3 pm, **Bingham VA Clinic**, Tuesdays & Wednesdays, 7:30 am - 4 pm, **Calais CBOC**, Wednesdays, 1 pm – 4 pm, **Caribou CBOC**, Monday thru Friday, 9 am - 3 pm, **Houlton VA Clinic**, Wednesdays, 8 am - 4:30 pm.

Many Ways to Get Influenza Vaccine:

- ☐ At the special clinics listed here
- ☐ At your scheduled visit to your VA Primary Care Provider*
- ☐ At all Walgreens Pharmacy locations through March 31, 2017. You will need to show a valid ID and a current VA ID. Does not include high dose vaccine or quadriva-lent (4-strain) influen-za vaccine

* Some VA Specialty Clinics will be offering the vaccine as well.

Membership



Recurring Events

Augusta Post 2:

Friday Night Karaoke: Fridays, Augusta Post 2, 6:30 p.m.

Saturday Night Dance: Saturdays, Augusta Post 2, 7 p.m., \$7, live bands.

Gardiner Post 4:

3 Card Challenge: Fridays, Gardiner Post 4 Club Room, 6 p.m.,

Cribbage every Sunday, Gardiner Post 4, 1 p.m.

Trivia Contest every Friday, Gardiner Post 4, 6:30 p.m.

Open Jukebox every Thursday, Gardiner Post 4, 5 – 8 p.m.

Darts: Steel Tip Dart Tournament every Tuesday night at 7 PM starting Nov. 1. \$5 entry fee every week for 14 weeks. Cash prizes at the end. Members & guests welcome.

Caribou Post 15:

Texas Hold-Em: First and third Sat., Caribou Post 15.

Line Dancing: Every Friday evening, Caribou Post 15.

Sanford Post 19:

Live Music: Every Friday night. Great bands and lots of fun.

Biddeford Post 26:

Bean Supper: Third Saturday of the month, Biddeford Post 26, 4:30 p.m. \$8 for adults and \$5 for under 12.

Winthrop Post 40:

Pool League Tournament: Mondays, Winthrop Post 40, 7-10 p.m.

Free Pool: Saturdays, anyone can sign up.

Texas Hold-Em Poker: Sundays, Winthrop Post 40, 2 p.m., \$55 Buy-in.

Norway Post 82:

Coffee Hour: Every Tuesday, Norway Post 82, 9 a.m. Everything is free. Coffee, many different types of donuts, coffee cake, muffins. Any veteran is invited to come by and enjoy the company of other veterans.

Dixfield Post 100:

Public Supper: Third Saturday of the month, Dixfield Post 100, \$7 adults, Children ½ price, meals vary, FMI call 562-8030.

Sabattus Post 135:

Dart Tournament: Every other Monday starting Sept. 19, Sabattus Post 135.

Cribbage Tournament: Tuesday, Sabattus Post 135.

Fridays Nights DJ: Come dance the night away with our new DJ, Sabattus Post 135

Windham Post 148:

Texas Hold-Em Poker: 1st and 3rd Wednesdays, 6:30 pm. Windham Veterans Association & Post 148 at Dena's Restaurant, next to Windham Post Office - Jct. Rtes. 115 & 302. \$60 buy in.

Eagle Lake Post 176:

Wings Night: Fridays, Eagle Lake Post 176, 5 – 9 p.m.

Lebanon Post 214:

Spaghetti Supper: Second Saturday of the month, Lebanon Post 214, Adults \$7, Children under 10 free. Held at the hall in the First Parish Congregational Church, 650 Center Road, Lebanon. FMI, please call 658-7182.

Current Events

Veterans Ceremony and Luncheon: Nov. 11, Augusta Post 2, 1 p.m. Pot luck, all are invited. There will be a guest speaker.

Veterans Ceremony: Nov. 11, Bar Harbor Post 25, 11 a.m. followed by an open house until 2 p.m. The Bar Harbor Garden Club will host a short ceremony of appreciation at the Blue Star Memorial near the head of the island at 1 p.m.

Veterans Day Service: Nov. 11, Lord's Cemetery, 11 a.m. Special service hosted by Berwick Post 79. The members of our American Legion family invite the public to attend this annual observance.

American Flag Disposal Ceremony: Nov. 11, Scarborough Post 76, 42 Manson Libby Road, Dinner, 6 p.m. Free Spaghetti Dinner. Service, 7 p.m. Bring your unserviceable, faded, torn, flags to be disposed of properly. FMI-883-3902. You are invited! Public welcome!

2nd Annual Veterans Day Turkey With All The Fixings: Nov. 11, Mars Hill Post 118, 3 - 8 p.m. Supper (Dinner) free for all veterans and their families. Any veteran or family in District 16 or 17 is invited. Come and have a good meal and socialize with other veterans. Please respond to Rod Collins by Nov. 8 if planning to attend. rc199@twc.com

Honoring All Who Served: Nov. 11, members of the George Bunten Post 10 American Legion, Frank L Mitchell Post 3335 VFW and Lane-Dube Post 33 AmVets and their Auxiliaries will gather to remember and honor all Veterans Past and Present and the Sacrifice they gave for all of us so we can enjoy the Freedoms we all enjoy in this great nation. **Schedule:** 8:45 a.m. Livermore Falls Memorial Bridge for Prayer - Wreath Laying - Firing Squad, Honoring those who Served or were Lost at Sea, 9:10 a.m. Brettuns Memorial in Livermore for Prayer - Wreath Laying - Firing Squad, 9:40 a.m. Livermore Falls Union Park for Prayer - Wreath Laying - Firing Squad, 10 a.m. Jay War Monument, for Prayer - Wreath Laying - Firing Squad (Chisholm Square) 10:20 a.m. Fayette Memorial, for Prayer - Wreath Laying - Firing Squad.

Sock Hop: Nov. 12, Gardiner Post 4, 8 - 12 p.m. Music by RIFF RAFF. Sponsored by Post 4 Riders for their charities. \$5 cover charge. Members & guests welcome.

Veterans Town Hall: Nov. 15, Mid-Coast Veterans Resource Center, Brunswick Landing, 62 Pegasus Street, Suite 101, Brunswick, ME. (This is the old Bowling Center when it was NAS Brunswick), 6 p.m. There will be updates on current and projected operations/initiatives by representatives from VA Healthcare, Regional Office (Benefits), National Cemetery Administration and the Veterans Experience office. VA staff will also be on-hand to answer questions and provide assistance.

Texas Hold'em: Nov. 19, Locke Mills Post 68, 595 Gore Rd. Doors open at 11 a.m., games begin at 1 p.m. 50/50, meals and beverages available. BYOB. Come and enjoy the fun. FMI/ Ray 890-3737.

The Volunteers Jazz Band: Nov. 13, Brunswick Post 20, 1 Columbus Dr., 2 p.m. They play at no charge to entertain and honor those who have served. Most of the band members have played professionally for 25 years or more. The volunteers will play a free concert to celebrate our freedoms and to remember those no longer with us!

Donations

Richard O'Donnell, Westbrook Post 197

\$15 – Oratorical, in memory of Mona Naragon

Kudos

Sanford Post 19 held a Luncheon and Recognition ceremony for 26 members -23 Legionnaires and 3 Auxiliary members who have been members of Post 19 for more than 40 years. The Continuous membership certificates ranged from 40 years to 70 years. Raymond Fortier a 72 year member of the Post, a Past Commander, Chaplain and current Executive Board Member was presented the American Legion Meritorious Medal Award for his dedication and service. A special video presentation of Ray's military service and contributions to the community and the Legion was also presented. A special thank you to all who made the ceremony such a success.

Sanford Post 19 is supporting Sanford Maine Boy Scout Troop 324 for an Eagle Scout Project to rehabilitate and redo the Carpenter Park Ballfield with a new diamond, benches and fences to protect ballplayers in the two dugouts. This field was in disrepair and needed a rehab. Recently, Boy Scout Troop 324 did a Flag Retirement Ceremony and the American Legion Post 19 provided assistance & the flags for the retirement of worn, soiled and torn flags. Troop 324 conducted an impressive ceremony on Oct. 26, 2016 in front of Legion and Auxiliary members, parents and the public. Our Boy Scout Activity coordinator is Paul Robie, Executive Board Member and Americanism Committee chairperson.

Sanford Post 19 for their donation of \$500 to the Sanford/Springvale Youth Girls basketball league, \$1,000 donation to "Toys for Tots" in York County and provided the funds to send two (2) Boy Scout from Troop 324 to summer camp this previous summer. Also Post 19 purchased \$500 worth of food for the "Veterans Food Pantry" at the Vet Center in Springvale, Maine.

Answer to military trivia question: The U.S.S. Harmon, named after Leonard Roy Harmon, a mess attendant who was killed at Guadalcanal on July 25, 1943.

Best Wishes to The Legion family,

Paul L'Heureux
Department Adjutant

Saturday, November 19

Augusta Civic Center

2016

7:00 pm (doors open at 6)

A Maine COUNTRY Christmas



Featuring:

DEB MORIN

THE OVERLOCKS

DEBBIE MYERS

MALINDA LIBERTY

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Military Appreciation Pack

L/A Fighting Spirit Military Appreciation Night

November 12th and 13th

Game time 7:00 PM Saturday 2:00 PM Sunday

- Tickets will be \$5.00 each. If you purchase 20 at the \$5 rate we will give you 5 more tickets.
(20 tickets at \$100.00 plus 5 free)

The Androscoggin Bank Colisee and the L/A Fighting Spirit will host the Military Appreciation night on Saturday November 12th and Sunday November 13th 2016! Players will show their support by wearing commemorative jerseys during the game that will be auctioned off at the end of the game Saturday night. To bid on the jerseys go the L/A Fighting Spirit Hockey page on Facebook.

Name	Company	
Address		
City	State	Zip Code
Primary Telephone	Alternate Telephone	
Fax	E-Mail	

☐ CHECK OR MONEY ORDER: Check Number: Amount: \$

NOTE: Returned check due to non-sufficient funds will be subject to a \$25.00, per occurrence, service charge.!

☐ CREDIT CARD: Please charge my credit card in the amount of \$ Credit

Card Information: ☐ Visa ☐ MasterCard ☐ American Express ☐ Discover

Account #:

Expiration:

CVV #:

Cardholder Signature:

Please send completed "Military Pack" form to the American Legion William Rogers Post 153, 71 South Main St Auburn 04210 or contact Dan St. Pierre at 207-782-1118



American Legion Post 24 and American Legion Dept. of Maine
Women Veteran's Advisory Committee
to Honor Women Veterans at the

4th Annual Women Veteran's Luncheon

184 Congress St. Rumford, Maine

Saturday, November 19th, 2016

Schedule of events:

Refreshments and Morning Pampering from
9:30am- 12:30pm

(Local professionals have donated their time to provide manicures, haircuts/styles,
Reiki and mini massages and is on a first come first served basis)

Lunch 12:30pm

Guest Speakers 1:00pm

Guest speakers will be present to provide important
information to our veterans.

Please help spread the news and share this info with all
women veterans. R.S.V.P by November 16th. For more
information call Tricia Thurston at 357-3289

Come and connect with other women who have served. You do
NOT need to be a Legion member to attend!

This event is planned for all Women Veterans
and is at no charge to them.

WISH LIST – November 2016
Department of Veterans Affairs
Voluntary Service (135)
1 VA Center
Augusta, Maine 04330 (207) 621-4886
jonathan.barczyk@va.gov

VOLUNTEER ASSIGNMENTS:

1. Drivers for Volunteer Transportation Network (Bethel/Sanford/Rumford/Aroostook/Augusta)
2. Parking Lot Shuttle Driver – (Wednesday & Thursday & On-Call)
3. Clinic Clerical Assistant – Bangor & Lewiston CBOC
4. Bangor Eye Clinic Volunteer – (Monday – Friday)
5. Community Living Center 73 – Feeding patients (must complete on-site training)
6. Escort - Wednesday
7. Fee Services Assistant – Business Service Line – (Monday-Friday)
8. Million Vet Program Volunteer – (Monday-Wednesday-Friday)
9. Prosthetics Escort – (Monday-Friday)
10. Coumadin Clinic Volunteer – (Monday – Friday)
11. Female Escort – Radiology – (Monday-Friday – Mornings)
12. Facilities Management Volunteer – (Monday – Friday)

ONGOING PROGRAM SUPPORT:

1. Coffee funds (provides coffee in waiting areas/wards/clinics)
2. Comfort Items, i.e., **nail clippers, toenail clippers**, denture creams/cleaner, small body wash, body lotion, toothbrush covers, deodorant, disposable razors, large powders etc. (**No alcohol based products**)
3. Funds to purchase Canteen/Coupon Books
4. Newspaper funds (provides newspapers in waiting areas/wards/clinics)
5. Recreation General Purpose Funds to support various activities
6. General Welfare Funds

SPECIAL REQUESTS/PROJECTS:

1. Gas Cards (\$25)
2. Trac Phone Cards
3. Hannaford Gift Cards (\$25)
4. Walmart Gift Cards (\$25)
5. Ear bud ear phones (Must be New)
6. WIFI Access for CLC-73 Patriot Place (Approx. \$40/month)
7. WIFI Access for 4-S (Approx. \$40/month)
8. Organizations to sponsor entertainment on 73 Patriot Place
9. Parking Lot Shuttle Vehicle Project

NOT NEEDED AT THIS TIME: Afghans; Jigsaw Puzzles; Used Clothing; Used Stamps; Magazines over three months old; Dental Floss; After-Shave; Hand Lotion and Envelopes. **Due to Infection Control policies we are unable to accept used clothing/bedding walkers, canes, or crutches at this time. Currently we are unable to accept personal memorabilia and artwork.**

The Internal Revenue Service has announced that under the Tax Code, donations to the Department of Veterans Affairs' General Post Fund for exclusively public purposes are deductible from federal income taxes in the manner and to the extent allowable. The announcement reflects the tax law provision, which makes those donations deductible as "donations to the United States". Donations to support any of the Department's programs are deductible