



SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2010 NEWSLETTER

AMERICAN LEGION COTTREALL-WARNER, POST 942

As the new Legion year begins I am honored to be your new Post Commander. I would like to thank my predecessor for his dedicated service and outstanding performance.

By now you've received your 2011 membership renewal notices. Please send them in if you haven't already done so. As of this writing we've reached 67% renewed, a great start! Our goal is 100% by December 15. Our goal this year is ~530 members, so far we have 361 renewals. *If you paid your 2011 dues and get another renewal notice from national HQ, please disregard it.* Paying early save the Legion money by HQ not having to send out renewal notices and helps to keep your dues from increasing,

If you are sick or hospitalize please let us know, call your Service Officer/Chaplain Mel Ott (872-3608). Also if a Legion Family member (Legionnaire/Auxiliary/SAL) dies, please let Mel know.

Our Cottreall-Warner Legion Baseball team performed well again this year; we got knocked out at the 7th District playoff.

Our Soap Box Derby drivers made it to the World Championship Finals in Akron, Ohio. Davey Bartocci did well until he had to run against his teammate Ricky Desens, one of them had to win and Ricky did; he went on to win the "World" Rally Stock Championship. Both driver did an awesome job and will be racing again for our Post this coming season; which begins now!

Monroe County's first American Legion Day Parade to be held here in Webster (Dress code: Black slacks and shoes and white shirt; **Blue Caps Only**). Parade begins at Phillips / Ridge Roads, assembly at 9:00 a.m.; step off at 9:30. Rides available for those that require them; the parade ends at the Village Veterans Park. A 9-11 Patriots Day service will follow at 11:00 a.m. at the Park.

Please refer to the "Coming Events" list at the end of this newsletter. Please try to attend the Post meetings, we always have important business to discuss and we need the Membership's input and action.

For God and Country, Richard Nevinkas, Post Commander



AUXILIARY UNIT 942

Dear Auxiliary Members;

I would like to welcome everyone back this year and especially all our new members. Meetings start 7pm 3rd Thursday of the Month.

Friday Oct. 29th 2010 6pm \$10.00 a person Auxiliary Hosting a Halloween Party bring a fun hat or mask-costumes are optional This party is to have fun, eat, win a prize. Halloween Party will replace Harvest Dinner this year.

Due to a printing error from National, renewal membership dues are incorrect. They remain at \$15.00/Sr and \$8.00/Jr; any questions call Sandy Carnevale 265-3667.

Bingo at Monroe Community Hospital starts 3rd Monday of the month for Sept., Oct., & Nov. Meet in post parking lot 6pm.

Fall Conference will be held Friday, Sept. 17 at the Radisson on Jefferson Rd. Registration is \$3 for Conference \$15 Breakfast. Contact me at 872-2416 if interested in attending.

Please continue to collect Education labels, box tops and can pull-tabs for Dialysis. These can be turned in at the post.

Some members may not be aware that our very own "Poppy Lady", June Revelle died August 8 2010.

Thanks, Your President,

Sharyn Butwid



SONS OF THE LEGION SQUADRON 942

I hope everyone had a safe and happy summer.

Our first regular meeting will be Sept. 9th, 7:00 p.m. On the agenda for discussion will be activities and projects for the coming year. Committees will also be assigned. This is an important meeting and members are urged to attend.

Congratulations to our Post 942 sponsored Soap Box Derby drivers Ricky Desens and Davey Schaum-Bartocci. Ricky, one of our SAL members, won over Davey in the semi-finals and went on to finish World Champion at the Soap Box Derby Nationals. The new 20-20 Club has started. Numbers are still available. Check at the club for available numbers.

Our 2011 membership cards are in! Please renew your dues early. A dues reminder notice was sent out to everyone. Your sons are eligible to join!

Monroe County American Legion Day Parade

SAL Members are needed to participate in the upcoming parade on Sept. 11th, 9:00 AM. See Commander Nevinskas' article for details. Dress code is Black slacks and shoes and white shirt.

Gun Raffle

We will be having a 21 Gun Raffle on Saturday, Sept. 11, 2010, 12:30 to 4:00 PM here at our Post Home. Hots, Hamburger and Beer, Door Prizes, 50-50 drawings and other Prize raffles Tickets \$10.00. Ticket required to enter and must be 21 or over. Tickets available now at the Post Home and at the door.

For the good of the Legion Family

Dick Hogestyn, Sq. Commander

COMING EVENTS:

- Sept. 9th Legion ad SAL Meetings**
- Sept. 11th American Legion Day Parade in Webster 9:00 Phillips Rd**
- Sept. 11th Patriots Day 11:00 a.m. Veterans Memorial Park**
- Sept. 16th Auxiliary Meeting and the official Legion Anniversary**
- Oct. 14th Legion and SAL meetings**
- Oct. 21st Auxiliary Meeting**
- Oct. TBD Early Bird Dinner (yearly calendar not completed)**



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