



THE LAKE REGIONNAIRE

FOR GOD AND COUNTRY

The AMERICAN LEGION LAKE REGION POST 703

Fox Lake, Illinois 60020

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COMMANDERS CORNER

Greetings Legion Family,

Well it's been a Fun, Challenging and Educational tenure as your Commander and all the other positions I've held over the past 7+ years. I wish to thank each and every one of you for your support, guidance, friendship and at times tolerance.

I will continue to participate and support our Legion Family. This will be done as your Service Officer, and Legion Rider Director.

Now, I wish to Announce, Welcome and congratulate our new American Legion Post 703 Officers:

Commander, Kelly Herden
Sr Vice Cdr, Sandy Fedderly
JR Vice Cdr, Joe Dehn
SGT at Arms, Ron Guidry
Chaplain, Jerry Kandziorski
Finance Officer, Chuck Class
Congratulations and best of luck to each and every one of them...

And so with yet another holiday upon us, I wish to stress the use of extra precautionary safety in cookouts, campfires, use of fireworks, swimming pools, water sports, and over-all good times. Remember to keep the heat and sun in mind when planning any outdoor activities. It doesn't take much of a combination of heat and activity to cause either heat or sun exhaustion or both. Stay hydrated with plenty of water, or fruit high in liquid contents, plenty of breaks from activities to include water sports. Also remember the safety of leaving children or pets unattended in your vehicles, DON'T DO IT!!!

Hope everyone does have a safe n enjoyable 4th of July...

For God n Country
Bob Gabriel
Cdr, AL Post 703

AUXILIARY NEWS

Happy 4th of July to everyone!!

Sadly our Parade was canceled as the summer heat has finally found us.

Congratulations to the new Lake Region Post Officers;

**Commander- Kelly Herden,
Sr. Vice- Commander- Sandy Fedderly,
Jr. Vice-Commander- Joe Dehn,
Finance- Chuck Class,
Chaplain – Jerry Kandorski
Sgt.@ Arms – Ron Guidry.**

The Auxiliary wishes you a GREAT year and looks forward to working with you.

There will be no July Meeting. We will meet August 13 @ 6:30. Social time is at 6pm. The Legion Picnic is on Sunday, 11 AM. August 12th... This is open to all Legion family that is in Good-Standing. Membership Chairman will be there for you to pay your dues for the 2018-19 year at that time. Our next Fishing Day is August 17th. Please contact Jackie L. if you are able to help or cook.

This is my last newsletter to you as Unit President, next month Cathy will be keeping you in the know of what will be happening in the Auxiliary. Thank you for 3 wonderful years.

For God, Country and our Veterans,
Ginger Johnson
Unit 703 President

SAL NEWS

Greetings Legion Family,

Tickets for our first gun raffle will be on sale very soon. We are raffling off 2 handguns. We will be selling 300 tickets at \$10 each. The drawing will be held in the bar on July 7th. All proceeds will go to support Legion programs and the veterans.

Lastly, if you haven't paid your 2018 dues, please do so ASAP. We are currently over 100%, but have many members that have not yet paid.

For God and Country,
Jeff Haddick, Commander Squadron 703

Note from Editor

Please provide newsletter information to me (by email only) before the **4th Friday** of each month. Your emails should be forwarded to mstelter@aol.com. Thank you in advance for your support. Bob Stelter

Did you know?

Did you know that our post 703 has an official Email address? financegurus703@live.com Send us an email with your questions or requests.

Submitted by
Jerry Kandziorski
Chaplain

Drop Zone Bar Upcoming Events

Greetings Legion Family,

Fun event for the month of July happening in the Drop Zone bar are listed below:

July 7th **Joe Kedlec** Live music in the bar from 3 pm to 6 pm

July 7th **Mini Gun Raffle**

July 28th **Cub Scouts Car Wash** @ the Post from 9:00 am till 1:00 pm. Come out and support our scouts and leave with a clean vehicle!

Robin Janisch
Bar Manager

Thank you Corner

I would like to extend a big Thank you to all of the outgoing officers for their service at the Post as officers. The rewards are endless and usually personal with lifetime memories being made. To the incoming officers you have a wealth of wisdom and experience with any past officer and it has been my experience they are always willing to help. All you have to do is reach out to them. Congratulations! We send you all best wishes on your new adventure within the Post. You got this!!!!

Submitted by
Bob and Marge Stelter

Ha Ha Corner

A frog goes into a bank and approaches the teller. He can see from her nameplate that her name is Patty Whack. "Miss Whack, I'd like to get a \$30,000 loan to take a holiday."

Patty looks at the frog in disbelief and asks his name. The frog says his name is Kermit Jagger, his dad is Mick Jagger, and that it's okay, he knows the bank manager. Patty explains that he will need to secure the loan with some collateral. The frog says, "Sure. I have this," and produces a tiny porcelain elephant, about an inch tall, bright pink and perfectly formed. Very confused, Patty explains that she'll have to consult with the bank manager and disappears into a back office.

She finds the manager and says, "There's a frog called Kermit Jagger out there who claims to know you and wants to borrow \$30,000, and he wants to use this as collateral." She holds up the tiny pink elephant. "I mean, what in the world is this?"

(You're gonna love this.) The bank manager looks back at her and says, "It's a knickknack, Patty Whack. Give the frog a loan. His old man's a Rolling Stone." (You sang it, didn't you? Yeah, I know you did.)

Never take life too seriously

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2	SAL Meeting	7:00 PM
9	NO Ladies Auxiliary Meeting	6:30 PM
11	Executive Board Meeting	7:00 PM
16	Legion Riders Meeting	7:00 PM
25	General Membership Meeting	7:00 PM

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6	SAL Meeting	7:00 PM
13	Ladies Auxiliary	6:30 PM
8	Executive Board Meeting	7:00 PM
20	Legion Riders Meeting	7:00 PM
22	General Membership Meeting	7:00 PM

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