



The American Legion Department of Maine

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Once you choose hope, anything is possible.

Congratulations to the following posts for reaching 100%.

Testimonial

A joint testimonial to honor our 2017 American Legion Family Leaders, American Legion Department Commander Peter Johnson, American Legion Auxiliary President Veronica Gurney, and Sons of The American Legion Commander Ron Marr, will be held on April 29, 2017 at Fitzgerald-Cummings Post 2 in Augusta. The evening will begin with social hour from 5 p.m. - 6 p.m., followed by dinner at 6 p.m., with program to follow.

Post 2 has put together an appetizing menu for the evening, starting with appetizers of fresh vegetables, cheeses, pepperoni, crackers and dips.

Dinner will be a CHOICE of boneless roast turkey with stuffing or baked stuffed haddock with mashed potatoes and gravy, Green Beans Almandine, dinner rolls, cranberry sauce, coffee, tea and water. Dessert will be strawberry shortcake with whipped cream. A cash bar will be available in the banquet hall.

Gluten Free meal option available. Stuffed haddock stuffing and turkey stuffing will be gluten free. Strawberry shortcake biscuits will be gluten free. Gluten free rolls for the gluten free dinners. Gluten free meals will be served baked potato.

Cost for the meal will be \$15 per person. Make checks payable to: ALA Unit 2. Please write the number of turkey or haddock dinners on check, or enclose a note with the check. Write your name on the note. Gluten Free Option – Please state “GF” on check or enclose note with your name.

Mail to: Joyce Thurlow, Secretary, ALA Unit 2, 1 Meadowrue Dr., Augusta, ME 04330.

Name: _____

of Turkey _____ # of Haddock _____

of Gluten Free _____

A ticket will be issued to attendees upon arrival for the testimonial. **Deadline for reservations: April 15, 2017.**

For your pleasure, Fitzgerald-Cummings Post 2 Legion Family cordially invites those attending the testimonial, to join in the Canteen after dinner for entertainment - no cover charge.

From The Adjutants Desk

We have just purchased a small wall mounted display cabinet with glass door. We are starting another project to recover some of our history that has been lost. We want to display each of the PAST STATE COMMANDERS hat pins that were handed out during their term. So I would first ask the Past Commanders to send one of your pins to HQ. If you do not have any, please advise so I may ask other Legionnaires. We are in hopes to accomplish this project in time for our 100th Anniversary.

This office has been receiving many calls from Veterans family's asking for The American Legion Honor Guard to be present at a Veterans funeral. I would like to know how many Posts have some type of Honor Guard so we can help some of these families. Please send HQ your Post # and contact person so we may have some information on hand. Thank you for your support!!!

Military Trivia

Taking place in December of 1989, "Operation Just Cause" was the invasion of which country by the United States?

District Meetings

District 13 – Penobscot: Mar. 5, Bangor Post 12, 647 Main St. (Old Armory) Bangor, 2 p.m.

District 7 – Lincoln: Mar. 8, Waldoboro Post 149, 7 p.m.

District 16 – S. Aroostook: Mar. 4, Presque Isle Post 88, 1 p.m. dinner followed by mtg. (nominations committee)

District 9 – Kennebec: Mar. 8, Waterville Post 5, 7 p.m. Appoint nominating committee.

District 1 – York: Mar. 12, Kezar Falls Post 123, 2 p.m.

District 3 – Androscoggin: Mar. 12, Sabattus Post 135, 2 p.m.

District 15 – Washington: Mar. 12, Cherryfield Post 8, 2 p.m.

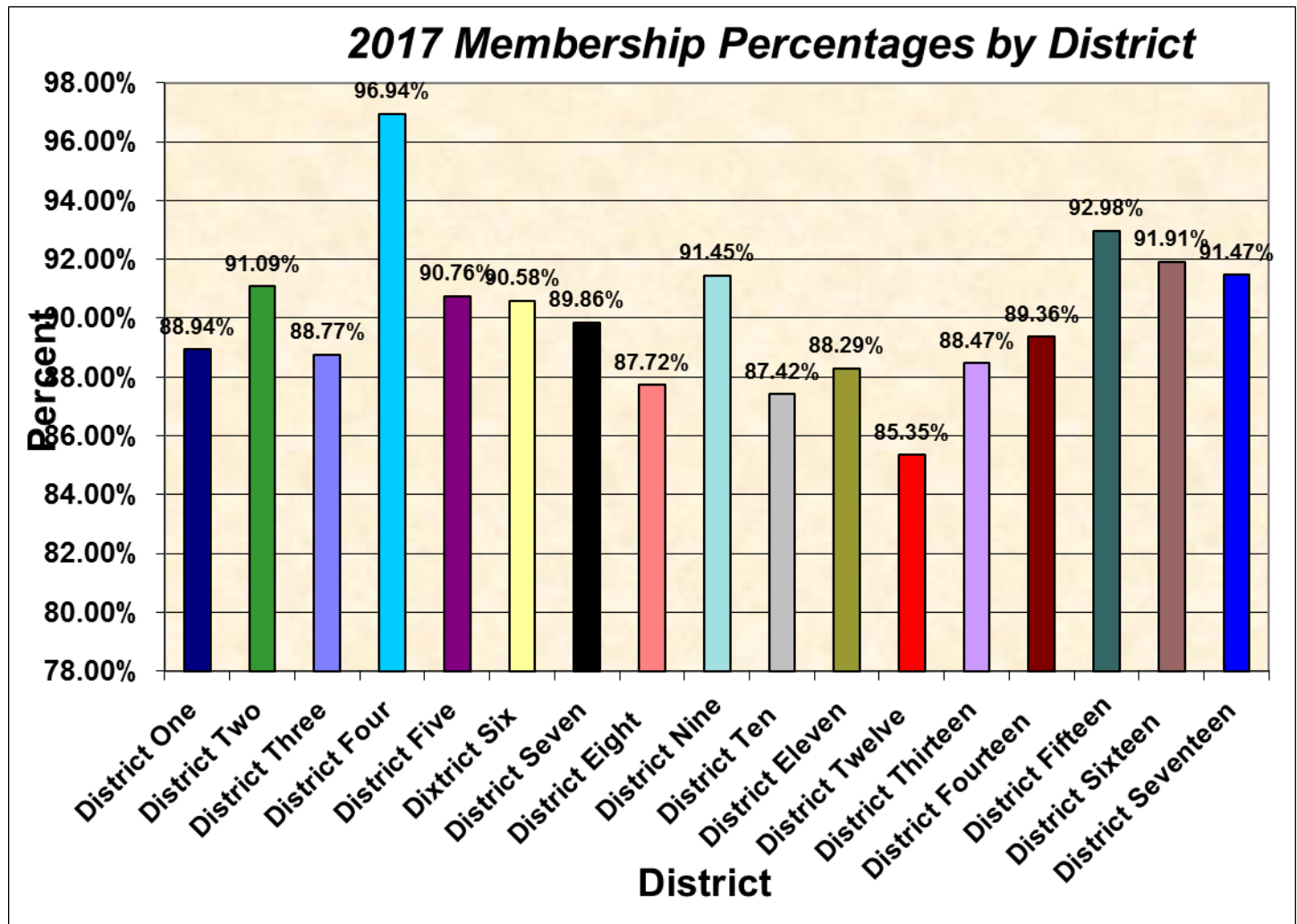
District 12 – Hancock: Mar. 14, Blue Hill Post 85, 6:30 p.m. dinner, 7:30 p.m. mtg.

District 5 – Oxford: Mar. 15, Norway Post 82, 7 p.m. Meeting and election of officers. Refreshments
District 14 – Piscataquis: Mar. 18, Sangerville Post 165, 12 p.m. lunch, 1 p.m. mtg.
District 2 – Cumberland: Mar 19, Scarborough Post 76, 2 p.m.
District 11 – Waldo: Mar. 19, Stockton Springs Post 157, 2 p.m.
District 6 – Knox: Mar. 25, Camden Post 30, 11 a.m.

Motorized Wheelchair

I have someone who wants to donate a high-end motorized wheelchair to a veteran and get a write-off. Do you know anyone who could use it? Please contact Reggie, Blue Hill Post 85. e-mail: reggie@mcclure-group.net

Membership



Silhouette Project

American Legion, Lewiston Post 22 is sponsoring the Silhouette Project at the University of Southern Maine Lewiston campus on Westminster Street.

On April 17 at noon, the Governor and the President of the college with both Mayors will cut the ribbon on the Silhouette Project of 22 life size service members that have committed suicide in remembrance and suicide awareness.

The silhouettes, each with a message and picture, will be on display that week to bring this issue to the community's awareness. There will be snacks after the official ceremony. Everyone is welcome to attend or just drop by that week to pay their respects. FMI, jdewitt@tcmhs.org

Recurring Events

Rockland Post 1:

Sunday Morning Breakfast: 8 - 10 a.m., all you can eat - \$8

Karaoke Night: Every Friday night, 6 - 10 p.m.

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.

Livermore Falls Post 10:

Post 10 Suppers: Third Saturday each month, 4:30 – 6 p.m. \$7 adults, \$4 students under 12. For local delivery please call 897-5676. Join us for a great meal and bring your friends with you for a fun gathering.

Caribou Post 15:

Texas Hold-Em: First and third Sat.

Line Dancing: Every Friday evening.

Sanford Post 19:

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

Winthrop Post 40:

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

Cribbage Tournament: Tuesdays, 6 p.m. Food available at the bar. Anyone can sign-up. \$5 – buy in.

Free Pool: Saturdays, anyone can sign up.

Texas Hold-Em Poker: Sundays, 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.

Gray Post 86:

ALPS: Third Monday of each month, Gray Post 86, 6:30 p.m.

Dixfield Post 100:

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

Richmond Post 132

Reg. Meetings: 2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7 p.m.

Bingo: Saturdays, 6 p.m.

Texas Hold-Em: 3rd Friday, 6:30 p.m.

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.

Maine Fallen Heroes Foundation:

Gold Star Family Dinners: Aunt Gin's Restaurant wants to feed Gold Star families from Maine. Dinner will be served by appointment only. Free every weekend all year long. Make your reservation now.

Current Events

Soldier On: Life After Deployment: Mar. 1, Strand Theatre, Rockland, 6:30 p.m. Knox Museum will kick off Women's History Month with a special screening. A panel discussion with award-winning filmmaker Susan M. Sipprelle, two of the women featured in her film, and key Maine women veterans, will immediately follow the screening. Admission is free and all are welcome to attend. This program is funded by the Walmart Foundation. Soldier On: Life After Deployment documents the story of three women veterans confronting the challenges of readjusting to civilian life after their post-9/11 military service. The women in Soldier On are forthright about their many problems, while simultaneously managing to find moments of humor amidst their struggles and gradually reconnecting with the inner strength and resilience that has always defined them. Forever changed by their military service, the women adapt to find a new place in the civilian world. The film presents these women's compelling and illuminating stories in the context of a civilian population that has little appreciation for the experiences and sacrifices of female veterans, who are the fastest-growing segment of the U.S. veteran population. The complete integration of women into the armed services as well as their full access to veterans' benefits and the veteran community is a challenging work in process for the United States. Soldier On: Life

After Deployment is part of that conversation and effort. Natasha Young, USMC Staff Sergeant (Iraq 2005 and 2007) and SGT US Army Amanda Tejada (Afghanistan 2009), are two of the women featured in the film who will participate in the panel discussion following the screening; along with Joleen Lilley, OEF/OIF/OND Program Manager, at Togus VA; and Beth Parks, U.S. Army nurse, (Vietnam 1966-67). The panel will be moderated by MAJ Adria O. Horn, Director of Maine's Bureau of Veterans Services. Horn, a West Point graduate, currently serves as a US Army Reservist with US Pacific Command, and has deployed in support of the Global War on Terror five times in her 14-year career. Mother of two, Adria met her husband in Baghdad where each was serving on coalition security details. They live on a 91-acre yak farm outside of Augusta. Described as "A brave and honest look at the modern "woman warrior"—this film will be familiar to those who lived it and an eye opener for those who have not and seek to understand the contributions and experiences of women in combat." For additional information contact Knox Museum at 354-8062 or info@knoxmuseum.org.

Texas Hold-Em Poker: Mar. 3, Winthrop Post 40, 6:30 p.m. \$55 Buy-In

Mexican Supper To Benefit The Boys State Program: Mar. 3, Rumford Post 24, 5 – 7 p.m. or till sold out. All proceeds will go to support local Mountain Valley High School Juniors to attend Boys State in June. Our goal is to send all those who are interested. Your community support is needed to make this happen. The cost to send a junior to Boys State is currently \$300. If you are not able to attend you may still send a donation to Post 24 and it will be earmarked for Boys State. Come out and enjoy a Mexican supper while supporting our juniors! Menu includes: Chips and fresh Salsa, Chicken, seasoned ground beef or shredded pork in your choice of a Burrito, Chimichanga, Tostado or Taco Salad (in an edible bowl) with all your favorite toppings. Churros for dessert!! All for \$12 per person.

Double Elimination Pool Tournament: Mar. 4, Fairfield Post 14, 2 p.m. American Legion Togus Fundraiser to help raise money to purchase a wheelchair swing for the veterans at Togus. Entry fee \$20. Trophies and cash prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place. Raffles, light lunch and snacks will be provided. 50% of the entry fees and 100% of the donations will go toward the fundraiser.

Beans and Casserole Supper: Mar. 4, Gray Post 86, 5 – 6 p.m. Pies for dessert, Adults \$8, Children under 12, \$4.

High Stakes Poker: Mar. 5, Winthrop Post 40, 2 p.m. \$100 Buy-In.

2017 Maine Veterans Creative Arts Competition: Mar. 8, Theater B210, VA Maine HCS, 1:30 p.m. For category listings and entry information please contact: For Performing Arts (Music, Dance, Drama and Creative Writing): Liz Marrone, CTRS, 207-623-8411 Ext. 5371 or Elizabeth.marrone@va.gov. For Visual Art Categories (Fine Art, Applied Art and Kits), Courtney Oliver, CTRS, 207-623-8411 Ext. 4589 or Courtney.oliver@va.gov. Competition entry deadline: Jan. 20, 2017. Recreational Therapy Services at VA Maine Healthcare, in conjunction with the American Legion Auxiliary, is proud to once again sponsor this year's Annual Veterans Creative Arts Show. Nationwide, Recreational Therapists and other clinical staff use the creative arts as one form of rehabilitative treatment to help Veterans recover from, and cope with, physical and emotional disabilities. Veterans are provided with the opportunity to participate in creative self-expression in the areas of art, creative writing, drama, dance and music as part of their therapy. This year over 35 (and counting) Veteran visual artists, creative writers, musicians, dancers and dramatic readers from VA Maine have entered their art into the Local competition. Veterans who are awarded 1st place in their category at the local competition qualify to compete against Veterans from all across the Nation. VA Maine has participated in the Creative Arts Festival for over 11+ years. The Maine American Legion Auxiliary has helped sponsor the local Competition since 2013. Across the country each year, Veterans treated at VA facilities compete in both local and national creative arts competitions that provide them with an opportunity to gain recognition for their artistic accomplishments. These competitions includes more than 53 art categories that range from oil painting

to leatherwork and even paint-by-number kits. In addition, there are 120 categories pertaining to all aspects of music, dance, drama and creative writing. The creative writing division is a more recent addition to the competition and includes original works in poetry, essay, short story, and personal experience writing. Our local competition is a pre-cursor to the National Veterans Creative Arts Festival. Last year VA Maine sent five Veterans to the National festival in Mississippi. We also had one artist that placed third in her division at the national level. The American Legion Auxiliary has actively supported this event nationwide since 2000. Founded in 1919, the American Legion Auxiliary is the world's largest women's patriotic service organization.

Texas Hold-Em Poker: Mar. 10, Winthrop Post 40, 6:30 p.m. \$35 Buy-In.

Veterans Free Luncheon & Slideshow Event: Mar. 11, Dover-Foxcroft Post 29, 78 Park St., 12 p.m. Luncheon sponsored by Post 29 and Will's Shop 'n' Save. Presented by Wilderness Walk for Warriors. The slide show will encompass three years of Wilderness Walk for Warriors hikes through the Hundred Mile Wilderness, as well as all of the veterans that we have helped and supported over that time. Contact Information On Facebook: Wilderness-Walk-for-Warriors <https://www.facebook.com/pages/Wilderness-Walk-for-Warriors/615012731884921>. Founder: Chris Robinson Phone: 207 227-8457, Co-Founder: Tim Robinson Phone: 207 356-1998. Donations Accepted At: 101 Forest Hills Drive, Levant ME 04456.

50th Anniversary and Certificate Presentation: Mar. 15, Biddeford Post 26, 508 Elm St., coffee at 5:30 p.m., ceremony 6 p.m. In honor of your service to the United States of America in the Vietnam War. Vietnam veterans of York County are invited to be recognized for your service to our country. The Bureau of Veterans' Service will conduct a recognition and presentation ceremony with certificates, coins and 50th Anniversary of Vietnam Commemorative lapel pins. Please join us. Register at facebook.com/repgrohman. FMI, State Rep. Martin Grohman (207) 423-8260 or martin.grohman@legislature.maine.gov.

10th Annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner: March 18, Windham Veteran's Center, 35 Veterans Memorial Dr., North Windham. Doors open at 5 p.m., serving to 6:30 p.m. Corned beef and cabbage with all the fixings. Variety of desserts. \$8, under 12 free.

Texas Hold-em: Mar. 18, Locke Mills Post 68, 595 Gore Rd. Doors open at 11 a.m., games begin at 1 p.m. 50/50, pull tabs, meals and beverages available, BYOB

Nets 4 Pets 4 Vets Basketball Tournament And Dinner: Mar. 24, 45 Columbia St., Bangor, 3 – 6 p.m. to help the Bangor Humane Society provide therapy pets to Veterans. Register a basketball team: 3 on 3 - (3 people/team; \$10/person which includes dinner!). Have a home-cooked dinner: FREE for Veterans & active duty (FARM TO TABLE dinner- food purchased from Maine VETERAN farms!), suggested donation (\$8/adult, \$4/child under 10) for everyone else! ALL proceeds help the Bangor Humane Society with the Pets 4 Vets program / United Farmer Veterans of Maine. Volunteer- Help with the dinner or basketball game; we can always use help with set-up, cooking, clean-up, logistics, etc. Register, Donate, Volunteer: Send registrations/donations to MBS Corps (C/O Nory Jones), University of Maine Business School, 5732 DP Corbett Business Building Orono, ME 04469. Questions? Contact us at: mbscorps@maine.edu or see our web site:

<http://www.mbs.maine.edu/mbscorps/activities-events/nets4pets4vets>. You can also make your tax-deductible donation to United Farmer Veterans-Maine to help purchase food from Maine Veteran farmers for the dinner OR to Bangor Humane Society for the Pets 4 Vets program (or to MBS Corps (not tax deductible) for other costs).

VA Maine Town Hall Meeting: Mar. 21, VFW Post 1641, 330 Waldo St., Rumford, 6 p.m. The VA Medical Center Director and Regional Office Director will provide updates of the VA Maine Healthcare System and the Togus Regional Office operations. VA staff will be on-site to provide detailed info on VA healthcare and other VA benefits/services and answer questions. A member of the "VA Experience" staff will be on-site to explain this new VA initiative to improve Veterans' VA care/benefits and to coordinate with the community in support of Veterans' care and other issues.

Public Open House: Mar. 25, Wiscasset Post 54, 523 Bath Rd., noon – 4 p.m. Refreshments will be served and will be signing up new members who bring their DD-214's. FMI, please call Bill Cossette at 882-4717.

2nd Annual Maine Fallen Heroes Spaghetti Dinner: Mar. 25, Auburn Post 31, 426 Washington St. North, 5 – 8 p.m. Come out and support Maine's Gold Star families. Adults \$10, under 12, \$6 and under 3, free. Raffles, 50/50, door prizes, bake sale and entertainment.

4th Annual Ice Out Event: Mar. 25, Winthrop Post 40 is co-sponsoring our 4th annual ice out event along with the Law Enforcement Special Olympics Torch Run. All you have to do raise \$100 entry fee. There are prizes for the most money raised. Buffet lunch is available.

Donations

District 14 – Piscataquis	\$100 – Beals House
District 14 – Piscataquis	\$100 – Maine Blind Camp
L/A Fighting Spirit Hockey League	\$3,000 – Homeless Veterans

Kudos

Waldoboro Post 149 provided a color guard to the Union Methodist Church, Union Maine. This was for their Four Chaplin's service, the flags were posted and a memorial service was conducted. A brief history of each Chaplin was read by a veteran and a youth from the church, and a candle lit in their memory.

Sons of the American Legion Detachment News

COMRADES,

Snow is melting, a sign of spring around the corner.

Last Thursday I attended Squadron #21 Bath's monthly meeting. Lots of information on "Operation Common Cents", Travis Mills Foundation and a Silent Auction is planned for March 25th at 1 p.m. Come one, come all, friends, family, and community are welcome. Bring your quarters, dimes, nickels and pennies! Dollars are welcome too! All Squadrons welcome to come join as well. Watch the floor fill with your support.

My next visit will be March 6th at Damariscotta Squadron #42 at 5:30 p.m.

Has your Squadron sent in a request for a visit yet?

Always willing to serve,

Ron Marr, Detachment Commander

1779 Hotel Rd Auburn, ME 04210 (207)-701-9675 ronaldmarr.rm@gmail.com

Answer to military trivia question: Panama. The invasion led to the Panamanian dictator Manuel Noriega being deposed.

Best Wishes to The Legion family,

Paul L'Heureux

Department Adjutant

Eagle Scout of the Year

The Maine American Legion annually provides a \$500 scholarship to an Eagle Scout who is selected "Eagle Scout of the Year". The Scout of the Year is recognized during the Legion's Annual State Convention. The state winner is automatically sent in for national competition.

The national winner is eligible to receive a \$10,000 scholarship and three second-place scholarship awards are given in the amount of \$2,500 each.

The scholarship recipients will be eligible to receive their scholarships immediately upon graduation from a state accredited high school (public, parochial, military, private or home school) and must utilize the total award within four (4) years of their graduation date, excluding active military duty.

The scholarship may be used to attend a school selected by the student providing it is state accredited, above the high school level, and within the continental limits of the United States, except in the case where the student may be from a possession of the United States, in which case he can select a school in that possession or in the continental United States.

Eligibility requirements specify that a nominee must:

1. Be a registered, active member of a Boy Scout Troop, Varsity Scout Team, or Venturing Crew chartered to an American Legion Post or Auxiliary Unit; OR be a registered, active member of a duly chartered Boy Scout Troop, Varsity Scout Team or Venturing Crew and the son or grandson of a Legionnaire or Auxiliary member;
2. Have received the Eagle Scout Award;
3. Be an active member of this religious institution and have received the appropriate BOY SCOUT religious emblem;
4. Have demonstrated practical citizenship in church, school, Scouting and the community;
5. Have reached his 15th birthday and be enrolled in high school at the time of selection;
6. Submit, along with the application, at least four letters of recommendation and testimony, one each from their religious institution, school, community, and scouting leaders.

To receive an Eagle Scout of the Year application form, contact The American Legion Department of Maine, 5 Verti Drive Winslow, Maine 04901-0727 Tel: (207) 873-3229 or visit www.mainelegion.org. Completed application, with all necessary documentation are due March 27.



THE AMERICAN LEGION HUMANITARIAN AWARD

Criteria: an American Legion Post must endorse Candidates for the Annual Humanitarian Award. Accomplishments of the individual must be over and above his or her usual vocation; in most cases his/her deeds would not be in his/her chosen field of endeavor; but consideration would be given to someone whose activities in his/her field of work was far in excess of what one would expect in that field. Applicants may be male or female, veteran or non-veteran, **Legionnaire or non-Legionnaire**. If there is a very close competition, a veteran should be chosen over a non-veteran, and a Legionnaire over a non-Legionnaire, all other things being equal. A majority vote of the Humanitarian Award Committee will be final.

Procedure: an American Legion Post must endorse Candidates for this Award. Deadline for submission of nominations will be **May 1** of each year.

THE AMERICAN LEGION HUMANITARIAN AWARD

This form must accompany all nominations

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE INFORMATION:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Birth date: _____ Education: _____

Family: _____

Sponsored by Post No. _____ of _____

Resume of activities to be considered for this award: _____

Two letters of support from parties having actual knowledge of the candidate's activities must accompany this form.

This nomination form must be signed by the appropriate Post official and sent to: The American Legion, Department of Maine, 5 Verti Drive, Winslow, ME 04901-0727 by **May 1**. The Humanitarian Award will be presented annually at the Department Convention.

APPROVED: _____
Post official's signature Post No. Date

Please use additional sheets if necessary. This form may be reproduced.



THE AMERICAN LEGION EDUCATOR OF THE YEAR AWARD

Criteria: Candidates for the Educator of the Year Award must be endorsed by an American Legion Post. Accomplishments of the individual must be over and above his or her usual vocation; consideration will be given to someone whose activities in the field of education was far in excess of what one would expect in that field. Applicants may be male or female, veteran or non-veteran, Legionnaire or non-Legionnaire. A majority vote of the Education Committee will be final.

THE AMERICAN LEGION EDUCATION AWARD This form must accompany all nominations

PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE INFORMATION:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Employed by: _____

Address: _____

Tel: _____ Supervisor: _____

Family: _____

Sponsored by Post No. _____ of _____

- Resume of activities to be considered for this award should be attached separately.
- Two letters of support from parties having actual knowledge of the candidates activities must accompany this form.
- Candidates for this Award must be endorsed by an American Legion Post. Send signed nomination to: The American Legion, Department of Maine, 5 Verti Drive, Winslow, ME 04901-0727 by **May 1**. The Education Award will be presented annually at the Department Convention, the third weekend in June.

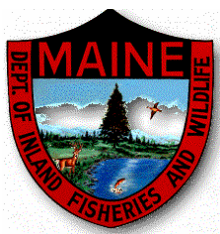
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Post official's signature

Post No.

Date

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**2017
STATE OF MAINE
DISABLED VETERANS'
CONTROLLED MOOSE HUNT
LOTTERY APPLICATION**



Please complete the application and return to Maine Veterans' Services, 117 State House Station, Augusta ME 04333, FAX to (207) 626-4471 or e-mail to mainebvs@maine.gov

Application must be received no later than 4 p.m. on May 3, 2017.

Results will be posted to www.maine.gov/veterans no earlier than May 26, 2017.

(Please print clearly)

NAME: _____
 First Initial Last

ADDRESS: _____

PHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

Maine Resident Disabled Hunting/Fishing License Number: _____

(Copy of License must be submitted with application for lottery)

The Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife has allocated twenty-five (25) moose hunting permits to disabled veterans to participate in the Controlled Moose Hunt in Aroostook County. The majority of these permits will be issued to Maine residents who possess a valid disabled veteran hunting license. Some permits may be issued to sponsored Maine Veterans and will not be drawn at lottery. Also, some permits may be issued to nonresident disabled veterans who possess a valid big game hunting license and are sponsored by a National Veterans Organization. This is a one-time hunt. If you ever tagged a moose in this hunt, you are ineligible to hunt in the DVCMH again.

By my signature, I agree to my name being published on MBVS website if my name is drawn for a permit. I further certify that I am allowed by State of Maine and Federal Law to possess a firearm; and that I have not taken a moose through DVCMH in any previous hunt.

Signature _____

Date _____