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Commander's Column

Comrades and Legion Family,

Happy Early St Patrick's Day to our Legion Family, I. am looking forward to warmer weather and being able to get back outside.

See the calendar, we have a lot of events coming up this month. This is to include our SAL corn beef and cabbage on Saturday March 15th. We have brought back Saturday night dinners, so stop by for some good food and camaraderie, and if you would like to help in the kitchen, contact Bruce and you can be scheduled.

We need people to gamble down in Atlantic City, get on the Bus that AL Lopez coordinates and try to win some money, if we do not fill the bus soon, we might lose it... Next trip is on March 10th. I look forward to seeing you all at Friday Bingo on March 21st as well, see Glenn for more info.

We are doing great on membership this year. Let us keep pushing forward and move towards 100%.

Finally, I would like to end this article. Thanking the Color Guard for marching in the cold during Belmar Saint Paddy's Day parade and representing the American Legion. Excellent iob.

For God and country, Commander Wil

We Salute Our Fallen Comrades

Post 346 2023-24 Fallen Comrades

We Wish You Godspeed our Brothers

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ATLANTIC CITY BUS TRIPS

Gerald Vannote

2nd Monday of the Month, \$45 with \$20 Casino Credit.

The bus departs Post 346 Parking Lot at 9:00 am Departs Atlantic City to return at 4:00 pm Arriving back at the Post 346 Parking Lot at 6:00 pm.

Call Al Lopez for Reservations and full schedule (732) 988-2465

POST 346 NEWS AND INFO

Hello Legion Members,

Say hello to the upcoming springtime. Please review all the planned activities for this month and future months. There are always flyers posted in the lounge about the most recently added events. The Legion family has a lot coming up.

Our Monthly Bingo night is ongoing, the third Friday of the month. The bus trip to Atlantic City is still ongoing and Al is looking to reduce the cost back to \$40.

Any specific topics that need to be posted can be emailed to me at: ALPost346.editor@gmail.com

Thanks, James

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Please be sure to visit the Post for a Saturday Dinner.

March 12 - SAL Meeting 7:00 pm

March 13 - Post Meeting 7:00 pm

March 20 - Unit 346 Meeting 7:00 pm

March 21 - Lounge Bingo 6:00 pm

April 4 - Color Guard Meeting 7:00 pm

April 8 - SAL Meeting 7:00 pm

April 10 - Post Meeting 7:00 pm

April 14 - Atlantic City Bus Trip 9:00 am [\$45]

April 17 - Unit 346 Meeting 7:00 pm

April 18 - Lounge Bingo 6:00 pm

May 5 - Color Guard Meeting 7:00 pm

May 9 - Atlantic City Bus Trip 9:00 am [\$45]

May 11 - SAL Meeting 7:00 pm

May 12 - Post Meeting 7:00 pm

May 19 - Unit 346 Meeting 7:00 pm

May 20 - Lounge Bingo 6:00 pm

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COLOR GUARD

Our Post's Color Guard is looking for new members.

This an integral part of the services provided by the Post.

Please reach out to a member if interested.

Auxiliary Unit 346

Here are the latest auxiliary dates and events. Wishing everyone a good month.

March 16, 2 to 5 PM, Soldier-On in Tinton Falls for bingo and food with the veterans that live there. Any members are always welcome to help.

March 29, 5 to 7 PM, upstairs, the auxiliary is having a ziti dinner. The price is \$12 per person and there will be to go meals available if needed. The meal will be salad, bread, ziti with meatballs, or sausage and peppers. We will also be having a bake sale at this event. We do need donations of bread, salad, meatballs, and pans of ziti. Please feel free to contact me at 732-267-3496 if you would like to donate any of this to us. Any food items/bake sale items need to be dropped off that day at 3 pm upstairs. Please have the pans of ziti, ready to be baked in the oven when dropping them off. We are setting up the room at 3:30 PM. Tickets can be purchased by calling Doreen at 732-685-9541. Bake sale items can be coordinated with Mary Jane at 848-246-9860. Any members wishing to help out and serve the food can contact Michele at 732-455-5510.

There will only be one meeting during the month of May, which will be May 1 at 7 PM. This meeting will also have the initiation of new members. More information to follow on this. May 19 to May 26 will be poppy distribution at ShopRite in Belmar on route 35. Mary Jane will have signups in early April for any auxiliary members that would like to help out with this. More information to follow on this.

Amanda Trail, President Unit 346

From the S.A.L. Sqd. 346

Grave Decoration time is almost upon us. We are looking to assemble crews to place Veteran flags in six local cemeteries in time for Memorial Day. These cemeteries include Hamilton, Mount Prospect, and St. George Greek in Neptune, Wayside in Ocean Twp., and Glendola and St. Anne in Wall Twp. The schedule is planned for Sat & Sun, May 10-11. We will meet at Post 346 at 9 am both days. Please let us know if you would like to help. Spend an hour or two outside with us. Email your info to sal346neptune@gmail.com. Need community service hours for school, Scouts, ROTC, nonprofit groups? A perfect opportunity.

Tom Romano's Trivia Dept: What was the first German city to fall to the Allies in WW2? Aachen, in Oct 1944, by the 26th Inf Reg of the 1st Inf Reg.

This month's Trivia: What did General "Black Jack" Pershing say when asked when the Yanks would be going home in WW1? Answer next month.

Thanks for your help when we need it, and for your renewal of dues.

Our next meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 12. Same time, same place.

Gary S. Crawford PC Commander SAL Squadron 346