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My Fellow Legionnaires;

As we enter the cool days of October it is the time to think of what you're going to do to improve your Membership. You are very fortunate in the Department to have tools to help you. Learning and Leadership has already done a round table training in the 6<sup>th</sup> District that was a success. We are looking for other Posts and Districts to step up to the plate to ask for training on subjects that you may be interested in. Such as; Programs, How to Run a Meeting and By-Laws and how they affect your Post or Districts. Membership taskforce is willing and able to assist you with membership issues, train on how to use My-Legion to better your program and Electronic Media to familiarize your Posts to Social Media.

There are many changes happening this year in the Department of Connecticut on how we handle our business. A more stream line, more efficient and less complicated way to deal with issues and day to day business. We are working on a flow chart to show how the Department works. Also, by now you already know that the Department Bulletin will not be mailed, it will be all be sent electronically, posted on our APP and web page. Why you ask, because it is a great cost saving that we need because of decreased Membership.

Of course our membership numbers look good now, but we all know what will happen in the next few months. What are you going to do to stop that slide that we are going have after January as history shows we have every year. I had a conversation with part of the Membership Team at Post 76, they already have been proactive. They had a list of Veterans from the lists available and were going to go door knocking at 48 homes.

Thumbs Up to them!!

Our first Female National Commander Denise H Rohan will be in State Oct. 16-18. I would hope if you have the chance to meet her you will, the itinerary will be in the bulletin. Her theme this year is family first, which is your family and your Legion Family of brothers and sisters. WHO IS GOING TO FILL OUR SHOES, WHO IS GOING TO CARRY THE LEGACY FORWARD

For God and Country

Edward A DeGumbia

The American Legion
Department of Connecticut
2017-2018 Commander

# MEMBERSHIP

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#### My Fellow Legionnaires:

As is usually the case at this time in the American Legion membership year, September was a volatile month in terms of numbers for the National Organization. As of our target date of 50% on September 13th, the Department of CT was ranked 35th nationally and 9th in the Northeast Region. On September 22nd we jumped up to 19th nationally and 5th in the Northeast Region. That's a bit more like it! It also puts us a bit ahead of last year at this time and that's what we're looking for. Thanks much for the hard work!

As a Department we met our September goal. Six Districts achieved at least 50% and one district was just a "whisker" short of 50%. As of this writing, we have already reached our October goal of 55% as a Department. Again, Thanks much and keep up the good work. A real test will come on November 15th when our target goal will be 65%. I know team CT can do it! Please keep your eyes on our membership target dates. You know what happens when we achieve our target date goals. We achieve 100% membership!!

A major concern we have is that there are 24 posts in the Department that have yet to submit a membership transmittal for this year and we're just about three months in. This situation drags down the entire Department. I'm sure those posts have renewals to process at Department. Please, get them in now! If leadership changes, illnesses, summer vacations, or some other reason is the cause why no transmittal has been submitted, please let us know. We can send a team into any post and help work membership. Posts need only to ask. Otherwise, the District and I may just land up on the doorstep!

I'd like to give a special "Shout out" to Prospect Post 194 for being the first quota post in the Department. Another shout out to Bridgeport Post 177 for also achieving quota post status. That's great work and it's sincerely appreciated! We also have posts well on their way to achieving quota post status and that's great as well. Thanks again!

Please remember: "The Future Is Now."

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#### **Middlesex Chamber of Commerce**

The American Legion Department of Connecticut is a member of the Middlesex Chamber of Commerce. The Chamber's annual *Support the Troops & Honor the Veterans* Member Breakfast Meeting will be on Monday, November 6<sup>th</sup> starting at 7:45 AM (arrive early). This event is at the Crown Plaza Hotel in Cromwell. Cost is only \$22 (member rate). The featured speaker this year is Colonel Christopher Beckert, Director at Center for Strategic Leadership, U.S. Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, PA. Please find the flyer in this Bulletin and register right away. Let's have a tremendous show of support with a large turnout of Legionnaires.

#### Post Officers Lists & Committee Forms and National CDR/ADJ Form

These are extremely important for HQ & Department Leadership so that we know who to contact at each post or the National Form for each Post Commander & Adjutant. We also need to know who the authorized officers are for approval of blank ammo acquisition and access to MyLegion.org. As of 9/29, we have NOT received one or both of the Department Forms from the following Posts.

**1st District:** 2, 23, 32, 33, 36, 53, 59, 68, 77, 84, 90, 122, 123, 131, 142,182. **2nd District:** 1, 10, 24, 71, 79, 83, 132, 135, 150, 174, 194. **3rd District:** 11, 12, 29, 30, 42, 60, 63, 78, 86,134, 143, 202, 207. **4th District:** 21, 52, 95, 101, 106, 111, 203. **5th District:** 4, 41, 54, 58, 85, 112, 114, 128, 138, 152, 180. **6th District:** 38, 43, 44, 44, 46, 70, 87, 137, 146, 153, 155, 159, 173. **7th District:** 18, 64, 69,105, 113, 184, 192.

#### <u>Auxiliary</u>

Add support for the ALA Christmas shops to your calendars. Rocky Hill: Set-up Fri. 11/24; Shop Sat. 11/25 – Mon. 11/27; and West Haven: Set-up, Sat. 12/02; Shop, 12/03 – 12/05. Legion help is especially needed to do the 'heavy lifting' for the set-ups and closings. Expect to find a Volunteer Sign-up form in next month's Bulletin. Also, I know the ALA would appreciate any help obtaining appropriate merchandise for this massive project. And cash donations are always welcome! Call ALA VA&R Chair Lydia DeGumbia, 860-621-7068.

#### Resolution No. 37, May 1988

Please take note of National Resolution # 37 from May, 1988, "Reaffirmation of The American Legion Policy Concerning Affiliation With Other Organizations" which is sent to Department HQ every year at this time and is included in this Bulletin as a reminder to all Posts and leaders here in Connecticut.

#### **Mid-Winter Conference**

Plans are underway for our 42<sup>nd</sup> Mid-Winter Conference. Plan now to treat your officers and 'up and coming members' to the Mid-Winter Conference at the Trumbull Marriott, on January 26-28, 2018. An Advanced registration form will be in the November Bulletin (as well as distributed via email). The Saturday evening banquet will include the eleventh class of inductees to the Department of Connecticut Legionnaire Hall of Fame and the Hall of Fame Plaque will once again be on display. As always, we have invited the Liquor Control Commission back for Friday evening (6:30). Posts with "lounges" are well advised to send their permittees and staff to this session. Come and ask questions regarding the laws applicable to your post Bar. We will request an official visit by National Vice-Commander Larry J. Marcouillier of Delaware. Keep your eyes open for more details as they are confirmed!

#### Legionnaire Insurance Trust (LIT)

A special note from Department Insurance Director Chuck Berry: The American Legion Department of Connecticut officially endorsed insurance program is "The Legionnaire Insurance Trust" (L.I.T). L.I.T. offers special plans and rates on a variety of products. They may be contacted via their web site: <a href="http://www.thelit.com">http://www.thelit.com</a> or by calling 1-800-235-6943, ext. 1617. Products are administered by Association Group Insurance Administrators (AGIA). If you would like a post visitation by Trustee Chuck Berry, please contact him at <a href="mailto:comcast.net">cberry1@comcast.net</a> or 203-715-2330. Please also remember that USAA is the officially endorsed provider of Financial Services, to include highly regarded Auto & Homeowners insurance.

#### Post Membership Credit/Debit Notifications

To all posts, you should have received your credit/debit letter by now. All the posts with a credit please use this during your next few transmittal's until it is used up we are not a bank and do not have the time to consistently monitor your money.

To all posts with a debt, from here on out we will not process your membership if you do not send a check with your transmittal. We are not a bank and cannot continue to carry a negative balance as we rely on membership dues as the main source of income for the Department to pay our bills and if you're not submitting the correct amount that means we are operating at a deficit which makes it very difficult to pay our bills. PLEASE HELP US HELP YOU AND SEND IN THE CORRECT AMOUNT WITH YOUR TRANSMITTALS.

#### Post Leadership Conference

This year's Department Leadership Conference has been cancelled as we are planning several training sessions at the Mid-Winter Conference this year that will eliminate the need for this. If you feel that this is still beneficial and should be taught earlier, possibly after Department Convention please let us know.

#### Department Potpourri

Department Commander **Ed DeGumbia** will be at the Commanders' & Adjutants' Conference (along with Dept. ADJ) 10/6-10/12, therefore SVC **Tom Flowers** will be acting CDR. Also attending the Fall Conference: National Americanism Chair **Richard Anderson**; NEC **Joe Jackson**; Alt. NEC **Bob Murray**; Finance Comm. member **Jack Monahan**; Past Nat'l Historian **Frazier Brinley**; Legion Magazine **Roger Anderson**; PDC **James LaCoursiere**; Dept. Historian **Jackie Evonsion**.

#### Prayer Concerns

Please keep the following in your prayers and keep me informed of those needing our prayers (remember we are "for God and Country"). PDC Larry Duffany who is battling a bout with cancer and will be undergoing treatment over the next few months.

Past 3<sup>rd</sup> District Commander Tom Reed who is recovering from a back injury.

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Tue Oct 3, 2017
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#### 5pm - 7pm Centennial Celebration Committee Meeting

Where: 287 West St, Rocky Hill, CT 06067, USA

Wed Oct 4, 2017

#### 6:30pm - 8pm Boys/Girst State Foundation Meeting

Where: Post University, 800 Country Club Rd, Waterbury, CT 06708, USA

Fri Oct 6, 2017

#### All day Fall Meetings - Indianapolis, IN

Fri Oct 6, 2017 - Fri Oct 13, 2017 Where: Indianapolis, IN, USA

Sat Oct 7, 2017

#### All day Fall Meetings - Indianapolis, IN

Fri Oct 6, 2017 - Fri Oct 13, 2017 Where: Indianapolis, IN, USA

Sun Oct 8, 2017

#### All day Fall Meetings - Indianapolis, IN

Fri Oct 6, 2017 - Fri Oct 13, 2017 Where: Indianapolis, IN, USA

#### 2pm - 4pm 4th District Meeting at Post 19

Where: American Legion Post 19 Willimantic, CT

Mon Oct 9, 2017

#### All day Fall Meetings - Indianapolis, IN

Fri Oct 6, 2017 - Fri Oct 13, 2017 Where: Indianapolis, IN, USA

Tue Oct 10, 2017

#### All day Fall Meetings - Indianapolis, IN

Fri Oct 6, 2017 - Fri Oct 13, 2017 Where: Indianapolis, IN, USA

Wed Oct 11, 2017

#### All day Fall Meetings - Indianapolis, IN

Fri Oct 6, 2017 - Fri Oct 13, 2017 Where: Indianapolis, IN, USA

Thu Oct 12, 2017

#### All day Fall Meetings - Indianapolis, IN

Fri Oct 6, 2017 - Fri Oct 13, 2017 Where: Indianapolis, IN, USA

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Sun Oct 15, 2017
         12pm - 2pm 2nd District Installation of Officers
            Where: American Legion Post 17, 21 Cedar St, Naugatuck, CT 06770, USA
Mon Oct 16, 2017
         All day National Commander Visit
            Mon Oct 16, 2017 - Thu Oct 19, 2017
Tue Oct 17, 2017
         All day National Commander Visit
            Mon Oct 16, 2017 - Thu Oct 19, 2017
Wed Oct 18, 2017
         All day National Commander Visit
            Mon Oct 16, 2017 - Thu Oct 19, 2017
         7pm - 9pm 3rd District Meeting at Post 176
            Where: 235 Cutler's Farm Rd, Monroe, CT 06468, USA
         7pm - 9:30pm 5th District Meeting at Post 104
            Where: American Legion Post 104 Taftville, CT
Wed Oct 25, 2017
         6:30pm - 9pm 1st District Meeting at Post 2
            Where: American Legion Post 2 Bristol, CT
Thu Oct 26, 2017
         6pm - 9pm 6th District Meeting at Post 195
            Where: American Legion Post 195 Oakville, CT
Wed Nov 1, 2017
         6:30pm - 8pm Boys/Girst State Foundation Meeting
            Where: Post University, 800 Country Club Rd, Waterbury, CT 06708, USA
Thu Nov 2, 2017
         10:30am - 11:30am Department of Veterans Affairs Meeting
            Where: 287 West St, Rocky Hill, CT 06067, USA
Sun Nov 5, 2017
         1pm - 5pm Department Testimonial
            Where: Hawk's Landing Country Club, 201 Pattonwood Dr, Southington, CT 06489, USA
Sun Nov 12, 2017
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2pm - 4pm 4th District Meeting at Post 91
Where: American Legion Post 91 Moosup, CT

Wed Nov 15, 2017

6:30pm - 9pm 1st District Meeting at Post 72

Where: American Legion Post 72 Southington, CT

7pm - 9pm 3rd District Meeting at Post 12

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Thu Nov 16, 2017

7pm - 9pm 5th District Meeting at Post 112

Where: American Legion Post 112, 89 Pink Row, Uncasville, CT 06382, USA

Thu Nov 23, 2017

6pm - 8pm 6th District Meeting at Post 146

Where: American Legion Post 146 Bethlehem, CT

#### Sun Oct 1, 2017

#### 8 am Post 36 Breakfast

Where: Memorial Hall, 1 S Main St, Windsor Locks, CT 06096, USA

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 11am Post 12 Norwalk - Veteran of The Month Program

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Mon Oct 2, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Tue Oct 3, 2017

#### 5pm Post 68 Weekly Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Wed Oct 4, 2017

#### 5:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Fri Oct 6, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 8:30pm Post 12 Norwalk Karaoke with Rita

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Sat Oct 7, 2017

#### 7pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Mon Oct 9, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Tue Oct 10, 2017

#### 5pm Post 68 Weekly Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Wed Oct 11, 2017

#### 5:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 7pm 1st District Bingo Rocky Hill

Where: 287 West St, Rocky Hill, CT 06067, USA

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Thu Oct 12, 2017

#### 5pm Post 4 Norwich Spaghetti Dinner 5:00 PM

Where: American Legion Post 4 Norwich, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Fri Oct 13, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 8:30pm Post 12 Norwalk Karaoke with Pete Leone

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Sat Oct 14, 2017

#### 9 am American Legion Post 113 - Beachcombers HotRod Wipeout

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 6:30pm Post 22 Fall Harvest Dance Party

Where: American Legion Post 22 Thomaston, CT

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 7pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Mon Oct 16, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

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Tue Oct 17, 2017

#### 5pm Post 68 Weekly Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Wed Oct 18, 2017

#### 5:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Fri Oct 20, 2017

#### 6pm Post 52 Coventry Fish Dinner

Where: First Congregational Church of Coventry, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 7pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 8:30pm Post 12 Norwalk Karaoke with Rita

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

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Sat Oct 21, 2017

#### 7pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Mon Oct 23, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Tue Oct 24, 2017

#### 5pm Post 68 Weekly Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

#### Wed Oct 25, 2017

#### 5:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Thu Oct 26, 2017

#### 6:30pm Post 91 Moosup Steak Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 91 Moosup, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Fri Oct 27, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 8:30pm Post 12 Norwalk Karaoke with Pete Leone

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Sat Oct 28, 2017

#### 7pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Mon Oct 30, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Tue Oct 31, 2017

#### 5pm Post 68 Weekly Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Wed Nov 1, 2017

#### 5:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Fri Nov 3, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

#### 8:30pm Post 12 Norwalk Karaoke with Rita

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

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#### Sat Nov 4, 2017

#### 7pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

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#### Sun Nov 5, 2017

#### 8am Post 36 Breakfast

Where: Memorial Hall, 1 S Main St, Windsor Locks, CT 06096, USA

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#### Mon Nov 6, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Tue Nov 7, 2017

#### 5pm Post 68 Weekly Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Wed Nov 8, 2017

#### 5:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 7pm 1st District Bingo Rocky Hill

Where: 287 West St, Rocky Hill, CT 06067, USA

Calendar: Post Activities
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#### Thu Nov 9, 2017

#### 5pm Post 4 Norwich Spaghetti Dinner 5:00 PM

Where: American Legion Post 4 Norwich, CT

#### Fri Nov 10, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 8:30pm Post 12 Norwalk Karaoke with Pete Leone

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Sat Nov 11, 2017

#### 7pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Mon Nov 13, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Tue Nov 14, 2017

#### 5pm Post 68 Weekly Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Wed Nov 15, 2017

#### 5:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

#### Fri Nov 17, 2017

#### 6pm Post 52 Coventry Fish Dinner

Where: First Congregational Church of Coventry, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 7pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 8:30pm Post 12 Norwalk Karaoke with Rita

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Sat Nov 18, 2017

#### 7pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

Mon Nov 20, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

Tue Nov 21, 2017

#### 5pm Post 68 Weekly Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

Wed Nov 22, 2017

#### 5:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Thu Nov 23, 2017

#### 6:30pm Post 91 Moosup Steak Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 91 Moosup, CT

Calendar: Post Activities
Created by: Harry Hansen

Fri Nov 24, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

#### 8:30pm Post 12 Norwalk Karaoke with Pete Leone

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Sat Nov 25, 2017

#### 7pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Mon Nov 27, 2017

#### 7pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 12, 60 County St, Norwalk, CT 06851, USA

Tue Nov 28, 2017

#### 5pm Post 68 Weekly Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities Created by: Harry Hansen

Wed Nov 29, 2017

#### 5:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT



#### "Historians Plan Guide"

"The American Legion proudly celebrates its Golden Anniversary on March 15-17, 1969.

Post Historians will be in the forefront for this celebration because they have the greatest insight into the deeds that have been performed by posts during those epoch making years since the founding of The American Legion in 1919.

Begin today to make preparations for the observance by following these suggestions:

- 1) Contact the Post Commander, Adjutant, and (the) 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee Chairman to find out what is being planned by the post for the 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday.
- 2) Become acquainted with ideas and pointers set forth in the special 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Planning Guide...beginning with February 1968 (Advance)...
- 3) Determine what kind of historical information and pictures will be needed by your 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Committee. Ask the post adjutant for access to official files to locate this material, and either pull it for your use or make note of where you can locate it when ready to use information.
- 4) Compile the complete history of your post or at least the historical highlights since its founding date.
- 5) Compile a roster of your Post's officers, showing years served.
- 6) Compile a roster of the post's charter members.
- 7) Plan a display of Post Scrapbooks, pictures, etc.
- 8) Coordinate your planning activities. Keep all concerned abreast of your plans.
- 9) Consult your County, District, and Department History on plans for the observance of the Golden Anniversary of The American Legion.

It is the hope of your National Historian that each post will have its history written by our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Observance in 1969.

Let's do everything possible to make not only all America, but all (the) free world, conscious of the tremendous role that The American Legion is playing in the preservation of a way of life."

Article taken from the "Connecticut Legionnaire" June 1968 Vol. I, No. 12 Newspaper pg. 1



#### 2018 CALENDARS

#### \$10 each

Mailing: \$2.50 for One(1), \$1.00 each for the next 4, \$6.50 for 5

Mail request to: The American Legion, Dept of Conn, Attn: Centennial P.O. Box 208, Rocky Hill, CT 06067-0208

Checks/payable to The American Legion, De	ept of Connecticut Attn: Centennial
NAME:	
ADDRESS:	
CITY/TOWN:	7IP:

The 2018 Calendar
Front – WWI Medal
January – Department Leaders
February – Service Officer Personnel
March – ALA Department Office/Gold Star Mothers Tea
& Oratorical pictures, past & present

April – Wilton Post 86

May – WWI Posters

June – Boys State group picture (taken prior to 1981)

July - Putnam Post 13

August – Westbrook Post 103

September – 1967 Boston National Convention Parade

October - 1929 "Connecticut" song contest winner

November - Derby Post 24

December – ALA Christmas Shop



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#### Dear Commander:

In reply to your recent request, The National Organization of The American Legion was granted its exempt status by the Internal Revenue Service in 1934. In February of 1946, we submitted to the central office of the Internal Revenue Service a complete listing of all Departments and Posts extant in the Legion up to and including December 31, 1945. With our submission we requested a group ruling which would extend exemption from the payment of federal income tax for those Departments and Posts designated in our listing.

Each year since 1946 supplemental listings have been transmitted to the Internal Revenue Service for an over-all group ruling covering those Departments and Posts chartered during the previous year. Group rulings have been issued yearly by the Internal Revenue Service covering those Departments and Posts. Your post was included in our original listing. Enclosed is a copy of the original ruling.

Section 101(8) referred to in the exemption letter corresponds to Section 501 (c) (4) of the 1954 Code. The American Legion, its component Departments and Posts were exempt from the payment of federal income tax under this Section up to and including the year 1972. By virtue of the passage of Public Law 92-418 on August 29, 1972, veterans' organizations were given a separate classification under the Code, Section 501(c) (19). A copy of that ruling is also enclosed.

Also enclosed please find a copy of a letter we received from the Internal Revenue Service dated February 17, 1976, wherein the National Organization, Departments and Posts were instructed to use the number 0925 as their Group Exemption Number (GEN) when filing their Form 990.

In addition, the status of The American Legion and its Departments and Posts may allow acceptance of charitable gifts and bequests. The following might be of assistance to you.

Deductibility of Contributions to The American Legion is governed by 26 U.S.C. 170 (c) (3) Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended.

Deductibility for bequests is established by 26 U.S.C. Section 2055 (a) (4).

Section 170(c) (3) reads as follows:

"Section 170. Charitable, etc., contributions and gifts

- (a) Allowance of deduction
  - (1) General Rule. -There shall be allowed as a deduction any charitable contribution (as defined in sub-section (c) payment of which is made within the taxable year. A charitable contribution shall be allowable as a deduction only if verified under regulations prescribed by the Secretary or his delegate.
  - (c) Charitable contribution defined. For purposes of this section the term 'charitable contribution' means a contribution or gift to or for the use of-
  - (3) A post or organization of war veterans, or an auxiliary unit or society of, or trust or foundation for, any such post or organization
    - (A) organized in the United States or any of its possessions, and
    - (B) no part of the net earnings of which inures to the benefit of any private shareholder or individual."

If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to call Department headquarters at 860-436-9986.

Sincerely,

Harry R Hansen Jr Department Adjutant

# NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE AMERICAN LEGION INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA May 4-5, 1988

Resolution No. 37: Reaffirmation of The American Legion Policy Concerning Affiliation With Other Organizations

Origin: Subcommittee on Resolutions

Submitted by: Subcommittee on Resolutions

WHEREAS, The American Legion adopted Resolution No. 6, National Executive Committee, October 10-11-12, 1952, concerning the affiliation of The American Legion with other organizations; and

WHEREAS, The adoption of that resolution was a reaffirmation of a long-established policy of The American Legion which has proved its wisdom by prohibiting The American Legion from joining any such organization, committee, association, council, or group in which The American Legion is not permitted a full voice and vote in determining matters of policy of such organization, committee, association, council or group; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the National Executive Committee of The American Legion in regular meeting assembled in Indianapolis, Indiana, on May 4-5, 1988, That The American Legion shall not be a member of, or affiliated with, any organization, committee, association, council or group whereby The American Legion might be committed to a policy contrary to that adopted by The American Legion; and, be it finally

RESOLVED, That the National Adjutant is instructed to circulate this resolution to all Departments and National Officers of The American Legion on a yearly basis.

### The American Legion, Department of Connecticut National Commander's Banquet

### Honoring



### Denise H. Rohan

American Legion Post 91 66 Prospect St. Moosup, CT. 06354

Wednesday, October 18, 2017

Cash Bar Social: 6:00 PM Dinner: 7:00 PM \$35.00 pp

#### Menu:

Appetizer: fruit, cheese, pepperoni and assorted crackers.

Starter: Caesar Salad, warm rolls with butter

<u>Main Course:</u> Boneless Prime Rib carved served with sautéed onions, mushrooms and horseradish sauce, Baked Fish, potato baked casserole, baby glazed carrots, cookies, brownies, coffee and Tea.

# Make checks payable to: The American Legion Dept. of CT Deadline for dinner reservations: October 13, 2017

#### **NAMES**

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#### The American Legion & American Legion Auxiliary **Department Dinner** Honoring





Department Commander Edward A DeGumbia

Department President Laura Anderson Santino

### Hawks Landing 201 Patton Brook Rd, Southington, Ct

Date: Sunday November 5<sup>th</sup> 2017 Time; 1 thru 6 Pm.

Cash Bar Social 1:00pm - 1:45

Dinner 2:00Pm \$35.00 pp Children (Under12) \$15.00

### Sit Down Dinner Sliced Roast Beef w/gravy or Chicken Marsala

Any Dietary restrictions please let us know

#### Make check payable to:

Dinner Reservations to: The American Legion, Dept. of Connecticut 864 Wethersfeild Avenue Hartford, Ct. 06114

#### No Reservations Accepted After Deadline of November 1, 2017

Check enclosed amount of \$ (\$350.00 fo	r table of 10)	
Name	District #	
Adress	Post	
City/Town Phone ( )	Unit	
# Sliced Roast Beef # Chicken Marsala	# Vegetarian Option	
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Tables of 10	Roast Beef	Chicken	Vegetarian
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### Be a Life S-A-V-E-R

#### Know the-

#### S-igns of a person in crisis

- Thinking about, talking about or threatening suicide, or having a specific plan
- Using alcohol or drugs (or using more)
- Anxious, agitated, or talking about revenge, feeling like a burden
- Making preparations for suicide; acquiring means (gun, pills, other)
- Withdrawing from people or activities / isolating, making comments of hopelessness\*

#### A-sk the question

- Be direct and straightforward
  - o "Are you thinking about suicide?"
  - o "Have you been thinking about killing yourself?"
  - o "Have you made a plan for how you would kill yourself?"

#### V-alidate

- Do not argue or try to convince person why he/she is wrong
- Do offer support and empathy.

#### E-ncourage & E-xpedite immediate assessment

- In person: Encourage person to speak to mental health provider Escort him/her to the emergency room
  - Do NOT leave a person in suicidal crisis alone until seen by mental health provider
- By phone: Encourage person to go to come into this VAMC's Emergency Department or nearest emergency room
  - Make sure Caller is aware of the Veterans Crisis Line 1-800-273-8255 (#1)
- Off Station/CBOCs: Do NOT leave a person in suicidal crisis alone until assessed by MH staff

Contact Clinic MH staff to discuss

Call 911 for Veteran(s) in need of ED transport

• Everyone: If anyone is in immediate medical or mental health emergency, call **911** 

#### Know the-

#### R-esources

- West Haven Psychiatric ER- 24/7 support 203-932-5711 x4471, x 4472
- The local VA Suicide Prevention Team:

Latonya Harts, LCSW x**6893** 

Mark Lawless, LCSW x7294

Christina Allen, LCSW x2550

Jannaya Walker, Program Support Assistant x3694

The Veterans Crisis Line - available 24 hours/day, 365 days/year 1-800-273-TALK (#1) or TEXT: 838255

The national Suicide Prevention Lifeline: 1-800-273-8255



Suicide Prevention is everyone's business!



American Legion Abe E. Miller Post 133 South Windsor, CT 06074



# WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA CEREMONY CT. STATE CAPITOL

HOSTED BY
THE
AMERICAN LEGION

DECEMBER 11th, 2017 12:00 NOON HALL OF FLAGS

ALL VETERANS WELCOME

**REMEMBER - HONOR - TEACH** 

www.wreathsacrossamerica.org (or) swlegion133.org

# Halloween Party

# **American Legion Post 4**

Saturday, October 28<sup>th</sup> at 6pm

\$20 a person with cash prizes for costumes.



# TRUCK AND TREAT

American Legion Post 4
457 Laurel Hill Ave.

Sunday, October 29<sup>th</sup> @2pm-4pm

A Safe adventure for Boys and Girls below age 12

Admittance is 1 nonperishable food item per child for the Veteran's Center





# **FLEA MARKET**

FRIDAY NOV 3<sup>RD</sup> AND SATURDAY NOV 4<sup>TH</sup>
9 AM TO 4PM

**American Legion** 

457 Laurel Hill Avenue, Norwich



Thanksgiving Dinner

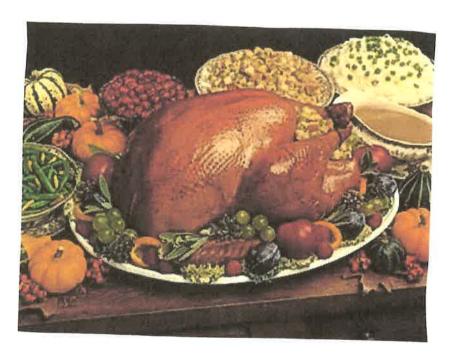
American Legion Post 4

457 Laurel Hill Ave.

Norwich, Ct 06360

860-859-2180

Come join our family as we celebrate
Thanksgiving with a \$5.00 dinner that includes
Turkey, Stuffing, Mashed Potatoes, Cranberry
sauce, Gravy, a Vegetable and Dessert. Please
call for tickets for the November 22<sup>nd</sup> 2017 at
6pm till......to be determined.





# SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2017 7:00 – 11:00 P.M.

(DOORS OPENAT 6:30)

#### **HOSTED BY**



### THE AMERICAN LEGION POST 22

211 ELM STREET, THOMASTON, CT

MUSIC BY: THE 3G'S BAND

(DESCENDANTS OF "DICK CYR AND THE RYTHMAIRES" AND "PIECES OF TIME")

❖ B.Y.O FOOD

CASH BAR

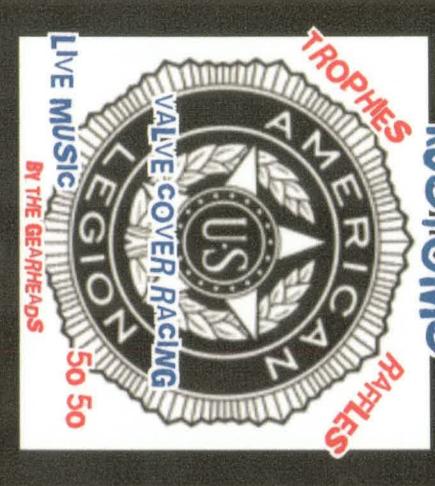
**❖ 50/50 RAFFLE** 

**DONATION:** \$10 at the door *OR* \$60 for a table of 8

For Reservations Call: 860-484-4373

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE AMERICAN LEGION SCHOLARSHIP FUND

CANSSIERS (HOM/HOURS 94M)
CHASSIERS, STOCKIERS
CHASSIERS (HOM/HOURS)



BEACHCOMBERS
HOTROD Nº5

RAIN DATE OCT 15TH
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RAFFLES:
BY THE GEAR HEADS

HOSTED AT AMIERICAN LEGION
POST 113
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# The American Legion Department of Connecticut 2018 Membership Report

### "Serving Those Who Served"

#### September 27, 2017

District	Name	Membership	Goal	Short	Percent
2	Michael Heise	2462	3795	-1333	64.87
3	Michael Kellett	1636	2641	-1005	61.95
5	James Robertson	1011	1717	-706	58.88
4	Perry Caldwell	1169	2018	-849	57.93
6	George Castle	943	1632	-689	57.78
7	Eileen Richard	698	1226	-528	56.93
1	Raymond LaBossiere	2526	4446	-1920	56.82
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Hdqtrs	Post 200	1136			
Department '	Total	11581	19800	)	58.49

"Serving Those Who	Who Served"							(0	September 27,	er 27, 2017	
	ander:	Raymond	LaBossiere	siere			Men	MembershipYear:		2018	
	All-Time				OnLine	200		% OF	100%	Last	Last
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133 - South Windsor	146 16	65 9		123	13	0	140	84.85		09/22/2017	09/22/2017
1771 - Governors Foot Guard	ard 102 130	0 3	8	94	4	0	105	80.77		09/21/2017	09/21/2017
84 - Simsbury	352 9	92 41	0	28	4	0	69	75.00		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
72 - Southington	824 555	5 40	7	357	32	0	404	72.79		09/14/2017	09/14/2017
1	359 150	9	2	92	6	0	103	68.67		09/19/2017	09/19/2017
117 - Newington	135 1	115 7	2	68	6	0	77	66.96		09/25/2017	09/25/2017
77 - East Hartford	322 2	22 13	0	1	1	0	14	63.64		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
80 - Enfield	458 285	35 15	5 2	164	31	_	181	63.51		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
40 - East Windsor	117	41 3	0	23	0	0	26	63.41		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
59 - Windsor	316	40 5	5   1	19	4	0	25	62.50		09/19/2017	09/19/2017
36 - Windsor Locks	418 290	)0 11	1 2	165	25	0	178	61.38		09/25/2017	09/25/2017
6 - New Britain	880	70 10	0	32	6	0	42	60.00		09/19/2017	09/19/2017
96 - West Hartford	924 370	70 17	2	198	35	2	217	58.65		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
102 - Manchester	831 18	180   11	0	94	21		105	58.33		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
8 - Hartford	1291	38 1	0	21	0	0	22	57.89		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
23 - Wethersfield	316 8	85 9	7	38	ω	0	48	56.47		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
53 - Farmington	95 2	25 3	0	11		0	14	56.00		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
56 - Glastonbury	332 130	30 4	0 1	67	10	0	71	54.62		09/25/2017	09/25/2017
2 - Bristol	1009 675	75 37	5	314	35	0	356	52.74		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
201 - Avon	32   2	25 2	0	11	2	0	13	52.00		08/31/2017	08/31/2017
197 - Marlborough	292 14	140 10	0	61	7	0	71	50.71		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
32 - Unionville	154	20 1	0	9	0	0	10	50.00		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
68 - Berlin	282 232	32 9	0	101	11	0	110	47.41		09/21/2017	09/21/2017
142 - Hartford	345 17	170 33	1	42	3	0	76	44.71		09/22/2017	09/22/2017
116 - Bloomfield	166	15	0	4	0	0	თ	33.33		09/06/2017	09/06/2017
199 - Plainville	43	15 4	0	0	0	0	4	26.67		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
90 - Collinsville	90	30 5	0	2	2	0	7	23.33		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
122 - Burlington	49	15 0	0	ω	2	0	ω	20.00		07/30/2017	08/07/2017
123 - Rocky Hill	115	45 5	0	2	2	0	7	15.56		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
182 - Granby	106	96 3	0	6	0	0	9	9.38		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
33 - Plainville	152	90	0	7	7	0	ω	8.89		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
209 - Forestville	69	65 2	0	ယ	ω	0	σ <sub>1</sub>	7.69		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
131 - Hartford	320	15 (	0		0	0	_	6.67		08/31/2017	08/31/2017

"Serving Those Who Served"

September 27, 2017

District: 1 Com	Commander: Raymond LaBossiere	r: Ray	mond	LaBos	siere			Mer	MembershipYear: 2018	Year:	2018	
	All-Time	,				OnLine 200	200		% OF	100%	Last	Last
Post Location	High	Goal	PUFL	New	Renewals	High Goal PUFL New Renewals Renewals T'fers Total	<b>T'fers</b>	Total	Goal	Date	Transaction	Transmittal
94 - Suffield	160	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00			
District: 1 34 Posts		4,446	324	41	4,446 324 41 2161 276	276	0	2526	56.82			
Post Ranking By % of Goal	NC - Ir	ndicates	Posts n	ot certi	fied by the	NC - Indicates Posts not certified by the July 31st deadline	leadline	and are	not eligit	le for me	and are not eligible for membership awards	rds

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District: 2	Commander:	3	Michael Heise	ise				Men	MembershipYear:		2018	
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76 - North Haven	320	300	12	υ.	241	48	34	258	86.00		09/14/2017	09/14/2017
25 - Beacon Falls	100	63	ω	0	50	<u>ნ</u>	2	53	84.13		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
	301	157	10	ω	119	14	_	132	84.08		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
- I	401	60	47	0	2	0	0	49	81.67		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
162 - New Haven	154	30	22	0	0	0	0	22	73.33		08/25/2017	08/29/2017
204 - Heritage Village	187	75	_	5	48		0	54	72.00		09/25/2017	09/25/2017
165 - Wolcott	285	170	13	_	107	16	1	121	71.18		09/22/2017	09/22/2017
127 - Orange	388	123	10		74	5	0	85	69.11		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
147 - Southbury	85	38	4	1	21	3	0	26	68.42		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
48 - Guilford	153	80	9	0	45	5	0	54	67.50		09/19/2017	09/19/2017
24 - Derby	356	140	8	3	80	9	0	91	65.00		09/25/2017	09/25/2017
73 - Wallingford	521	145	7	0	87	10	_	94	64.83		09/21/2017	09/21/2017
79 - Madison	199	122	14	2	63	7	_	79	64.75		09/14/2017	09/14/2017
196 - Milford	529	435	17	5	252	39	_	274	62.99		09/19/2017	09/19/2017
1 - Waterbury	1013	135	7	0	78	3	_	85	62.96		08/31/2017	08/31/2017
88 - Hamden	457	180	5	2	105	11	0	112	62.22		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
92 - Cheshire	137	55	4	0	30	3	0	34	61.82		09/19/2017	09/19/2017
10 - Seymour	251	165	5	2	95	9	ω	102	61.82		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
150 - Hamden	139	35	0	0	21		0	21	60.00		09/06/2017	09/06/2017
71 - West Haven	550	120	15	0	56	8	0	71	59.17		09/25/2017	09/25/2017
89 - East Haven	413	170	7	1	90	10	0	98	57.65		09/25/2017	09/25/2017
45 - Meriden	853	230	13	ဒ	116	10	0	132	57.39		09/14/2017	09/14/2017
50 - Ansonia	534	72	4	0	37	2	0	41	56.94		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
83 - Branford	617	210	12	0	107	8	_	119	56.67		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
17 - Naugatuck	405	180	21	0	78	4	0	99	55.00		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
174 - Oxford	393	200	12	0	97	11	0	109	54.50		09/19/2017	09/19/2017
135 - Waterbury	66	30	0	0	ω	ω	0	ω	10.00		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
132 - New Haven	191	35	ω	0	0	0	0	ω	8.57		08/25/2017	08/29/2017

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Post Ranking By % of Goal

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17 08/29/2017	08/25/2017		55.29	47	0	2	32	_	14	85	457	29 - Greenwich
17 09/11/2017	09/11/2017		59.73	218		13	178	0	40	365	1090	12 - Norwalk
	08/25/2017		60.00	9	0	0	0	0	9	15	544	134 - Bridgeport
17 09/21/2017	09/21/2017		61.38	89	2	17	66	_	22	145	358	141 - Trumbull
17 09/11/2017	09/11/2017		61.63	53	0	10	46	_	6	86	105	176 - Monroe
	09/21/2017		62.40	78	0	თ	66	2	10	125	1144	3 - Stamford
	09/06/2017		63.72	137	0	10	107		29	215	617	60 - Danbury
7 09/25/2017	09/25/2017		66.67	100	0	7	83	1	16	150	439	143 - Stratfield
	09/22/2017		68.57	48	2	5	28	2	18	70	100	86 - Wilton
	09/11/2017		69.32	305	0	38	262	6	37	440	536	16 -Shelton
	09/19/2017		69.71	122	1	13	111	0	11	175	502	74 - Fairfield
1	09/19/2017		70.00	98	2	10	75	5	18	140	152	78 - Ridgefield
	09/25/2017		71.43	125	0	10	117	0	8	175	236	100 - Bethel
	07/12/2017		83.33	20	0	0	20	0	0	24	103	30 - New Canaan
1	09/19/2017		86.67	26	0	0	19	7	0	30	31	207 - Middlebrook
	-	08/25/2017	102.04	100	0	2	92	0	8	98	350	177 - Bridgeport
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Post Ranking By % of Goal

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13 - Putnam	280	125	10	6	86	6	0	102	81.60		09/11/2017 09/11/2017	09/11/2017
62 - Ellington	169	80	9	0	51	7	0	60	75.00		09/11/2017 09/11/2017	09/11/2017
95 - Hebron	222	125	8	4	76	11	2	88	70.40		09/19/2017	09/19/2017
111 - Woodstock	185	105	24	2	47	5	0	73	69.52		09/22/2017	09/22/2017
14 - Rockville	722	250	18	13	139	14		170	68.00		09/21/2017	09/21/2017
52 - Coventry	202	107	12	သ	57	9	0	72	67.29		09/19/2017	09/19/2017
91 - Moosup	500	245	30	4	129	14	0	163	66.53		09/14/2017	09/14/2017
21 - Danielson	356	90	8	0	51	7	0	59	65.56		09/14/2017	09/14/2017
67 - No. Grosvenordale	329	170	6	2	100	5	0	108	63.53		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
26 - Stafford Springs	436	211	11	3	110	14	2	124	58.77		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
203 - Eastford	37	20	0	1	10	0	0	11	55.00		08/28/2017	08/28/2017
19 - Willimantic	828	225	20	1	97	8	0	118	52.44		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
101 - Somers	217	250	2	0	19	19	တ	21	8.40		09/11/2017	09/11/2017
106 - Hampton	50	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00			
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I certify that the above named individual served at least one day of active duty during the dates marked above and was honorably discharged or is still serving honorably. Post Adjutant/Officer Membership Verification

Date



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Recruiter's Phone #