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March 2013

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1942....Ivan M. Webster
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1944....Wallace S. Whitlock
1945....Stanley A. Lynch
1946....Louis A. Edwards
1947....Thomas J. Lanagan
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1949....Fred W. Lester
1950...Harvey H. Kenitz
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1953....Andrew S. Blaida
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1963....James R. Hodous
1964....Jerry Kopecky
1965....Earl W. Will
1966....Leonard J. Voss
1967....Gene Kappelman
1968....Alois E. Sheber
1969....Mason Taylor
1970....William Harkness
1971....Earl W. Will
1972....Steven J. Kadlec
1973....Joseph A. Bartels
1974...Zedo Oliver
1975....Herbert Morrison
1976....Chester Kotowski
1977....Ed Knickerbocker
1978....Elmer J. Mears
1979....Dudley E. Smalley
1980....Jens P. Vimtrup

1981....Elmer W. Anderson
1982....Elmer W. Anderson
1983....Frank J. Bulin
1984....George R. Novak
1985....George R. Novak
1986....Bill Johnson
1987....A.E. Sheber
1988....David D. Wisbrock
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1991....Gilbert J. Gawin
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1993....Ken Gallagher
1994....Richard Bernardini
1995....Emery Wolff
1996....Curt McCullagh
1997....Larry Bryant
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1999....John Magic
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Commander's Column

In February we finalized our discussions with Du Page County for a renewal of our rental contract for the traffic court. As most of you know, for the last several years we have had an agreement in place to rent the hall to the county every weekday morning and afternoon, fifty one weeks per year. The arrangement is not lucrative but it does provide reliable rental income and does not otherwise disrupt Post business. The new agreement runs from 2013 to 2018 and provides a stable rental income source which in turn will allow the officers and board of directors to make reliable budget projections each Legion year for at least the next five years. This business arrangement is a positive legacy handed down to the current membership by previous officers and directors. I am personally gratified to have been successful in maintaining this relationship with the county. The process was fairly seamless and the discussions with the county representatives were always cordial. This was an accomplishment for Post 80.

On March 3rd we are going to take the opportunity to honor and to thank a long time member for his decades of service and loyalty to Post 80. Herb Morrison remains a near constant presence at our post. We enjoy his companionship at business meetings, board meetings, 40 & 8 meetings, every Tuesday at bingo, Saturday mornings for coffee, etc . . . At the suggestion of our service officer and adjutant, we've arranged for a Sunday evening dinner and short program and I am hoping it will be well attended. Please save the date and come out to help celebrate Herb's good health and acknowledge all that he has done for the good of the Legion.

On March 23rd we will initiate our new members. The dinner and program is an important event every year. For many of the new members it will be their first Legion function so it will be important to leave a good impression. As always, the menu will include corned beef and cabbage and the bar will be fully staffed. If you will be a new initiate, this is a worthwhile event. If you are an 'old' member, come out and meet the new guys and enjoy the evening.

Winter is nearly at an end! Keep warm and stay positive.

Todd Hanson
Commander

WHEELCHAIRS, WALKERS & CRUTCHES

Post 80 lends out wheel chairs, walkers and crutches to anyone that may need them. For more information, call Rich Jones at 630-964-2434.

Anyone who has borrowed a wheelchair, walker, or crutches and no longer needs them, please return them to Post 80 so they may be available for other veterans.

Are you moving?

We hate to have you miss the next LEGION-AIRE Newsletter!

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Auxiliary News – March 2013

Honoring Auxiliary Members:

At the Auxiliary Unit 80 Regular meeting on February 11th, we draped our Charter to recognize the loss of three Auxiliary members: Lucille Bryant, Carol Cermak and Martha Schwendemann. Shortly before the ceremony, we also learned of the death of Helen Pulaski. We extend our ***condolences to all of their family and friends.***

Americanism Essay Contest — Awards Ceremony

The winning participants in this year's Americanism Essay Contest will be invited to an Awards ceremony following the Unit's regular meeting on March 11th. Americanism Chair, Karen Greenwald has asked Unit members to bring cookies or light snacks for the students and parents who will be our guests.

The Nominating Committee has been selected:

Arlene Guest, Joey Klingbiel, Gail McCormack, Kim Cruz and Julie Isenberger.

March 2013 - Scheduled Auxiliary Meetings:

- **Gold Star Meeting, 11th District, at Lockport Post #18, Saturday, March 2, 2013**
- **2nd Div Poppy Meeting, at Rock Falls American Legion, 712 4th Avenue, March 10 at 10 am**
- **2nd Div Auxiliary Meeting, at Rock Falls American Legion, 712 4th Avenue, March 10 at 1 pm**
- **Unit 80 Auxiliary Regular Meeting – March 11, 2013 at 7 pm**
- **Patriotic Conference March 15 in Bloomington, IL, 9 am to 3 pm**
- **Auxiliary Poker Tournament – March 16, 2013**
- **Spring Fundraiser Planning Meeting, Wednesday, March 27 at Post, 6 pm**
- **Spring Fundraiser – May 5, 2013**

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90th Birthday Time Capsule – Panama

December 20, 1989 to January 31, 1990

Bonnie Wisbrock served as President of Unit 80 a total of ten times! In 1990, the National Auxiliary celebrated its 70th year. The Family Support Network assisted families of U.S. troops in the Persian Gulf. The American Legion Eligibility dates were expanded to include veterans of Grenada, Lebanon and Panama. At the local level, Unit 80 was busy manning the Bingo kitchen on Tuesday nights, our primary revenue source. The funds earned helped us to maintain our activities with hospitalized and veterans in local nursing homes.

We also recognized the need for our Community Service activities to include assistance to the growing number of homeless veterans within DuPage County, working with FISH, PADS and Little Friends. We provided mittens, warm socks, scarves and hats to the local PADS units. We have also provided additional support to local and state Special Olympics programs.

Even though our focus would turn sharply to aiding our active military and their families, Unit 80 has been a constant friend to our World War II, Korean War and Vietnam War veterans. We continue to serve those that are now confined to hospitals and nursing homes in our area. It is a delight to be able to bring them Holiday remembrances throughout the year as well as to get them out for pizza parties at the Post or breakfast at IHOP. And Unit 80 continued to expand the number of girls sent to Illinois Girls State each year as well as regularly contributing to Community Service programs and projects in Downers Grove and DuPage Cty.

Respectfully submitted,
Rosemary Collins

March 23rd

Initiation / Recognition of New Members

Initiation / Recognition will be held on March 23rd.Come and meet our new members, as well as other Legionaires. Cocktails will be served at 5:00 p.m. (cash bar), with dinner at 6:00 p.m., and the Initiation Program at 7:30 p.m. or sooner. If you are a new member, have transferred from another Post, or have never taken the American Legion oath, you should be in attendance. We have a very impressive program for our new members and their spouses. There will be a $5.00 donation per person to offset the cost of dinner. There will be no charge for new initiates and their spouses. **SEE YOU AT THE POST ON MARCH 23rd.**

Please RSVP by March 16th to Dondi Nueva, Sr.-Vice Commander with a $5.00 donation per person.

Dondi can be reached by e-mail at (dsquaredinc1@aol.com

Name:_____ Number of People:_____

Amount:_____

---------- **MARCH IS A BUSY MONTH!** ----------

ON MARCH 10th

Remember to change your

Clocks Forward

For Daylight Savings Time

happy easter!

march 31

FEBRUARY'S FRIDAY NIGHT FUN!...*and oh boy, did we have fun!!!!*

Mike Valentine sings to birthday girl, Sharon Trumble.

Ginger is doing her Cher tribute with Past Comander Rich Greenwald

Mike Valentine doing his Elvis tribute singing to Aux Past President, Karen Greenwald.

ATTENTION BASEBALL FANS

I have made our reservations with the Kane County Cougars for **May 29th**. It's a **Sunday evening** game that starts at **6PM**. The ticket prices are **still $12 each** for reserved seats at our favorite spot at home plate on the third base line.

The bus will pick us up at **4:30 PM** at the Post and return us after the game.

The bus fare has risen again and including gratutuity will be $11/person. The total ticket cost will be **$23**.

The absolute drop-dead date to purchase tickets is April 18th.

Please make checks payable to **American Legion Post 80** for **$30 per person,** which includes the **cost of transportation**.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Number of people:_____ x **$23.00** = _____ (Total)

Rich Greenwald (630-418-5372)
Commander

VOLUNTEER HELP NEEDED FOR POWER POKER

SATURDAY, March 16, 2013

Your time supports the Legion Family

Contact Bill Dawson (630) 434-4359

or e-mail b_dawson@att.net

Other shifts also available:

4 Hour Shifts: 1-5pm, 5-9pm, 9-1am

Mar. 16 .... Team 1 **Apr. 6 ..... Team 2**

Veterans Memorial Scholarship for 2013

This is the 38th year of our memorial college scholarship program. Eligible participants are children and grandchildren of Post members who will be entering or continuing their college education, Fall 2013. Applicants must be less than 23 years of age. For applications, see our Post 80 Bulletin Board or contact Bill Downing, Post Adjutant at 630-968-9710.

Scholarship forms must be received by April 1, 2013 to be eligible.

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American Legion Riders

American Legion Riders – Chapter 80 – March 2013 Update

Legion Rider Fish Fry at Post 80 – Friday March 22
Come join the good food and fun with the Legion Riders at the Fish Fry on Friday, March 22nd at American Legion Post 80 from 5 to 9 pm. Bring the family for a quick easy Lenten dinner. Tickets are $10/adults and $5 for children.

COME JOIN US FOR THE FUN, SERVICE TO VETERANS AND THE RIDES!!
Legion Riders – Chapter 80 meets monthly on the second Saturday of each month at 10 am in the Post 80 Library. **The next Legion Rider meeting will be on March 9, 2013.**

Legion Rider – Chapter 80 – 2013 Fund Raising Events

4/20	**Legion Rider Spaghetti Fest at Post 80**
9/14	**Post 80 Joint Rib Fest**
10/19	**Legion Rider – Candlelight Charity Bowl – Lemont IL**

Legion Rider – Chapter 80 – 2013 Ride Events

5/18	**Wheel Chair Olympics at Hines VA**
6/15	**Freedom Run to Mid East Conflict Wall – Marseilles, IL**
7/20	**Rockin for the Troops – OSOTIL – Cantigny, IL**
7/21	**Picnic for Hines VA Vets at Post 80**
8/16-18	**Mississippi Valley Group Ride**
9/28	**Corn Fest Parade – Morris IL**
11/3	**Veteran's Day Parade – Utica, IL**

Check the Post 80 Newsletter and website for updates to the schedule.

Legion Rider membership requires membership or affiliation with the American Legion and ownership of a 350cc or larger motorcycle. Please check the Post 80 web site and Legion Rider page for updates to our 2013 Chapter meetings, events and Ride dates. http://www.post80.org/ Please check with Steve Collins, Director (630 674 5077), John Pavich, Treasurer (630 541 5710) or Norma Border, Secretary, (630 971 1438) to confirm meeting locations for any given month.

American Legion Riders

(Post 80)

Spaghetti Dinner

Saturday, April 20, 2013

Time: 1:00 ~ 7:00

At

Alexander Bradley Burns Post 80

4000 Saratoga Avenue • Downers Grove

Dinner Tickets ~$7.00 for adults

Children - (5-10 yrs. ~ $3.00)

Under 5 years ~ free

The proceeds help sponsor Veterans causes and Legion Riders.

Veterans Helping Veterans

Save the Date

Tickets sold at door

DD 214 REQUESTS

If you are in need of your **DD 214** go to the following website:

www.archives.gov/veterans/military-service-records

Then go to Start your Military Service Record (DD Form 214) Request and follow the prompts and fill in the required information. It also has you print a signature sheet that you have to mail to them. When they receive the signature paper, they will send you an email confirming that they received it. Then in about 10 days, you'll receive 2 certified copies of your DD 214 and copies of your discharge orders.

It's really easy and it only costs you the price of a postage stamp and an envelope.

Your Service Officer.

Herb Morrison Appreciation Dinner

Sunday March 3, 2013 at the Post.

5:00 P.M.

Free admission

Cash bar at Legion prices.

Come help us celebrate the good health of Herb Morrison and say thanks for all his years of service and dedication to the Post.

Please RSVP to Rich Jones at 630-964-2434 by Feb. 22, 2013

YOUR 2013 ANNUAL DUES ARE DUE NOW!

Let's keep Post 80 #1 with continued strong membership.

Any questions, call 630-968-9710.
Bill Downing, Adjutant

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FOOD FOR THOUGHT

Standing: Bill Downing, Nick Brescia. Seated: Hines Veteran. Background Right: Rich Jones

On January 23, 2013, Post 80 members Nick Brescia, Bill Downing, Rich Jones and Bob Grember attended a special theme luncheon at Edward Hines Jr. Veterans Hospital.

The theme of the luncheon (Super Hero) and meal were planned by the Dietitian Intern. The luncheon was held in the Community Living Center of Building One.

The luncheon was attended by approximately 70 veterans who are permanently disabled. The food was plenty, conversation was abundant, friendships were made and the *Real* Super Hero is ***the Veteran!***

Seated: Hines Veteran. Standing: Bob Grember

Friday Night Fun!

Learn how to dance like the "stars"!

Whether you already know how to dance or can't tell your left foot from your right, join us to learn some "smooth moves"... Ballroom Style Dancing taught by Ann Garvey of Celebrity Dance Studio.

Friday, March 8th

Open to Legion members and their Family & Friends.

Pizza slices from Papa Passero's will be for sale.

Bar opens at 6:00 and pizza will be there at 6:30.

Special bar prices....

THOUGHT<>OF<>THE<>MONTH:

How well does cold water clean?

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A man went to visit his 90 year old grandfather in a secluded, rural area of the state. After spending the night, his grandfather prepare breakfast for him consisting of eggs & bacon. He noticed a film-like substance on his plate and he questioned his grandfather..."Are these plates clean?" His grandfather replied... "Those plates are as clean as cold water can clean them so go on and finish your meal."

That afternoon, while eating the hamburgers made for his lunch, again by his grandfather, he noticed tiny specks of a substance around the edge of his plate that looked a lot like egg yokes....So he asked again ... "Are you sure these plates are clean?" Without looking up from his hamburger his grandfather said .."I told you before those dishes are as clean as cold water can get them, now don't ask me about it anymore!"

Later that afternoon, he was on his way out to get dinner in a nearby town. As he was leaving, grandfather's dog started to growl and would not let him pass.... "Grandfather, your dog won't let me out." Without diverting his attention from the football game he was watching, grandfather shouted" COLDWATER, GET OUT OF THE WAY!!!"

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Tickets: LEORA N. & ROSEMARY C.

3/12 Kitchen: KAREN G., NANCY C. DEE H. & GLORIA P.
Tickets: RADIKA J. & PAM Q.

3/19 Kitchen: KIM C., JULIE I. & CHARLOTTE U.
Tickets: EVELYN F. & ELEANOR R.

3/26 Kitchen: ARLENE G., MARGE P., & ROSEMARY C.
Tickets: JANE B. & PAT M.

Hostesses for March 11 meeting:
Karen G., Marge P. & Bev P.

March 2013

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURDSAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1	2 Coffee Donuts & Conversation 8:30 am
3 HERB MORRISON Appreciation Dinner 5 pm	4	5 Bingo 6:30 pm Doors Open 4:30 pm	6 Business Meeting 7:30 pm	7	8 FRIDAY NIGHT FUN! 6 pm	9 CDC 8:30 am Legion Riders 10 am
10 *Daylight Savings*	11 Auxiliary Meeting 7:00 pm	12 Bingo 6:30 pm Doors Open 4:30 pm	13 County Meeting Wood Dale Post 1205	14	15	16 CDC 8:30 am POWER POKER 1pm-1 am
17 *St. Patrick's Day*	18	19 Bingo 6:30 pm Doors Open 4:30 pm	20 *First Day of Spring*	21	22 FISH FRY 6 pm	23 CDC 8:30 am New Member Initiation 5 pm
24	25	26 Bingo 6:30 pm Doors Open 4:30 pm	27	28	29 *Good Friday*	30 Coffee Donuts & Conversation 8:30 am
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ELIGIBILITY DATES

WORLD WAR I *APRIL 6, 1917 - NOVEMBER 11, 1918* ● **VIETNAM** *FEBRUARY 28, 1961 - MAY 7, 1975* **WORLD WAR II** *DECEMBER 7, 1941 - DECEMBER 31, 1946* ● **OPER. JUST CAUSE IN PANAMA** *DECEMBER 20, 1989 - JAN. 31, 1990* ● **KOREAN WAR** *JUNE 25, 1950 - JANUARY 31, 1955* **GRANADA & LEBANON** *AUGUST 24, 1982 - JULY 31, 1984* ● **PERSIAN GULF** *AUGUST 2, 1990 - cessation of hostilities*