

CONNECTICUT LEGIONNAIRE

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Legionnaires,

August has been a very busy month. Dept. Adjutant "Butch" Hansen, Senior Vice Commander, Jeff DeClerck, Membership Chair Jim LaCoursiere and I attended the National Membership Workshop, in Indianapolis, August 8-10.

We also participated in the VJ Day Parade August 11. On August 17, we held our annual Membership Meeting to discuss our strategy for the next year. In addition, of course, we attended our 101st Annual National Convention, held this year in Indianapolis from August 22 - 29 where we continued to celebrate our 100th anniversary.

This year you will see more District and Department officers at Post meetings than in the past. It is an opportunity to ask questions, get answers and eliminate any communication barriers (get the facts straight).

We are going to continue offer training at the District or Post level. We also had District Officer training in July. We will have additional training scheduled at the Dept. Conference and entertainment at our Convention.

Finally yet importantly, we now have The Legion Act. Eligibility is now from December 7, 1941 until Congress decides there is an end to hostilities. This is another opportunity to bring in new members along with an attainable goal given to us by National to make 100% or more.

If any Post requires our assistance or would like us to attend a meeting or function please contact us. Let us work together and make it happen.

Remember, communication, fun and personal contact works!

For God and Country,
Dennis P. Beauregard
The American Legion
Dept of CT Commander
860-202-6875

MEMBERSHIP

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Comrades,

THE LEGION ACT HAS BEEN SIGNED

With the passing of the Legion Act, there is an excitement across the entire organization with the potential 4.2 million new eligible members that can now enjoy the benefits of The American Legion. As we enter our next century, we have been afforded a great opportunity and responsibility to set the stage for our next 100 years. I am challenging all of you to GET EXCITED about membership. We have to understand that the majority of new eligible members are still unaware of their eligibility. It is our job to get the word out to them. We cannot expect that they are going to just come walking in to your Post and fill out an application. Start talking about this with your membership and come up with ideas on how to advertise the Legion Act. Consider taking out a small ad in your local newspaper, post comments on social media, place a flyer in your local Town Hall, consider an Open House event at your Post and invite your local community to come see what the American Legion does for Veterans, children and youth and for the community.

I also ask Post and District Commanders to challenge your membership and yourselves to reach 100% membership by DECEMBER 31st before your member's renewals are considered late and especially before January 31st before they are Out of Status. As we get later in to 2020, it gets harder to reach those members. Pay close attention to the members with less than 3 years of membership. This is where we lose a large number of members. Also, advise your members that have been serving The American Legion for many years that their mentorship and institutional knowledge is extremely important in the efforts to expand membership.

Always remember that assistance is available through the Membership, Leadership and Media Affairs Commission. Members of the Commission are available at any time.

For God and Country,

Jeff DeClerck
Senior Vice Commander
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Paul Spedaliere
Past National Vice Commander
The American Legion
2018 - 2019

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My Fellow Legionnaires and Friends,

This is my final monthly letter to you; I would like to thank the Legionnaires from the Department of Connecticut for allowing me the opportunity in representing our Department as National Vice Commander during our Centennial Year. As promised from the beginning I chronicled my year by these monthly letters and posting on Facebook regularly so you all could take the journey with me.

Thank you to those who were able to attend my testimonial dinner on August 2nd at the Holiday Inn in Norwich. It was a great evening and the love in the air was pronounced by the comments I received from my family and friends who are not Legionnaires.

My final obligation was the 101st National Convention in Indianapolis. The National Vice Commanders were to be on stage and relieve the National Commander as required. Also, the entire 3 day convention is scripted; each NVC was scripted for a speaking part or assume the podium as the National Commander accepted donations for the various programs of the American Legion. My speaking part was on the 3rd day; I introduced the video to reflect on the National Commander's year in office, and then introduced PNC Dan Dellinger to present the Colors to Brett Reistad for his year in office, then the Colors were retired leading into the election of the National Officers for 2019-2020. Sandra and I had the honor of meeting Vice President Mike Pence with a photo-op and he gave us each his challenge coin.

Our newly elected 2019-2020 National Commander is Bill Oxford (NC) and National Vice Commander for the Northeast Region is Frank MacDonald (MA).

Final thoughts: With the passage of the Legion Act our membership dates are; anyone that served honorably from December 7, 1941 through a date yet to be set by Congress is eligible to join our organization. Also, the American Legion delegates voted to replace the word "wife" with "spouse" in our Constitution & By-Laws related to the membership criteria for the AL Auxiliary. Now a member's spouse can join the American Legion Auxiliary. This is an excellent opportunity for us as a Legion Family to grow membership leaps and bounds. Let's make it our mission this year to seek out those that were once not eligible and Welcome them into becoming a new member today.

Many ask; "What are you going to do now?" My answer; "With my schedule freed up, become re-involved in the 5th District promoting membership and the programs of the American Legion. Also devote in assisting my fellow veterans and learning the many facets of my new position as Assistant Department Service Officer. "

Yours in TEAM 100 Spirit,

Paul Spedaliere
Past National Vice Commander
2018-2019

ADJUTANT'S Notes

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National Convention Comments

The 101st National Convention is now over and we have a new National Commander "Bill Oxford" from North Carolina. He will serve us well and we look forward to having him visit our Department in April 2020.

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. The Post Commander & Adjutant National Form is how we update Nationals records, which is used to identify who the authorized officers are for approval of blank ammo acquisition and access to MyLegion.org. Please submit these as soon as possible, they are also available on our Department Website.

Post Membership Credit/Debit Notifications

To all posts, we will be sending out post credit & debit notifications during the first week of September. Please take the time to look them over as we have several posts with a large credit and several posts with a large debt. To all the posts with a credit please use this during your next transmittals until it is used up.

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 and we will also not process your membership if you have an outstanding balance of more than \$50.00. 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. **PLEASE HELP US HELP YOU AND SEND IN THE CORRECT AMOUNT WITH YOUR TRANSMITTALS.**

New this year, Posts that are processing their own membership online will receive a check from the Department in August for any credit they may have. This only applies to Posts who process their own membership, the policy will remain the same for those Posts who send their membership to our office for processing. You will be able to use any credit you have as payment on one of your transmittals.

PLEASE CALL OUR OFFICE IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.

Please copy and share all Bulletin information as widely as possible!

Department Testimonial

This year we will have our Department Testimonial honoring our Commander Dennis Beauregard and Auxiliary President Lydia DeGumbia. It will be held at the Aqua Turf in Southington Connecticut on Sunday November 3, 2019. See the flyer inside this bulletin for more information.

Connecticut Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act 2018

To all Posts who actively seek donations, you are now required to register with the Department of Consumer Protection, this is a new law that was passed last year which requires all charitable organizations who solicit funds to register to help prevent fraud. This is a onetime registration and you will be issued a certificate that will allow you to actively solicit donations, if you don't have this certificate you run the risk of being reported which will likely result in a fine. We are recommending that all Posts register to eliminate any issues that could arise.

We all know that there are fraudulent groups out there seeking donations from Veterans and citizens alike and claiming they are raising funds to help Veteran's, this is why Connecticut has put this law in place. Let's do our part and not become part of the problem.

Here is the link to apply: <https://portal.ct.gov/DCP/Charities/Charitable-Solicitation-Registration-Information>

Any organization may claim exemption from the financial requirements and filing fees by qualifying for **one** of the following **exemptions**: Any charitable organization which normally receives less than fifty thousand dollars in contributions annually, provided such organization does not compensate any person primarily to conduct solicitations. This applies to pretty much every Post in the state. Please use the "Exempt from full Requirements" application.

Please read the General Information sheet in this bulletin.

PLEASE CALL OUR OFFICE IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR NEED HELP WITH THE FORM.

Department Website

Changes are coming to our Department Website, we are adding information about our 501 (c)3 foundation and the ability to donate to our Legion programs. We are also looking to add the capability for potential new members to join and pay their dues from our website. We will be talking more about this in the coming months, there will be a letter sent to each post outlining our plans and what will be required of the Posts to make this work.

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Post Everlasting

John W. Hackett
Feb 6, 1955 – Aug 23, 2019

Past Post 68 Commander

Department of Connecticut

Mon Sep 2, 2019

All day Department Office Closed

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Created by: membership@ctlegion.necoxmail.com

Wed Sep 4, 2019

6:30pm - 8pm Boys/Girls State Foundation Meeting

Where: Post University Downtown, 140 Bank St, Waterbury, CT 06702, USA

Description:

We are now meeting at Post University's Downtown Location at 140 Bank Street, Waterbury, CT 06702. Doors open at 6:30 PM and need to contact me at JHeffner@ctbgsfoundation.org and confirm your attendance so I can make arrangements with security to let everyone in.

Thu Sep 5, 2019

6pm - 8pm 5th District Meeting

Where: Robert O. Fletcher Post 4 American Legion, 457 Laurel Hill Rd, Norwich, CT 06360, USA

Description: 6:00 PM Social - 6:30 PM Meeting

Fri Sep 6, 2019

5:30pm - 8:30pm Post 2 Installation of Officers

Where: American Legion Post 2 Bristol, CT

Description:

cocktail hour at 5:30pm in the Hall, Oasis will be staffed. Installation starts at 6:30, followed by dinner.

Sun Sep 8, 2019

2pm - 3pm 4th District Meeting

Where: First Congregational Church, 1171 Main St, Coventry, CT 06238, USA

Tue Sep 10, 2019

6pm - 7pm Post 75 Installation

Where: American Legion Post 75 Middletown, CT

Wed Sep 11, 2019

7pm - 8pm 2nd District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 83 Branford, CT

Thu Sep 12, 2019

6:30pm - 8pm 7th District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 75 Middletown, CT

Fri Sep 13, 2019

8am - 11pm Big E Military Appreciation Day

Where: Eastern States Exposition, 1305 Memorial Ave, West Springfield, MA 01089, USA

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Department of Connecticut

Sat Sep 14, 2019

12pm - 11pm Post 14 - 100 Anniversary

Where: 114 West St, Vernon, CT 06066, USA

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Description:

Join American Legion Post 14 celebrating 100 years! There will be live music, plenty of food, children's activities! \$10.00 PP Contact: jmgeorge1962@outlook.com or call 860-875-1091 to RSVP

12pm - 5pm Post 45 - 100 Anniversary Celebration

Where: American Legion Post 45, 835 Hanover Rd, Meriden, CT 06451, USA

5pm - 11pm Grungeapoloosa - Membership Recruiting

Where: Toyota Oakdale Theatre, 95 S Turnpike Rd, Wallingford, CT 06492, USA

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Description:

Scheduled to appear (subject to change without notice): Purple to the Core: A Tribute to Stone Temple Pilots Last Exit: A Pearl Jam Tribute Band The Elysiums Flannel Battle of Los Angeles Please contact Mary at Dept. HQ (860-436-9986) There are only 2 volunteer spots available.

Wed Sep 18, 2019

All day Big E CT DAY

Wed Sep 18, 2019

Where:

The Big E, Eastern States Exposition, 1305 Memorial Ave, West Springfield, MA 01089, USA

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Description: Salute to Connecticut

7pm - 9pm 3rd District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 100 Bethel, CT

Fri Sep 20, 2019

All day Department Golf Tournament

Fri Sep 20, 2019

Where: River Ridge Golf Course, 259 Preston Rd, Griswold, CT 06351, USA

Description: See Attached Flyer

Sat Sep 21, 2019

3:30pm - 10:30pm The Alchemy Tour - Membership Recruiting

Where: XFINITY Theatre, 61 Savitt Way, Hartford, CT 06120, USA

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Description:

6 Band Lineup featuring: Nghtmre, Slander, Seven Lions, The GlitchMob, SvddenDeath, Huxley Anne Please contact Mary at Dept. HQ(860-436-9986) There are only 2 volunteer spots available.

Department of Connecticut

Mon Sep 23, 2019

All day VFW Golf Outing

Mon Sep 23, 2019

Where: Chippanee Golf Club, 6 Marsh Rd, Bristol, CT 06010, USA

Description:

Monday September 23, 2019 Registration at 8:30 AM - Tee Time at 10:00 AM
Shotgun Start. Contact Richard DiFederico at 860-616-2363

Tue Sep 24, 2019

7pm - 8:30pm Awards Committee Meeting

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

Wed Sep 25, 2019

6:30pm - 7:30pm 1st District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 102 Manchester, CT

Description: Installation of Officers - 6:30 PM - Meeting at 7:30 PM

Thu Sep 26, 2019

3pm - 4pm VSO Meeting

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

Description:

Our next VSO Commander Meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 26th at 3pm in the Commissioner's Conference Room. This will be our last meeting with the Commissioner before he leaves for military duty in October, so it's important that you attend.

Fri Sep 27, 2019

6pm - 7pm Post 24 Installation

Where: 5 Atwater Ave, Derby, CT 06418, USA

Description: Installation of Officers (Long Form) 7:00 PM - Dinner will be at 6:00 PM.

Sat Sep 28, 2019

12pm - 3pm Post 2 Pig Roast

Where: 22 Hooker Court, Bristol, Connecticut 06010

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Sun Sep 29, 2019

All day Post 13 Golf Tournament

Sun Sep 29, 2019

Where: Connecticut National Golf Club Putnam, CT

Description: See Attachment

Wed Oct 2, 2019

6:30pm - 8pm Boys/Girls State Foundation Meeting

Where: Post University Downtown, 140 Bank St, Waterbury, CT 06702, USA

Description:

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Department of Connecticut

Sun Oct 6, 2019

5pm - 10pm Rumours - Fleetwood Mac - 50 Years

Where: Toyota Oakdale Theatre, 95 S Turnpike Rd, Wallingford, CT 06492, USA

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Description:

Please contact Mary at Dept. HQ (860-436-9986) There are only 2 volunteer spots available. Rumours of Fleetwood Mac - 50th Anniversary Tour - The Very Best of Fleetwood Mac - Rumours of Fleetwood Mac, the world's finest tribute to Fleetwood Mac, returns to North America in October and November 2019 to perform its '50th Anniversary Tour', a brand new show celebrating 50 years of the very best of Fleetwood Mac, including a very special blues set paying tribute to Fleetwood Mac's legendary Peter Green era. Channeling the spirit of Fleetwood Mac at their very best, Rumours of Fleetwood Mac offers a unique opportunity for fans, both old and new, to rediscover the songs and performances that have guaranteed Fleetwood Mac's place as one of the most loved groups of all time. Personally endorsed by Fleetwood Mac founding member, Mick Fleetwood. Rumours of Fleetwood Mac is the ultimate tribute to one of rock and roll's most remarkable groups.

Wed Oct 9, 2019

All day 2nd District Meeting

Wed Oct 9, 2019

Thu Oct 10, 2019

6:30pm - 7:30pm 7th District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 75 Middletown, CT

7pm - 8pm 3rd District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 176 Monroe, CT

Sun Oct 13, 2019

2pm - 3pm 4th District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 19 Willimantic, CT

Mon Oct 14, 2019

All day Department Office Closed

Mon Oct 14, 2019

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Thu Oct 17, 2019

6pm - 7pm 5th District Meeting

Where: Robert O. Fletcher Post 4 American Legion, 457 Laurel Hill Rd, Norwich, CT 06360, USA

6pm - 8pm 6th District Monthly Meeting

Where: TBD

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Department of Connecticut

Sat Oct 19, 2019

5pm - 10pm Best of the 70's Concert - Membership Recruit

Where: Toyota Oakdale Theatre, 95 S Turnpike Rd, Wallingford, CT 06492, USA

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Description:

Please contact Mary at Dept. HQ (860-436-9986) as there are only 2 volunteer spots available. "The Best of the 70s" is a celebration of the greatest music of all time! The show features the timeless songs of Neil Young, The Beatles, Van Morrison, The Rolling Stones, America, John Denver, The Eagles, CSN, James Taylor, Bob Seger, Billy Joel, Cat Stevens, Willie Nelson, Neil Diamond, The Band, Led Zeppelin, Jimmy Buffet, Steely Dan, Pink Floyd, The Grateful Dead & More!! 70's fans of all ages will be singing along to songs like; "You can't always get what you want", "Horse with no name", "Teach your children", "On the road again", "Margaritaville", "Country Roads", "Sweet Caroline" and "American Pie." "The Best of the 70's" features the band DizzyFish led by Eric Herbst with Special Guest Backup Singer Angela Clemmons. Eric & DizzyFish have rocked audiences performing with Steve Miller, Three Dog Night, Marshall Tucker and many others. Eric as well as being a powerful live performer has written and produced original songs recorded by musical legends B.B. King and Johnny Cash. Angela has had a 35-year career singing with the biggest names in Music; Elton John, Michael Jackson, Steely Dan & Aretha Franklin. Other Members Include Mike Nunno Baritone Guitar, Ken Trapp Keys, Roger Post Drums, Frank Demaio Guitar and Sharon Collins Backing Vocals. The reviews are in and 70s fans love this show! Roger Daltrey (of The Who) told Eric "Hey man, you do Dead Flowers better than the Stones." If you love 70s music don't miss this very special concert...

Wed Oct 23, 2019

6:30pm - 7:30pm 1st District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 2 Bristol, CT

Mon Oct 28, 2019

5pm - 6pm CT Foundation Meeting

Wed Nov 6, 2019

6:30pm - 8pm Boys/Girls State Foundation Meeting

Where: Post University Downtown, 140 Bank St, Waterbury, CT 06702, USA

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Mon Nov 11, 2019

All day Department Offices Closed

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Wed Nov 13, 2019

All day 2nd District Meeting

Wed Nov 13, 2019

Thu Nov 14, 2019

6:30pm - 7:30pm 7th District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 66 Clinton, CT

Department of Connecticut

Fri Nov 15, 2019

5pm - 10pm Charlie Daniels and Greg Allman Concert-Membership Drive

Where: Toyota Oakdale Theatre, 95 S Turnpike Rd, Wallingford, CT 06492, USA

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Description:

From his Dove Award winning gospel albums to his genre-defining Southern rock anthems and his CMA Award-winning country hits, few artists have left a more indelible mark on America's musical landscape than Charlie Daniels. An outspoken patriot, beloved mentor to young artists and still a road warrior at age 79, Charlie has parlayed his passion for music into a multi-platinum career and a platform to support the military, underprivileged children and others in need. Contact Mary at Department HQ if interested in volunteering. 2 spots are available 860-436-9986

Sat Nov 16, 2019

9am - 10am District 6 Monthly Meeting

Where: American Legion, 377 Kent Rd, New Milford, CT 06776, USA

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Sun Nov 17, 2019

2pm - 3pm 4th District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 91 Moosup, CT

Wed Nov 20, 2019

6:30pm - 7:30pm 1st District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 72 Southington, CT

7pm - 8pm 3rd District Meeting

Where: American Legion Post 16 Shelton, CT

Thu Nov 21, 2019

6pm - 7pm 5th District Meeting

Where: Robert O. Fletcher Post 4 American Legion, 457 Laurel Hill Rd, Norwich, CT 06360, USA

Thu Nov 28, 2019

All day Department Offices Closed

Thu Nov 28, 2019

Created by: membership@ctlegion.necoxmail.com

Fri Nov 29, 2019

All day Department Offices Closed

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Post Activities

Sun Sep 1, 2019

8am - 11am Post 113 SAL Breakfast

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

SAL Breakfast Every 1st Sunday of the Month at Post 113 Old Saybrook 8:00 - 11:00 a.m. Cost is \$8.00

11am - 12pm 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

Description:

Veteran of the month at the American Legion Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk. The veteran of the month Flag service is held the first Sunday of the month in front of the Legion home at 11 A.M. If you know of a Veteran you would like to be honored contact the Legion at 203-866-8249. The veteran need not be a member of any veterans Organization.

Mon Sep 2, 2019

All day Post 202 Labor Day Parade

Mon Sep 2, 2019

Where: Newtown, CT, USA

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Description: See attached flyer

7pm - 10pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

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

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo at Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk. Doors open at 5:00 PM, Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, kitchen open, smoke free, public invited. Plenty of free parking, 203-866-8249.

Tue Sep 3, 2019

6pm - 10pm Naugatuck Post 17 Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 17 Naugatuck, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post 17 Bingo - Bingo at the Post every Tuesday night (except holidays / snow days). Doors open at 6 p.m. and games start at 7 p.m. See attached Flyer

Wed Sep 4, 2019

5:30pm - 8:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Wednesday Dinners, \$9.00, doors open at 5:30. Call in advance 860-388-9482 to reserve.

Post Activities

Thu Sep 5, 2019

6pm - 9pm Post 104 Bingo, Taftville, CT

Where: American Legion Post 104 Taftville, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Fri Sep 6, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 165 Wolcott - doors open at 4:30 PM , Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, we have a full kitchen with a wide variety of food, all are welcome. We have 2 winner take all, 2 progressive jackpots and Seal Tickets. Admission is \$13.00 plus your specials.

Sat Sep 7, 2019

All day Ceremony to Honor Revolutionary War Veterans

Sat Sep 7, 2019

Where: Litchfield Town Green

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

American Legion Post 44 of Bantam, Post 27 of Litchfield and Post 173 of Morris to honor Revolutionary War veterans on September 7th. LITCHFIELD: On Saturday, September 7, American Legion Post 44 of Bantam and American Legion 27 of Litchfield will pay tribute to all of Litchfield's Revolutionary War veterans with a ceremony on the Litchfield Town Green. This will be the 359th Veteran of the Month ceremony and, in honor of Litchfield's 300th Anniversary, it will be the first time it has not taken place at the All Wars Memorial in Bantam. The ceremony will include Revolutionary War era music by Heart of Oak independent militia, a tribute by Susan Harrison of the Mary Floyd Tallmadge Daughters of the American Revolution, a three-volley salute by the Oliver Wolcott Sons of the American Revolution, presentation of the colors by the Charles Merriman Children of the American Revolution and the raising of a 13-star flag. This ceremony will be the start of a day-long, free and educational event across all three Greens. The West Green will be the site Litchfield Village in the 18th century with actors portraying real people and acting out actual events. The Sons of the American Revolution, the Daughters of the American Revolution and the Children of the American Revolution will be on the East Green with displays, information about their organization and genealogical advice. The Litchfield Historical Society will conduct two Revolutionary War walking tours and have children's activities. The First Congregational Church of Litchfield will host an open house to let visitors know about their history during the Revolutionary War and after. St. Paul's Masonic Lodge on Meadow Street will also host an open house to tell visitors of their history and activities within the community.

7pm - 10pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post 165 Wolcott - doors open at 4:30 PM , Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, we have a full kitchen with a wide variety of food, all are welcome. We have 2 winner take all, 2 progressive jackpots and Seal Tickets. Admission is \$13.00 plus your specials.

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Tue Sep 10, 2019

5pm - 6:30pm Post 68 Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post #68 weekly pasta dinner. Every Tuesday from 5 PM to 6:30 PM. All you can eat for \$8.00. Italian sweet sausage and meatballs at a slight extra charge. Hot fresh Italian bread, coffee, tea, soda.

6pm - 10pm Naugatuck Post 17 Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 17 Naugatuck, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

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5:30pm - 8:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

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Thu Sep 12, 2019

6pm - 9pm Post 104 Bingo, Taftville, CT

Where: American Legion Post 104 Taftville, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Fri Sep 13, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

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Thu Sep 19, 2019

6pm - 9pm Post 104 Bingo, Taftville, CT

Where: American Legion Post 104 Taftville, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Post Activities

Fri Sep 20, 2019

5:30pm - 8:30pm Post 52 Coventry Bingo

Where: First Congregational Church, 1171 Main St, Coventry, CT 06238, USA

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

7pm - 10pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 165 Wolcott - doors open at 4:30 PM , Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, we have a full kitchen with a wide variety of food, all are welcome. We have 2 winner take all, 2 progressive jackpots and Seal Tickets. Admission is \$13.00 plus your specials.

Sat Sep 21, 2019

7pm - 10pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post 165 Wolcott - doors open at 4:30 PM , Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, we have a full kitchen with a wide variety of food, all are welcome. We have 2 winner take all, 2 progressive jackpots and Seal Tickets. Admission is \$13.00 plus your specials.

Mon Sep 23, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

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

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo at Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk. Doors open at 5:00 PM, Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, kitchen open, smoke free, public invited. Plenty of free parking, 203-866-8249.

Tue Sep 24, 2019

5pm - 6:30pm Post 68 Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post #68 weekly pasta dinner. Every Tuesday from 5 PM to 6:30 PM. All you can eat for \$8.00. Italian sweet sausage and meatballs at a slight extra charge. Hot fresh Italian bread, coffee, tea, soda.

6pm - 10pm Naugatuck Post 17 Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 17 Naugatuck, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post 17 Bingo - Bingo at the Post every Tuesday night (except holidays / snow days). Doors open at 6 p.m. and games start at 7 p.m. See attached Flyer

Post Activities

Wed Sep 25, 2019

5:30pm - 8:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Wednesday Dinners, \$9.00, doors open at 5:30. Call in advance 860-388-9482 to reserve.

Thu Sep 26, 2019

6pm - 9pm Post 104 Bingo, Taftville, CT

Where: American Legion Post 104 Taftville, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Fri Sep 27, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 165 Wolcott - doors open at 4:30 PM , Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, we have a full kitchen with a wide variety of food, all are welcome. We have 2 winner take all, 2 progressive jackpots and Seal Tickets. Admission is \$13.00 plus your specials.

Sat Sep 28, 2019

7pm - 10pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post 165 Wolcott - doors open at 4:30 PM , Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, we have a full kitchen with a wide variety of food, all are welcome. We have 2 winner take all, 2 progressive jackpots and Seal Tickets. Admission is \$13.00 plus your specials.

Mon Sep 30, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

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

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo at Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk. Doors open at 5:00 PM, Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, kitchen open, smoke free, public invited. Plenty of free parking, 203-866-8249.

Tue Oct 1, 2019

5pm - 6:30pm Post 68 Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post #68 weekly pasta dinner. Every Tuesday from 5 PM to 6:30 PM. All you can eat for \$8.00. Italian sweet sausage and meatballs at a slight extra charge. Hot fresh Italian bread, coffee, tea, soda.

Post Activities

6pm - 10pm Naugatuck Post 17 Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 17 Naugatuck, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post 17 Bingo - Bingo at the Post every Tuesday night (except holidays / snow days). Doors open at 6 p.m. and games start at 7 p.m. See attached Flyer

Wed Oct 2, 2019

5:30pm - 8:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Wednesday Dinners, \$9.00, doors open at 5:30. Call in advance 860-388-9482 to reserve.

Thu Oct 3, 2019

6pm - 9pm Post 104 Bingo, Taftville, CT

Where: American Legion Post 104 Taftville, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Fri Oct 4, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 165 Wolcott - doors open at 4:30 PM , Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, we have a full kitchen with a wide variety of food, all are welcome. We have 2 winner take all, 2 progressive jackpots and Seal Tickets. Admission is \$13.00 plus your specials.

Sat Oct 5, 2019

7pm - 10pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post 165 Wolcott - doors open at 4:30 PM , Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, we have a full kitchen with a wide variety of food, all are welcome. We have 2 winner take all, 2 progressive jackpots and Seal Tickets. Admission is \$13.00 plus your specials.

Sun Oct 6, 2019

8am - 11am Post 113 SAL Breakfast

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

SAL Breakfast Every 1st Sunday of the Month at Post 113 Old Saybrook 8:00 - 11:00 a.m. Cost is \$8.00

Post Activities

11am - 12pm 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

Description:

Veteran of the month at the American Legion Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk. The veteran of the month Flag service is held the first Sunday of the month in front of the Legion home at 11 A.M. If you know of a Veteran you would like to be honored contact the Legion at 203-866-8249. The veteran need not be a member of any veterans Organization.

Mon Oct 7, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

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

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo at Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk. Doors open at 5:00 PM, Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, kitchen open, smoke free, public invited. Plenty of free parking, 203-866-8249.

Tue Oct 8, 2019

5pm - 6:30pm Post 68 Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post #68 weekly pasta dinner. Every Tuesday from 5 PM to 6:30 PM. All you can eat for \$8.00. Italian sweet sausage and meatballs at a slight extra charge. Hot fresh Italian bread, coffee, tea, soda.

6pm - 10pm Naugatuck Post 17 Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 17 Naugatuck, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post 17 Bingo - Bingo at the Post every Tuesday night (except holidays / snow days). Doors open at 6 p.m. and games start at 7 p.m. See attached Flyer

Wed Oct 9, 2019

5:30pm - 8:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Wednesday Dinners, \$9.00, doors open at 5:30. Call in advance 860-388-9482 to reserve.

Thu Oct 10, 2019

All day Post 202 Event (Cardiology Prevention)

Thu Oct 10, 2019

Where: Newtown CommunityCenter, Newtown, CT 06470, USA

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description: See attached flyer

Post Activities

6pm - 9pm Post 104 Bingo, Taftville, CT

Where: American Legion Post 104 Taftville, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Fri Oct 11, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 165 Wolcott - doors open at 4:30 PM , Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, we have a full kitchen with a wide variety of food, all are welcome. We have 2 winner take all, 2 progressive jackpots and Seal Tickets. Admission is \$13.00 plus your specials.

Sat Oct 12, 2019

9am - 9pm Back to School Event -District 6 & Post 20

Where: Staples, 544 Straits Turnpike, Watertown, CT 06795, USA

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

7pm - 10pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

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Sun Oct 13, 2019

9am - 6pm Back to School Event District 6 & Post 20

Where: Staples, 544 Straits Turnpike, Watertown, CT 06795, USA

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: femaleveteran66@gmail.com

Description: Good Citizenship, Flag Etiquette

Mon Oct 14, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

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Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo at Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk. Doors open at 5:00 PM, Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, kitchen open, smoke free, public invited. Plenty of free parking, 203-866-8249.

Post Activities

Tue Oct 15, 2019

5pm - 6:30pm Post 68 Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post #68 weekly pasta dinner. Every Tuesday from 5 PM to 6:30 PM. All you can eat for \$8.00. Italian sweet sausage and meatballs at a slight extra charge. Hot fresh Italian bread, coffee, tea, soda.

6pm - 10pm Naugatuck Post 17 Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 17 Naugatuck, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post 17 Bingo - Bingo at the Post every Tuesday night (except holidays / snow days). Doors open at 6 p.m. and games start at 7 p.m. See attached Flyer

Wed Oct 16, 2019

5:30pm - 8:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Wednesday Dinners, \$9.00, doors open at 5:30. Call in advance 860-388-9482 to reserve.

Thu Oct 17, 2019

6pm - 9pm Post 104 Bingo, Taftville, CT

Where: American Legion Post 104 Taftville, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Fri Oct 18, 2019

5:30pm - 8:30pm Post 52 Coventry Bingo

Where: First Congregational Church, 1171 Main St, Coventry, CT 06238, USA

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

7pm - 10pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

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Post Activities

Sat Oct 19, 2019

7pm - 10pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

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Mon Oct 21, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

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

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Description:

Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo at Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk. Doors open at 5:00 PM, Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, kitchen open, smoke free, public invited. Plenty of free parking, 203-866-8249.

Tue Oct 22, 2019

5pm - 6:30pm Post 68 Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

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6pm - 10pm Naugatuck Post 17 Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 17 Naugatuck, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

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All day Post 202 Event (Cardiology Prevention W/Dental)

Wed Oct 23, 2019

Where: Newtown CommunityCenter, Newtown, CT 06470, USA

Calendar: Post Activities

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Description: See attached flyer

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Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Wednesday Dinners, \$9.00, doors open at 5:30. Call in advance 860-388-9482 to reserve.

Post Activities

Thu Oct 24, 2019

6pm - 9pm Post 104 Bingo, Taftville, CT

Where: American Legion Post 104 Taftville, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Fri Oct 25, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Unit 165 Wolcott - doors open at 4:30 PM , Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, we have a full kitchen with a wide variety of food, all are welcome. We have 2 winner take all, 2 progressive jackpots and Seal Tickets. Admission is \$13.00 plus your specials.

Sat Oct 26, 2019

7pm - 10pm Post 165 Bingo Wolcott

Where: American Legion Post 165 Wolcott, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

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Mon Oct 28, 2019

7pm - 10pm Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo

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Calendar: Post Activities

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Description:

Unit 12 Norwalk Bingo at Post 12, 60 County St. Norwalk. Doors open at 5:00 PM, Bingo starts at 7:00 PM, kitchen open, smoke free, public invited. Plenty of free parking, 203-866-8249.

Tue Oct 29, 2019

5pm - 6:30pm Post 68 Pasta Dinner

Where: American Legion Post 68 Berlin, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

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6pm - 10pm Naugatuck Post 17 Bingo

Where: American Legion Post 17 Naugatuck, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Post 17 Bingo - Bingo at the Post every Tuesday night (except holidays / snow days). Doors open at 6 p.m. and games start at 7 p.m. See attached Flyer

Post Activities

Wed Oct 30, 2019

5:30pm - 8:30pm Post 113 Old Saybrook Wednesday Dinners 5:30 PM

Where: American Legion Post 113 Old Saybrook, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

Description:

Wednesday Dinners, \$9.00, doors open at 5:30. Call in advance 860-388-9482 to reserve.

Thu Oct 31, 2019

6pm - 9pm Post 104 Bingo, Taftville, CT

Where: American Legion Post 104 Taftville, CT

Calendar: Post Activities

Created by: Harry Hansen

General Information on the Connecticut Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act

This is a summary of some of the provisions of the Connecticut Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act, (CGS Chapter 419d, Section 21a-175 through 21a-190I). It is intended for organizations that are seeking information about whether they must register and what is required of them.

What Are The Act's Purposes? The purposes of the Act are twofold. First, to provide a source of information for the public on the financial and programmatic activities of charitable organizations that seek the public's support. Second, to better enable the state to detect and, if necessary, prosecute those who abuse the public's trust in philanthropic institutions.

How Do I Reach Public Charities? Public Charities may be reached at:

- ctcharityhelp@ct.gov (for questions or assistance)
- dcp.frauds@ct.gov (to file complaints)

Mailing address: Public Charities Unit
Department of Consumer Protection
450 Columbus Blvd, Ste. 801
Hartford, CT 06103

Telephone: (860)713-6170

Who is Covered? The Connecticut Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act applies to charitable organizations that solicit funds or anything of value. Carefully read the definition of charitable organization in the next paragraph. Then read the paragraph on "What Constitutes Soliciting?" If your organization fits within the definition of charitable organization and it solicits, then it is covered by the Act. An organization that does not fit the definition, or an organization that fits the definition but does not solicit, is not subject to the Act.

The Act defines a charitable organization as "any person who is or holds himself out to be established for any benevolent, educational, philanthropic, humane, scientific, patriotic, social welfare or advocacy, public health, environmental conservation, civic or eleemosynary purpose, or for the benefit of law enforcement officers, firefighters or

other persons who protect the public safety.”

"Person" means "an individual, corporation, association, partnership, trust, foundation or any other entity however styled." Organizations that have been determined by the Internal Revenue Service to be exempt from federal taxation under sections 501(c)(3) (charitable, educational, religious, scientific testing) or 501(c)(4) (civic, social welfare) of the Internal Revenue Code are clearly subject to the Act, if they solicit (see Part D). Organizations that have not applied for or received federal tax exemption, or organizations that have received exemption under another category of section 501(c) are also subject to the Act if they engage in any activity that involves the solicitation of contributions. Thus, for example, a social club that solicits contributions for a scholarship fund is covered. Also, police and firefighter labor unions and benevolent associations are specifically included within the scope of the Act.

What Constitutes Soliciting? The Act defines "solicit" very broadly. In essence, it includes any request, however made, for any kind of support, financial or otherwise. This includes fund-raising by mail, telephone, in-person contact, posters, raffles and the sale of goods or services. For purposes of the Act, the extent of solicitation is largely irrelevant. Thus, an organization is covered even if it only solicits grants from corporations or foundations and does no "public" fund-raising. Anything received in response to a solicitation is a contribution. However, the statute specifically excludes from the definition of contribution "bona fide fees, dues or assessments paid by members, provided membership is not conferred solely as consideration for making a contribution in response to a solicitation."

Who Must Register? Who is Exempt? Any organization that solicits contributions for charitable purposes must register with the Department of Consumer Protection prior to the commencement of solicitation and must remain registered at all times during which it solicits funds in Connecticut, unless the organization meets one of the following criteria for exemption. Registrations expire after the last day of the eleventh month following the end of the organization's fiscal year. Organizations entitled to claim an exemption from registration are:

1. Any duly organized religious corporation, religious institution or religious society;
2. Any parent-teacher association or educational institution, the curricula of which in whole or in part are registered or approved by any state or the United States either directly or by acceptance of accreditation by an accrediting body;
3. Any non-profit hospital licensed under the laws of Connecticut or another state;
4. Any governmental unit or instrumentality of any state or the United States;

5. Any person who solicits solely for the benefit of an organization described in (1) through (4) above; and
6. Any organization that normally receives less than fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) in contributions annually, provided such organization does not compensate any person primarily to conduct solicitations.

The word "contribution" as used in item 6 of this list means any grant, promise or pledge of money, credit, property, financial assistance, or other thing of value received as a result of a fund-raising activity. It includes the gross amount received (before deducting expenses) in connection with a special fund-raising event. It does not include other kinds of revenue such as membership dues (see Part D) and fees received in exchange for providing a charitable service. "Normally" means for any two out of the last three consecutive years. If your organization has not been in existence that long, you may make a good faith estimate as to the amount of contributions that will be received each year. All amounts include world-wide contributions.

An organization falling within one of the classes described above is not automatically exempt. Exemption must be claimed by filing Form CPC-54, Claim of Exemption From Registration. There is no filing fee. Exemption need be claimed only once and does not have to be renewed, although the Department may from time to time require an organization to verify its continued eligibility for exemption. There is no annual financial reporting requirement. However, if the circumstances of the organization change so that the exemption no longer applies, it is the duty of the organization to register at that time.

How does an organization register? Application for registration is made annually. An organization which has never been registered with Connecticut files an initial application using an initial application form which can be downloaded from the Department of Consumer Protection website. Already-registered organizations receive a renewal registration application by mail from the Department. If a registered organization does not receive a renewal form or needs another copy, it can email ctCharityHelp@ct.gov and request a renewal form. There is an annual \$50.00 registration fee. With both applications, the organization is required to submit a financial report of its most recent fiscal year as well as information about the organization, its personnel, and its purposes. The Department will mail a verification of registration to you when it is processed. You can check the status of your registration at any time on the Department's website.

What financial information is required with the registration application? A copy of an Internal Revenue Service Form 990, Form 990N, Form 990-EZ, or Form 990-PF, (whichever is appropriate for the organization) for its most recently completed fiscal

year-end. Please note that even if the organization is not exempt from federal taxation and, therefore, does not file one of these forms with the IRS, it still must complete the form for state purposes.

If the IRS form that the organization submits with its registration application reports gross receipts exceeding \$ 500,000 (excluding grants or fees from government agencies and revenue from trusts held by a trustee, usually a bank, for the benefit of the organization), it must also file an audit report of an independent public accountant. The auditor's opinion can relate to the IRS form or to a separate set of audited financial statements. It is very important to observe the distinction between gross receipts and gross revenue for purposes of the audit threshold. Gross receipts include the total income from an activity without deducting expenses related to the activity. For example, if \$50,000 worth of raffle tickets are sold and the prizes cost the organization \$30,000, the full \$50,000 is counted toward gross receipts, not just the \$20,000 the organization netted.

If the organization is newly organized and has not yet completed its initial fiscal year, a financial report will not be required. The organization will have to include a financial report when and if it renews its registration.

What if a Registration is Rejected? Any organization whose registration is deemed deficient may request a hearing on its noncompliant status within seven days after receipt of the notice that the registration application is deficient. A hearing shall be held within seven days after the Department receives a request and a decision must be issued by the Department no later than three days after the hearing.

What if The Organization Hires a Professional Fund-Raiser? The Act creates two classes of what are sometimes referred to as professional fund-raisers. A bona fide, non-temporary salaried officer or employee of a charitable organization does not fall within either class.

A **Fund-Raising Counsel** is one who plans, manages, or otherwise advises an organization with respect to a fund-raising effort but who does not directly solicit contributions and who does not hire someone else to do soliciting. The only filing requirement is that the Fund-Raising Counsel submits to the Department of Consumer Protection a copy of the contract between it and the charitable organization. The exception is in the unusual circumstance where the Fund-Raising Counsel has custody

or control of contributions. In that event, the Fund-Raising Counsel must separately register and post a surety bond with the Department.

A **Paid Solicitor** is one who is hired by the charitable organization to solicit contributions on its behalf. Generally, the litmus test of whether someone is a Paid Solicitor is whether there is person-to-person or voice-to-voice contact between the solicitor and the prospective donor. Thus, a person or firm hired by the charitable organization to make telephone solicitations would be a Paid Solicitor, whereas a firm hired by the non-profit to prepare a solicitation solely by mail would be considered a Fund-Raising Counsel.

The Act imposes particular requirements on Paid Solicitors and the charitable organizations that hire them. The Paid Solicitor must annually register and post a \$20,000 surety bond with the Department of Consumer Protection. Also, the Paid Solicitor and the charitable organization must jointly file a notice of intent to solicit prior to the start of each separate fund-raising campaign and must file a financial report at the conclusion of each campaign. This financial report is in addition to the annual report required of the registered organization discussed above. Reference should be made to the Connecticut Solicitation of Charitable Funds Act for the particulars on these and other related requirements.

What About Commercial Sales Promotions That Benefit a Non-Profit? A possible source of funds for charitable organizations is the offer by a commercial enterprise to donate to the charitable organization a portion of the revenue derived from the advertised sale of a product or service. The objective for the commercial enterprise is to increase product sales by being identified as supporting a charitable cause. For the charitable organization, it is a source of revenue and perhaps a means of increasing its name recognition.

The Act refers to these joint ventures as charitable sales promotions. A business, which the Act refers to as a Commercial Co-venturer, that engages in a charitable sales promotion must have a contract with the charitable organization and file a copy of it with the Department prior to the start of the sale. The Act specifies certain provisions that must be in the contract. They are:

- a description of the goods or services to be offered;
- the geographic area in which the sale will occur and the time frame in which it will occur;
- a provision for a final accounting by the Co-venturer to the charitable organization;
- the date and the manner in which the benefit is to be conferred on the charitable organization; and
- the manner in which the name of the charitable organization is to be used in the promotion, including any representation to be made to the public as to the amount or

percent per unit of goods or services purchased or used that is to benefit the charitable organization. In this regard, it is important to note that the Act requires this kind of benefit disclosure in all advertising relating to the sale.

INCORPORATION, TAX EXEMPTION AND GAMES OF CHANCE

Registering with the Department of Consumer Protection to solicit funds, or claiming an exemption from registration, is unrelated to incorporating, obtaining tax exemption (state and federal) and being licensed to conduct games of chance (raffle, Las Vegas nights, etc.). There are other state and federal agencies you need to contact for information about those matters.

Incorporating

Although you do not have to incorporate, there may be advantages in doing so. We urge you to seek professional advice. In Connecticut, organizations incorporate through the Secretary of the State, 30 Trinity Street, Hartford, CT 06106. Website: www.sots.ct.gov/sots

Tax Exemption

If your organization wants to be exempt from federal income tax, the organization must apply to the Internal Revenue Service. Information about this can be obtained from the IRS by calling 1-800-829-FORM (3676) and ordering Publication 557, "Tax Exempt Status for Your Organization," or on the web at www.irs.gov. Again, we urge you to seek professional advice.

State of Connecticut tax matters, including exemption from paying sales tax on products your charity purchases, are handled by the Connecticut Department of Revenue Services, 25 Sigourney Street, Hartford, CT 06106. Website: www.ct.gov/drs

Games of Chance

Connecticut law allows certain organizations to conduct games of chance, such as raffles, Las Vegas Nights, bingo, and others. Permits are required. Inquiries should be directed to the Department of Consumer Protection's Gaming Division at: dcp.gaming@ct.gov.



THE AMERICAN LEGION *Centennial celebration*

Stories that need to be told!

This story: "Veteran Parade Marshal Steps Off for Last Time" was written by reporter Joseph O'Brien, Hartford Courant, June 24, 1963, pg. 46. For the most part, this was his work.

The day was Sunday, June 23, 1963. The occasion was the Winsted Annual Laurel Day Parade. The World War, the War to End All Wars, had come to an end on November 11, 1918, 45 years past. Parade Marshal and Legionnaire Henry B. MacPherson, 69, made his last march, not much different than his marches across shell shocked French fields, littered with fallen comrades, animals and the dead. The World War hero thought this is my last parade... "I'm retiring from parades."

He recalled that parades had good years and then there were those other ones. Some years, he marched along with Governor Dempsey, fire chiefs, selectmen and veterans. Another year, he was the drum corps major. He thought about the Drum Major stunt, when his stick flew out of his hand into a firehouse. Probably, with the thought he smiled, as he noted, the parade continued as I crawled under a fire truck to retrieve my drum stick. And he noted that while marching he picked up a dollar bill, and the drum corps just kept on going. After 45 years of parades, 22 in Connecticut, you would expect this hero would take it easy.

What makes anyone a hero? "A Citation signed by General John J. Pershing said that Corp. Henry B. MacPherson, 306 Infantry, 77th Division took part in a battle near St. Juvin, France (*) and 'for extraordinary heroism' was awarded the nation's second highest military award for valor – the Distinguished Service Cross. He received this citation; it says that Cpl. MacPherson volunteered repeatedly, during the attack on St. Juvin, to carry messages through severe enemy barrage. Throughout the action this soldier showed entire disregard for personal danger and a devotion to duty far beyond the scope of his position... After the war, he stood on the Drill Field, Fort Devens, as the entire battalion passed before him in review. But since that time, he marched in review for others.

He began as a Drum Major in Bridgewater, Mass. and a member of the Bridgewater Drum Corps, Brockton American Legion Band and when he moved to the Winsted area in 1941, he became part of their parade scene.

Henry Burns MacPherson was born 17 Mar 1895, Tewsbury, Massachusetts, but early life was spent in Abington, Mass. After the war, he worked for Railway Express. He married Grace Wiggins and they had one son, Richard W. MacPherson. Prior to his death, he lived in Norfolk, CT, but died 19 Feb., 1981 in Torrington.

(*)The town of Saint-Juvin is located in the French region of Champagne-Ardenne.

SNIP-ITS by W. FRAZIER BRINLEY

1960-61 Honorary Junior President: Margaret Day, Norwalk Secretary: Sandra Baxter, Stafford Springs
 The Junior Convention was held on June 25, 1960 in Jewett City.

1957-58 The American Legion, Department Executive Committeemen (Directory)

- Royden G. Barton – Bristol Pat J. Lamagna – Suffield
- Michael J. Panek – New Haven Donald L. Smith – New Haven
- Robert E. Park, Sr. – Norwalk Richard A. Houston – Bridgeport
- Norman J. Levesque – Putnam P. John Perham – Hebron
- John E. Murray – New London Neale V. Cabral - Quaker Hill
- Thomas Long – Thomaston Daniel Banziruk – Terryville
- Edward Baribeault – Old Saybrook Byron M. Clark – East Hampton

1957-58 Sgt-At-Arms Richard J. Barrett - Bridgeport Asst Sgt-At-Arms Vernon C. Norton – Thomaston

1967 Report – The Rehabilitation Stamp Program – Annual Report by Donald F. McCarthy, Director

“The year 1967 was the third year that we have operated the Rehabilitation Stamp Program... The worth of this program is indicated by the support that it has received over the past three years...

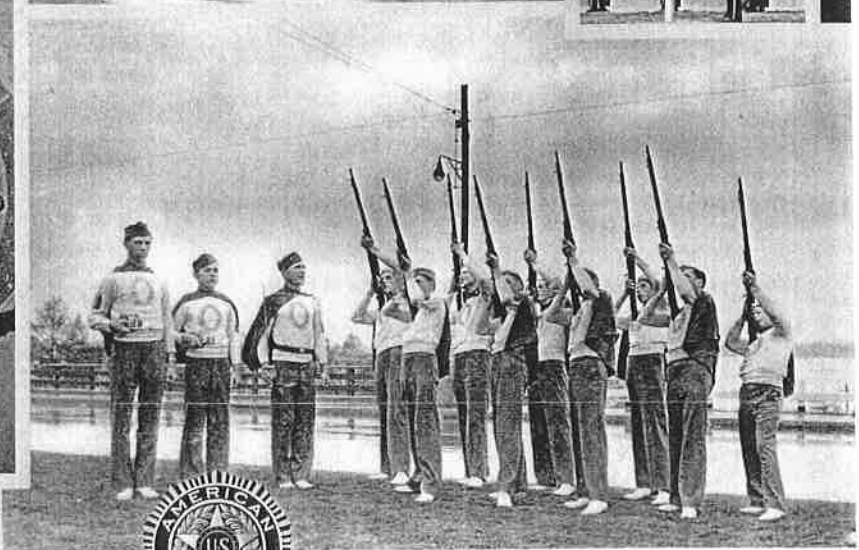
The program started approximately one month later this year due to a mailing problem at National Headquarters, but once that was resolved, it was full speed ahead.

For the period of April 1st up until June 7th, the following amount was returned to Department... \$4,510.85. Expenses: envelopes and postage = \$1,297. Net return as of June 7, 1967 = \$3,213.85. I am confident that this figure will be appreciably increased when all returns are submitted.

I wish to thank the members of New Haven Fire Department Post 132 and firemen who volunteered their service in assisting in the mailing of these stamps. This is the second consecutive year that the firemen’s post has handled this job of mailing some 29,000 envelopes out. If we did not have this volunteer help it would be impossible to operate this fund raising program as the cost of labor would be prohibitive..

I wish to express my sincere thanks to all of my friends in this department for their loyal support of this program and my sincere thanks to you, Mr. Commander for the privilege of serving as one of your Directors.”

MEMBERSHIP	1966	1967	Posts in District	Average Attendance	Posts Present	At least Visits/once
1 st	6558	6812	33	65-70	20	32
2 nd	no report submitted					
3 rd	4916	4879	23	45	17	19
4 th	3084	3091	14	26	13	7
5 th	2498	2545	19	55	13	15
6 th	2690	2716	23	50	10	3
7 th	no report submitted					



THE AMERICAN LEGION

A BRIEF HISTORY

The American Legion was founded March 15-17, 1919, by members of the American Expeditionary Forces still stationed in Europe awaiting passage home from World War I. Their experiences in what was called the "war to end all wars" would shape an enduring agenda for what became the nation's largest organization of veterans.

Many of the Legion's founders had voluntarily drilled in civilian military camps before the United States entered the war. Trained in the "Preparedness Movement," several future Legion founders were commissioned as officers in the war and discovered firsthand the nation's deficiencies in defense, citizenship and education. Soon after the war's end, they

also realized how poorly prepared the United States was to assist a wave of disabled and unemployed veterans who faced uncertain futures in their communities, states and the nation.

The American Legion's emergence and rise to prominence was based on a mission to strengthen the nation through programs, services and advocacy that helped millions throughout the organization's first century.

The American Legion built its legacy with a vision to make the nation prouder, stronger, smarter and more respectful of those who have sacrificed some, or all, in defense of the nation. Following are some The American Legion's achievements during its first century.

VETERANS



- Formed a network of service officers in 1919 that now exceeds 3,500 to help disabled veterans, free of charge, file for government benefits
- Successfully campaigned to put all veterans services under one federal authority, the Veterans Bureau in 1921, predecessor to the Veterans Administration in 1930 and the Department of Veterans Affairs in 1989
- Assisted millions of veterans in pursuit of rewarding careers; by June 1922 had already placed more than

500,000 veterans in permanent jobs and 200,000 more in temporary positions

- Successfully lobbied Congress to protect veterans benefits, VA hospitals, training programs and services on the federal budget chopping block over the decades
- Developed programs and advanced research into what became post-traumatic stress disorder as early as 1921, when it was mischaracterized as “shell shock”
- Produced studies that led to official diagnosis of PTSD in 1980 and proved that service-connected exposure to Agent Orange and atomic radiation caused diseases that demanded government accountability
- Achieved Veterans Preference Hiring for federal jobs
- Drafted, presented, promoted and pushed to passage the Servicemen’s Readjustment Act of 1944, the original GI Bill that transformed U.S. economy and culture in the second half of the 20th century
- Worked to improve the GI Bill for post-9/11 veterans, including the 2017 Harry W. Colmery Veterans Educational Assistance Act, the “Forever GI Bill”

NATIONAL SECURITY

- Lobbied persistently for a better-funded and more efficient national system of defense
- Called for the establishment of a separate service branch for aeronautics as early as 1919, which helped give birth to the U.S. Air Force in 1947
- Pushed Congress for “universal military training” for decades, culminating in the Reserve Forces Act of 1955
- Conducted thousands of troop-support programs, including deployment ceremonies, welcome-home events and provision of needed items in theater
- Established and staffed thousands of local first-response units and civil patrols during World War II
- Provided financial and volunteer aid for military parents through American Legion Temporary Financial Assistance and Family Support Network programs established during the Gulf War
- Began The American Legion Blood Donor Program in 1942, and became the largest organizational blood donor to the Red Cross in the nation
- Re-established the Blue Star Banner program to recognize military families with deployed loved ones after 9/11
- Launched a program to provide comfort items for U.S. military personnel recovering from wounds in DoD hospitals or transition units, ultimately named Operation



Comfort Warriors in 2008; has distributed millions of dollars of goods, games, books, music, recreational equipment and event passes for troops and their families

- Provided emergency grants for members of the U.S. Coast Guard who had pay delays due to the January 2019 federal government shutdown
- Fought to protect military retirement benefits and TRICARE insurance
- Stood as a national leader in the recovery and repatriation of all U.S. POWs and MIAs
- Passed and reaffirmed national resolutions, beginning in 2005, supporting the troops *and their mission* in the global war on terrorism

AMERICANISM



- Actively promoted responsible U.S. citizenship and patriotic awareness beginning in 1919
- By January 1920, began providing U.S. citizenship and naturalization programs for immigrants, with support from Congress
- Led flag conferences in 1923 and 1924 that established the first standard rules for treatment and respect of the U.S. flag, adopted in 1942 as U.S. Flag Code
- Established official retirement ceremonies for worn-out U.S. flags, most often a joint activity with Boy Scouts of America units
- Began American Legion Boys State in Illinois in 1935 to counter communist-inspired youth camps in the United States and to teach the way government operates in a democracy, a program that went national in 1946 and ultimately became American Legion Boys Nation
- Strongly advocated for active participation in the voting process, conducting thousands of candidate forums and a national Get Out the Vote program
- Assembled the Citizens Flag Alliance after the controversial 1989 Supreme Court ruling defining deliberate flag desecration as free speech and began a campaign to seek a constitutional amendment to return to the states the right to pass laws to protect the flag

CHILDREN & YOUTH

- Urged American Legion support for Boy Scouts of America as the organization's first youth program supported by resolution, in November 1919
- Established an enduring relationship in 1921 with the National Education Association "to cooperate in securing for America a program of education adequate to meet the needs of the 20th century ... which will make all, native or foreign-born, good American citizens."
- Launched American Legion Baseball in 1925 to promote citizenship through sportsmanship, a program that would grow to field thousands of teams over the century
- Developed and operated marksmanship competitions that became the national American Legion Junior Shooting Sports Program in 1991
- Sponsored thousands of Junior ROTC programs across the country and at American schools overseas
- Created and operated a National Oratorical Contest beginning in 1938, continuing today, that requires high school-age orators to speak on the U.S. Constitution
- Established a national network of child-support field representatives in the 1920s and operated orphanages throughout the country to assist kids who needed stable homes and mentorship
- Formed the Child Welfare Foundation in 1954 to provide grants to support organizations and agencies that assist young people facing challenges not of their making



- Provided thousands of scholarships for high school students seeking college educations
- Launched an ongoing program in 1926 that recognizes with School Award Medals young people for their character, service and citizenship.
- Was chosen by Samsung Corp. in 1995 to administer a \$5 million fund to provide scholarships for Boys State or Girls State participants who are descendants of U.S. wartime veterans
- Established an American Legion Legacy Scholarship in 2001 that provides college funds for children of military personnel killed or 50 percent or more disabled

COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Immediately established civil defense as a function of The American Legion and began a century of support in communities wracked by disasters, from mining accidents to tornados, wildfires and hurricanes
- Launched a Community and Civic Betterment Bureau in 1923 to help municipalities build and improve parks, playgrounds, health-care facilities, swimming pools, schools and theaters throughout the United States
- Served meals, provided housing for refugees and searched for survivors of the massive Mississippi and Ohio River floods of 1927 and 1937
- Sponsored soup kitchens at American Legion posts to help destitute citizens during the Depression throughout the country
- Helped establish state highway patrols, and supported them, as they emerged across the country
- Established the National Emergency Fund in 1989 to formalize The American Legion's long program to provide disaster relief
- Delivered millions of dollars in National Emergency Fund grants for relief efforts after Hurricane Katrina, Wilma and Rita on the Gulf Coast, and the flooding that followed in New Orleans
- Conducted dozens of natural disaster relief efforts, following Superstorm Sandy, Hurricanes Irene, Michael, Maria and others, wildfires in California, devastating flooding in the Midwest and other crises

HONOR & REMEMBRANCE

- Took a lead role in 1920 to formally observe Memorial Day at the graves of U.S. military personnel laid to rest in some 2,400 temporary cemeteries in Europe
- Was actively involved in the development of the American Battle Monuments Commission in 1923
- Backed legislation in 1920 to install the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier at Arlington National Cemetery, dedicated Nov. 11, 1921
- Helped dedicate the towering Liberty Memorial in Kansas City during the third national convention, in 1921
- Raised funds in 1926 to help build the Ossuary at Verdun, France, to remember the cost of World War I
- Pushed for 24-hour guarding for the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier in 1937 and purchased lights for the shrine in 1969
- Raised over \$1.2 million, most by any organization, to build the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, dedicated in a Legion-sponsored 1982 "Salute to Vietnam Veterans"
- Passed a resolution in 1985 to open every official American Legion meeting with a prayer for all American POW/MIAs
- Raised funds and provided marketing support for the Korean War Veterans Memorial in Washington, D.C.
- Raised more than \$3 million for the construction of the National World War II Memorial, dedicated in 2004
- Pledged funds to help construct a National World War I Memorial in Washington, D.C.
- Conducted thousands of local memorial services a year at funerals, special events and ceremonies honoring those who served their country and lost their lives
- Argued in court, including the U.S. Supreme Court in 2019, to protect veterans and military memorials from removal due to religious symbolism in their design



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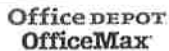
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YOUR SUMMARY OF THE AMERICAN LEGION BENEFITS

Reserved for Members

RETAIL DISCOUNTS



OFFICE DEPOT/OFFICE MAX -

Members receive significant discounts on over 93,000 items online or in-store with a purchasing card printable online. Next day delivery is free on purchases of \$50 or more for American Legion members.



LIFESTATION -

Members can receive special discounted rates on a medical alert system and a free extra item.

ADDED MEDICAL BENEFITS

amplifon hearing care **DISCOUNTS ON HEARING AIDS**

Members, family, and extended family are eligible for hearing care discounts from Amplifon Hearing Health Care. Benefits include: hearing aid low-price guarantee; convenient locations nationwide; risk-free 60-day trial period; 1-year free follow-up care; free 2-year supply of batteries (160 cells).

INSURANCE



LIFE INSURANCE THROUGH MUTUAL

OF OMAHA - Members aged 45-85 are eligible for guaranteed issue whole life policies. (May not be available in all states).



USAA -

Provides a full range of financial products including: insurance, banking, investments, and financial advice. As an American Legion member, you are eligible to join. There are no membership fees to join USAA, and when you sign up, your eligible family members can join USAA as well.

AUTO RENTAL, RELOCATION, AND TRAVEL



AUTO RENTALS - Members can receive special discounts with ALAMO, NATIONAL, and ENTERPRISE.



NORTH AMERICAN VAN LINES AND

ALLIED VAN LINES - Preferred savings on interstate (state-to-state) moving and in-transit storage.



GOV VACATION REWARDS

Members can get the best discount available on travel including airfare, hotel, car rental, vacation packages, cruises, and more.



VETERANS HOLIDAYS - This

program offers members the opportunity to rent a furnished condominium for 2-8 people, for an entire week, for less than they would pay for a single hotel room.



THE AMERICAN LEGION TRAVEL CENTER POWERED BY HOTELPLANNER

American Legion members can save on hotel stays by searching for name brand hotels in their desired area at discounted rates.



MOTEL 6 - Members receive a preferred discount at any of the 1,100 pet-friendly Motel 6 locations in the U.S. and Canada.



WYNDHAM HOTEL GROUP - Special savings off the best available rate at thousands of participating hotels throughout the world!



NOTE: These discount offers are valid at participating locations and are not valid with any other discounts or special prices. The American Legion does not guarantee any discounts.

ASSISTANCE WITH YOUR VETERAN BENEFITS

BENEFIT ASSISTANCE - The American Legion helps all veterans obtain full medical, career, and education benefits, as well as assistance in preparing VA claims applications.

VETERANS' REPRESENTATION - The American Legion is the nation's largest and most effective advocate in Washington, D.C., for veterans, troops, and their families. The American Legion fights every day on Capitol Hill and across the country for a quality VA health-care system, improved benefits processing, and a decent quality of life for active-duty military personnel.

ACCREDITED SERVICE OFFICERS - The American Legion has nearly 3,000 trained experts in veteran benefits nationwide. Visitors of www.legion.org can search online for the service officer nearest to them.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES FOR VETERANS - The American Legion works closely with numerous employers, lenders, and agencies, including the Department of Labor and the Small Business Administration, to produce hundreds of career events across the country each year. The Legion is also the nation's leading advocate for veteran entrepreneurs and job candidates who have service-connected disabilities.

TOP-RANKED MEMBER MAGAZINE - You'll receive a full year's subscription to *The American Legion Magazine*, the nation's most widely circulated publication for veterans and top-ranked magazine, among all titles, for readership. Each issue is packed with features, commentaries, interviews, military history, photos, and more of interest to America's veterans.

— The American Legion ★ P.O. Box 7017 ★ Indianapolis, IN 46207 —

**MAKE SURE YOU ARE RECEIVING
ALL THE BENEFITS AS A MEMBER OF
THE AMERICAN LEGION!**

The American Legion & American Legion Auxiliary
Department Dinner
Honoring



Dennis Beauregard
Commander



Lydia Degumbia
President

Aqua turf

556 Mulberry St., Plantsville CT

Sunday, November 3, 2019

Cash Bar Social 1:00 PM Dinner 1:45 PM \$40.00 pp

FAMILY STYLE

Chicken a la Kathryn, Baked Scrod, Penne Bolognese, Roasted Potato,
Green Beans Almandine, House Garden Salad

If any special Dietary needs please let us know

Make checks payable to: The American Legion Dept. of CT

No Reservations Accepted After Deadline of October 26, 2019

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

Department Testimonial

Check enclosed in the amount of \$ _____ for _____ reservations. (\$ 400.00 for table of 10)

Name _____ District # _____

Address _____ Post # _____

City/Town _____ Unit # _____

Phone: (____) ____ - _____

_____ Vegetarian Option

See Reverse for tables of 10

Directions to Aqua Turf

From Route 91, North or South or Wilbur Cross Parkway, North or South, Rt. 15

Take Route 691 west to Exit 3, turn right at the end of the exit onto Route 10 South. Stay on Route 10 South until you reach Mulberry St on right after Alzheimer's Care Facility, stay on Mulberry St through two stop sign and continue until you reach Aqua turf on right.

From Rt. 8, North or South, East Bound I84

Take 84 East to Take Route 691 east to Exit 3, turn left at the end of the exit onto Route 10 South. Stay on Route 10 South until you reach Mulberry St on right after Alzheimer's Care Facility, stay on Mulberry St through two stop signs and continue until you reach Aqua turf on right.

From Route 84, West Bound

Take Route 84 West to Exit 29 on Left. AT the end of the exit go straight onto Mulberry St, proceed on Mulberry St until you reach Aqua Turf on right

NAME

DINNER CHOICES

1. _____

{ } Family Style { } Veg

2. _____

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10. _____

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American Legion Department of Connecticut Annual Golf Tournament



When: Friday, September 20, 2019

Time: Registration @ 10:00AM – Shotgun Start @ 12:00PM

Where: River Ridge Golf Course, 259 Preston Road (Route 164), Griswold, CT

Entry Fee: \$125.00 per player, \$500.00 per team of four players

Payment due by September 13, 2019

Includes green fees, cart, coupon for outside grill, dinner (at American Legion Post 91, Moosup), prizes (1st Place Team, 2nd Place Team, Closet to the Pin (2 holes) and Men and Women’s Longest Drive).

Raffle tickets, 50/50 raffle, Mulligans and Strings sold at Registration **(NOT AVAILABLE ON COURSE)**

Players (please print)

1. _____
Name (team captain and phone #)
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Enclose completed application & check made payable to: AL Department of Connecticut

Mailing address: 864 Wethersfield Avenue, Hartford, CT 06114

Point of Contact: Jeff DeClerck, Tournament Committee Chairman, 860-608-8111

Butch Hansen, Department Adjutant, 860-436-9986

Proceeds fund the American Legion/Connecticut State Police Youth Week Program



American Legion Department of Connecticut Annual Golf Classic

When: **Friday, September 20, 2019**

Where: **River Ridge Golf Course**

Tee Sponsor/Dedication: \$100.00

TEE SPONSOR

Business Name and address (please print)

Phone Number: _____ **Website:** _____

TEE DEDICATION: (HONOR A VETERAN OR LOVED ONE)

Service Member or Loved one's Name:

Branch and Dates of Service:

Mail completed application & check made payable to: **American Legion Dept of CT**, mail to:
The American Legion, 864 Wethersfield Ave, Hartford, CT 06114

Points of Contact: Jeff DeClerck: 860-608-8111, email jadcmd@sbcglobal.net
Harry Hansen: 860-436-9986, email ctadj@ctlegion.org

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**American Legion
Department of Connecticut
Annual Golf Tournament**



SPONSORSHIP REGISTRATION

- _____ *Diamond Sponsor - \$5,000*
- _____ *Platinum Sponsor - \$2,500*
- _____ *Special Sponsor - \$2,000*
- _____ *Gold Sponsor - \$1,000*
- _____ *Silver Sponsor - \$750*
- _____ *Bronze Sponsor - \$250*
- _____ *Add Book Sponsor - \$100*

Sponsor Name

Sponsor Address/Phone Number

Website

Amount Enclosed

***Make checks payable to A.L. Department of Connecticut
Mail to: American Legion Department of Connecticut
P.O. Box 208
Rocky Hill, CT 06067***

Proceeds fund the American Legion/CT State Police Youth Week Program

Golf Sponsors – 2019 Tournament

Diamond Sponsor (or Commander's Sponsor) - \$5000

1. Large banner with diamond sponsor's name only
2. Sponsorship of three (3) cadets to SPYW
3. Two foursomes
4. Centerfold in ad book
5. 4 tee/green signs

Platinum Sponsor - \$2500

1. Name and logo on sponsor banner
2. Sponsorship of two (2) cadets to SPYW
3. One foursome
4. Full page ad in ad book
5. 3 tee/green signs

Special Sponsorship opportunities – \$2000 - All get one foursome, name on sponsor banner, a full-page ad, and 2 tee/green signs. In addition:

1. Lunch Sponsor – Lunch bags to each golfer with sponsors name and/or logo
2. Cart Sponsor – Sign in each cart with sponsors name and/or logo. Can also include a letter of support to Legion from sponsor. Can include a give-away from sponsor to each golfer.
3. Putting Contest Sponsor – Large sign on putting green and a give-away to each contestant with sponsors name and/or logo. Acknowledgement of prize donated by sponsor.

Gold Sponsor - \$1500

1. Name and logo on sponsor banner
2. Sponsorship of one (1) cadet to SPYW
3. One foursome
4. 1/2 page ad in ad book
5. 2 tee/green signs

Silver Sponsor - \$750

1. Name and logo on sponsor banner
2. One foursome
3. 1/2 page ad in ad book
4. 1 tee/green signs

Bronze Sponsor - \$250

1. Name and logo on sponsor banner
2. 1/2 page ad in ad book
3. 1 tee/green signs

Ad Book Sponsor -

1. 1/2 page add in ad book - \$100
2. Full page add in ad book - \$200

Tee Sign - \$100

1. One tee/green sign



Department of Connecticut

Department Service Office

555 Willard Avenue / PO Box 310909

Newington CT 06131

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Training for New Post Service Officers

Choose 1 of Two Sessions – Registration Required

**Friday September 27th, 2019
or Friday October 4th, 2019**

10 am – 3pm

**VA Regional Office – report to 4th floor reception desk
555 Willard Ave. Newington, CT**

AGENDA

- Record Management – PII - HIPA
- Post Service Officer: What do I do? Outreach Opportunities
- Code of Procedure Requirements: Can PSO's represent?
- National Post Service Officers Guide
- Updates to the Claims and Appeals process – AMA Appeals
- Interview, POA and Informal Claim
- Payment for non-VHA Emergency Care
- Community Care under Mission Act
- Compensation versus Pension
- Death Benefits versus DIC
- Blue Water Navy Legislation and Claims pre 1/1/2020
- Conduct mock interviews with clients

***Registration: Contact Jeanne at 860-594-6600 or Jeanne.Berry1@va.gov
Training Materials, and light refreshments provided***



**American Legion Post #45
Seventh Annual Veteran Award Ceremony**

Sponsored by:
American Legion Post #45 and American Legion Auxiliary Unit #45

“Honoring Distinguished Veterans”

Mr. Charles Atashian	WWII
Mr. John J. Cimino	Korea
Mr. Renato “Ray” Maratea	Viet Nam
Mr. Dean Loucks	Viet Nam
Mr. Daniel E. Reynolds 111	Viet Nam
Mr. Timothy Coon	Iraqi Freedom
Mr. Jason Santiago	Enduring Freedom

Saturday, October 12, 2019

**11 Monticello, 577 South Broad Street, Meriden, CT 06451
Social Hour at 6PM, Dinner to follow, Presentation of Awards,
Fundraising Events and Dancing**

All are Welcome

Sixty dollars per person includes Appetizers, Salad, Dinner, Dessert,
Coffee, Hot Tea, Soda, and Open Bar all evening

Dinner choices include:

Roast Beef, Chicken, Baked Sole,

Vegetarian Dishes

Presentation to follow Dinner

Silent Auction and many other fundraising events

Dancing to follow Presentation

For Information/ Reservations/ Tickets Call or Go by;
American Legion, 835 Hanover Rd, South Meriden-Call (203) 641-4622 Call
Post 45 Ladies Auxiliary: Gayengayen123@gmail.com – (203) 694-2678

“JOIN US AS WE HONOR OUR VETERANS FOR OUR FREEDOM”

The background of the flyer is decorated with a large American flag at the top left, a red and white checkered picnic tablecloth at the bottom right, and various picnic items including a hamburger, a hot dog, a beer bottle, a fork, a spatula, and a knife. Blue stars are scattered throughout the design.

All American Picnic Celebrate 100 Years

American Legion Post 45

835 Hanover Rd. So. Meriden

September 14th

12:00 - 5:00pm

Food, Activities, Relax on scenic Hanover Pond, Open Mike come share your story and personal experience with Post 45

2:00pm Silver City Quarter Midget Commemorative Race

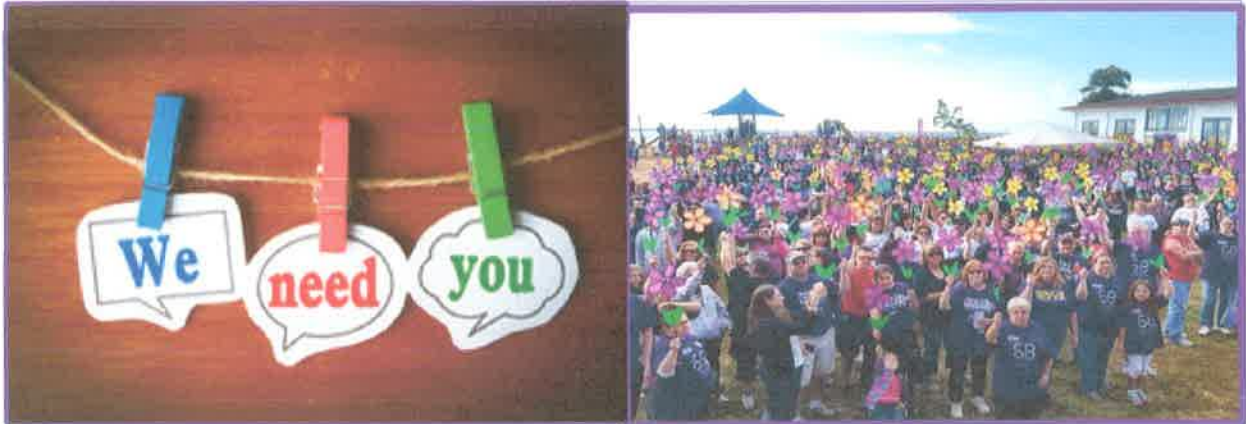
3:00pm American Legion Alumni Base Ball Game

FREE EVENT All are welcome

more info call (203) 630 - 3451

Donations Welcome

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!



Please join us at the New Haven *Walk to End Alzheimer's* at Lighthouse Point Park, on Sunday, September 29, 2019.

We need volunteers during the hours of 6:00am to 1:00pm.

We have tons of fun and need to cure this devastating disease. These donations are used not only to support promising research for treatments and a cure, but also in your community for support groups, respite programs, community awareness and our 24/7 Helpline.

Without our special volunteers, we could not help so many people in need.

We need your help!

Thank you!



Please contact Denise Loeb at dloeb@alz.org or call at 860-828-2828, to be scheduled for your volunteer time.

Thank you for Making a Difference!

Cardiology Prevention for Veterans and First Responders

Thursday, October 10, 2019 3:30 – 8 pm

Newtown Community Center
Fairfield Hills Campus, 8 Simpson Street, Newtown CT

All Veterans and First Responders are Invited

Two timely and relevant discussions:

Combat exposure, deployment and chronic stress greatly increases the risk for heart disease at younger ages in Veterans and First Responders. Presented by *Sheila M. Mattei, PA-C, MPH, MSHS*

The relationship between oral care and heart health.

Presented by *Dental Associates of CT*

Flu shots available. Bring your VA or Insurance Card

VA



U.S. Department
of Veterans Affairs



DENTAL ASSOCIATES
OF CONNECTICUT



Where Our Family Cares for Yours

A Danbury Vet Center and Connecticut DVA representative will be there to assist Veterans, not currently enrolled, and answer questions regarding VA benefits. Bring your DD214, if you have it.

RSVP to Cris Fadus rsvpnewtownevent@gmail.com 203-300-8175 by October 4. Reservations requested but not required.

Sponsored by: Newtown American Legion & Visiting Nurse Association



Non-perishable donations will be accepted for **Faith Food Pantry** at this event.

Cardiology Prevention for Veterans and First Responders

Wednesday, October 23, 2019 6 - 9 pm

Brookfield Senior Center
100 Pocono Road, Brookfield

All Veterans and First Responders are Invited

Two timely and relevant discussions:

Combat exposure, deployment and chronic stress greatly increases the risk for heart disease at younger ages in Veterans/ First Responders. Presented by Sheila M. Mattei, PA-C, MPH, MSHS

The relationship between oral care and heart health. Presented by
Dental Associates of CT

Personalized risk assessments and treatment plans are available.



A Danbury Veterans Center and Connecticut DVA representative will be there to assist Veterans, not currently enrolled, and answer questions regarding VA benefits. Bring your DD214, if you have it.

RSVP to Van DaCosta at i.m.dacosta89@gmail.com or
203-297-4268 by Friday, October 18th

Sponsored by Veterans of Foreign Wars,
Jason D. Lewis Post 10201, Brookfield



REGISTRATION

I Will Golf

Sorry, I Can't Play But Would Like A Memorial Tee Sponsor Or Tribute In Honor Of:

Tee Sponsor \$125

Entry Fee is: \$125/golfer
\$500/foursome
Player name e-mail

Captain: _____

E-mail: _____

Player 2: _____

E-mail: _____

Player 3: _____

E-mail: _____

Player 4: _____

E-mail: _____

Please cut along dotted line and return this form with your payment by September 17, 2019 to:

American Legion Post #13
P.O. Box 123
Putnam, CT 06260-0123



Join Mayotte-Viens,
American Legion Post #13
in celebrating
100 Years of Service
Championed by the
"Rice Family"
in memory of
William P. Rice Jr. - USA



POST #13 is proud
it serves our
community through;

- Scholarship to Putnam/Pomfret Student
- Scholarship to QVCC Veteran
- Boys State
- State Police Youth Academy
- Involvement in Memorial Day Parade
- Veterans Ceremonies
- Wreaths Across America
- Holiday Dazzle Light Parade
- Flag Day and Beirut Ceremonies
- 9-11 Ceremony
- Veterans Memorial Bridge Flags
- American Legion Baseball

We Want You!



To Enjoy a Day of Golf
and Celebrate Our
**100th Year
Anniversary**
Mayotte-Viens
American Legion
Post #13-Putnam, CT

Sunday
September 29th, 2019
12 P.M.
Connecticut National
Golf Club
Putnam, CT



Please join the veterans
of American Legion
Post #13 on
Sunday,
September 29th, 2019
at the Connecticut National
Golf Club in Putnam, CT
for an 18-hole scramble style
golf tournament.

Entry fee is \$125 per golfer
(\$500 per four-some) and includes:

- Hot dogs from 11am to 12pm
- Green fee plus cart
- Awards
- Gourmet dinner following golf
- Free closest to the pin contest

Tournament Details

Registration - 10:30 AM -11:30 AM
Shotgun Start - 12 PM
Awards Ceremony & Dinner
following golf

Make checks payable to:
American Legion Post #13

Mail to:
American Legion Post #13
P.O. Box 123
Putnam, CT 06260



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OPPORTUNITIES**



**General Sponsor
\$2500**

Includes: Two foursomes prominent
mention in all advertising materials,
social media & recognition on the course.



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\$125**

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**Tournament Proceeds
Benefit:**

- > Scholarships
- > Americanism Programs
- > American Legion Baseball
- > Boys State
- > State Police Youth Academy



**American Legion Post #13
2019 – 2020**

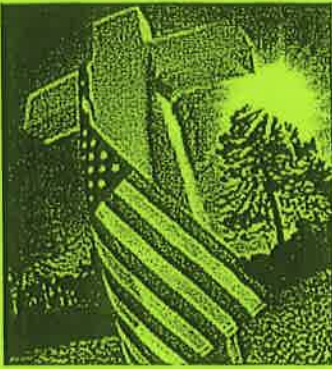
Officers:

Brian Maynard, Commander
Michael Vassar, Senior Vice Commander
Roger C. Franklin, Adjutant
Norman "Barney" Seney, Service Officer
Eric Quinn, Finance Officer
Marc Coderre, Chaplain
Chaz McKenzie, Historian
Christopher Burke, Judge Advocate
Victor Kratz, Sergeant at Arms

Golf Committee:

Eric Quinn
Brian Maynard
Roger C. Franklin
Michael Vassar
Earl Rosebrooks
Jim West





CONNECTICUT VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS Patriot's Golf Tournament

DATE: Monday September 23rd, 2019

TIME: Registration at 8:30 AM. Tee Time at 10:00 AM Shotgun
WITH COFFEE AND DOUGHNUTS

PLACE: CHIPPANEE COUNTRY CLUB
6 MARSH RD.
BRISTOL CT.

ENTRY FEE: \$120.00 (includes: green fees, cart, lunch & Dinner)

Format: Tournament will be a Scrambled event with 4-person teams. If you're not in a foursome, we will be placed you with one

ENTRY FORM:

Richard DiFederico
Tournament Chairman
860-616-2363
rich@vfw.necoxmail.com

NAME: _____

COMPANY: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____

EMAIL: _____

* Send Entry Forms & Payment" to:

Connecticut VFW
P.O. Box 429
Rocky Hill, CT 06067

Phone:
860-616-2363

Team Members:
Player 1 Name: _____ \$120.00

Player 2 Name: _____ \$120.00

Player 3 Name: _____ \$120.00

Player 4 Name: _____ \$120.00

DINNER GUEST ONLY \$40.00 _____

ARMY SPONSOR (\$600) 4 INDIVIDUAL PLAYERS, HOLE Signage _____

NAVY SPONSOR (\$360) 2 INDIVIDUAL PLAYERS, HOLE Signage _____

AIR FORCE SPONSOR (\$240) 1 INDIVIDUAL HOLE Signage _____

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To Be Determined**



FALL HARVEST DANCE PARTY

HOSTED BY THE AMERICAN LEGION POST 22
211 ELM STREET, THOMASTON, CT

DATE: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 05, 2019

TIME: 7 - 11 PM (Doors open at 6:30)

MUSIC BY: The 3G Party Band

- *BYO FOOD*
- *CASH BAR*
- *GRAB RAFFLES*
- *50/50 RAFFLE*

DONATION OF \$10 AT THE DOOR

OR

\$60 TO RESERVE A TABLE OF 8

CALL 860-484-4373

Reservations cannot be accepted at the Door

PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT THE
AMERICAN LEGION SCHOLARSHIP FUND



The American Legion Department of Connecticut 2020 District Membership Report as of Sep 03, 2019

District	New 2020	PUFL 2020	Online Ren 2020	Trad Ren 2020	HQ Trans 2020	Total Mbr 2020	Quota 2020	%Quota
02	20	267	280	1,491	12	2,070	3,750	55.20
03	12	248	118	813	1	1,192	2,408	49.50
07	4	105	56	400	0	565	1,149	49.17
01	17	316	206	1,383	3	1,925	3,991	48.23
04	11	153	98	695	5	962	2,005	47.98
05	11	129	90	471	2	703	1,490	47.18
06	6	123	61	476	4	670	1,564	42.84
99	0	151	111	631	0	893	1,837	48.61
Total:	81	1,492	1,020	6,360	27	8,980	18,194	49.36



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Dist	Post	New 2020	PUFL 2020	Online Ren 2020	Trad Ren 2020	Paid 2020	HQ Trans 2020	Total Mbr 2020	Quota 2020	%Quota
01	CT POST 0077	0	14	0	0	14	0	14	15	93.33
01	CT POST 0008	0	1	0	19	20	0	20	25	80.00
01	CT POST 0117	2	9	8	63	82	0	82	115	71.30
01	CT POST 0133	6	9	9	92	116	1	117	180	65.00
01	CT POST 0084	0	35	2	13	50	1	51	80	63.75
01	CT POST 0080	1	18	31	112	162	0	162	260	62.31
01	CT POST 0154	1	8	4	60	73	0	73	118	61.86
01	CT POST 0053	0	3	0	6	9	0	9	15	60.00
01	CT POST 0072	1	42	20	254	317	0	317	540	58.70
01	CT POST 0023	0	8	2	28	38	0	38	65	58.46
01	CT POST 0040	0	2	2	19	23	0	23	40	57.50
01	CT POST 0123	0	3	1	9	13	0	13	25	52.00
01	CT POST 0036	0	11	19	101	131	0	131	252	51.98
01	CT POST 0006	0	9	1	16	26	0	26	51	50.98
01	CT POST 0096	0	19	20	113	152	1	153	305	50.16
01	CT POST 0142	0	27	8	38	73	0	73	150	48.67
01	CT POST 1771	0	5	7	49	61	0	61	130	46.92
01	CT POST 0002	4	35	16	232	287	0	287	625	45.92
01	CT POST 0059	0	5	1	10	16	0	16	35	45.71
01	CT POST 0209	0	4	12	27	43	0	43	100	43.00
01	CT POST 0033	0	1	6	25	32	0	32	80	40.00
01	CT POST 0090	0	5	0	5	10	0	10	25	40.00
01	CT POST 0068	2	9	11	61	83	0	83	210	39.52
01	CT POST 0056	0	5	7	25	37	0	37	110	33.64
01	CT POST 0201	0	1	1	1	3	0	3	20	15.00
01	CT POST 0197	0	8	10	0	18	0	18	135	13.33
01	CT POST 0102	0	13	7	0	20	0	20	165	12.12
01	CT POST 0032	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	15	6.67
01	CT POST 0122	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	15	6.67
01	CT POST 0182	0	3	0	0	3	0	3	90	3.33
01	CT POST 0094	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
01	CT POST 0116	0	1	0	4	5	0	5	0	0.00
01	CT POST 0131	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0.00
01	CT POST 0199	0	3	0	0	3	0	3	0	0.00
01	District Total	17	316	206	1383	1922	3	1925	3991	48.23



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02	CT POST 0034	0	36	0	1	37	0	37	50	74.00
02	CT POST 0187	2	6	8	95	111	0	111	157	70.70
02	CT POST 0076	6	19	89	214	328	12	340	525	64.76
02	CT POST 0162	0	16	0	0	16	0	16	25	64.00
02	CT POST 0073	0	8	11	56	75	0	75	118	63.56
02	CT POST 0165	1	12	14	73	100	0	100	160	62.50
02	CT POST 0127	0	9	8	51	68	0	68	110	61.82
02	CT POST 0024	0	8	5	63	76	0	76	125	60.80
02	CT POST 0079	0	12	11	51	74	0	74	122	60.66
02	CT POST 0083	0	11	7	83	101	0	101	170	59.41
02	CT POST 0204	0	1	1	42	44	0	44	75	58.67
02	CT POST 0147	0	3	2	17	22	0	22	38	57.89
02	CT POST 0017	2	19	5	81	107	0	107	185	57.84
02	CT POST 0196	3	28	37	187	255	0	255	460	55.43
02	CT POST 0001	0	9	8	54	71	0	71	135	52.59
02	CT POST 0025	0	3	7	24	34	0	34	65	52.31
02	CT POST 0174	0	10	13	64	87	0	87	170	51.18
02	CT POST 0071	0	10	3	33	46	0	46	90	51.11
02	CT POST 0010	0	4	9	60	73	0	73	145	50.34
02	CT POST 0210	0	3	6	1	10	0	10	20	50.00
02	CT POST 0089	1	5	12	49	67	0	67	135	49.63
02	CT POST 0048	1	9	2	24	36	0	36	75	48.00
02	CT POST 0045	3	11	8	73	95	0	95	200	47.50
02	CT POST 0088	0	3	8	66	77	0	77	165	46.67
02	CT POST 0092	1	6	0	12	19	0	19	45	42.22
02	CT POST 0050	0	3	2	17	22	0	22	55	40.00
02	CT POST 0132	0	1	1	0	2	0	2	30	6.67
02	CT POST 0135	0	1	1	0	2	0	2	30	6.67
02	CT POST 0150	0	0	2	0	2	0	2	30	6.67
02	CT POST 0194	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	40	2.50
02	District Total	20	267	280	1491	2058	12	2070	3750	55.20



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Dist	Post	New 2020	PUFL 2020	Online Ren 2020	Trad Ren 2020	Paid 2020	HQ Trans 2020	Total Mbr 2020	Quota 2020	%Quota
03	CT POST 0030	0	0	0	23	23	0	23	22	104.55
03	CT POST 0202	4	2	6	25	37	1	38	50	76.00
03	CT POST 0086	1	19	2	29	51	0	51	70	72.86
03	CT POST 0078	0	13	11	73	97	0	97	140	69.29
03	CT POST 0074	0	10	4	81	95	0	95	150	63.33
03	CT POST 0016	5	32	23	200	260	0	260	420	61.90
03	CT POST 0003	1	11	6	47	65	0	65	110	59.09
03	CT POST 0176	0	7	9	31	47	0	47	80	58.75
03	CT POST 0100	0	6	9	81	96	0	96	170	56.47
03	CT POST 0141	1	18	8	50	77	0	77	140	55.00
03	CT POST 0012	0	34	14	120	168	0	168	315	53.33
03	CT POST 0134	0	8	0	0	8	0	8	15	53.33
03	CT POST 0143	0	14	3	42	59	0	59	120	49.17
03	CT POST 0160	0	3	3	10	16	0	16	35	45.71
03	CT POST 0140	0	8	3	0	11	0	11	45	24.44
03	CT POST 0060	0	29	10	1	40	0	40	198	20.20
03	CT POST 0029	0	13	2	0	15	0	15	75	20.00
03	CT POST 0063	0	1	2	0	3	0	3	15	20.00
03	CT POST 0042	0	10	1	0	11	0	11	60	18.33
03	CT POST 0011	0	3	1	0	4	0	4	25	16.00
03	CT POST 0177	0	7	1	0	8	0	8	98	8.16
03	CT POST 0207	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	0.00
03	CT POST 0208	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	0.00
03	District Total	12	248	118	813	1191	1	1192	2408	49.50



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04	CT POST 0013	5	14	7	91	117	0	117	170	68.82
04	CT POST 0062	0	8	4	30	42	0	42	65	64.62
04	CT POST 0026	3	10	8	104	125	0	125	200	62.50
04	CT POST 0111	0	24	6	29	59	0	59	95	62.11
04	CT POST 0021	0	7	6	31	44	0	44	75	58.67
04	CT POST 0067	0	7	8	69	84	0	84	145	57.93
04	CT POST 0091	0	26	12	85	123	1	124	220	56.36
04	CT POST 0052	1	10	4	33	48	0	48	95	50.53
04	CT POST 0095	0	8	7	48	63	0	63	125	50.40
04	CT POST 0101	0	6	16	133	155	1	156	315	49.52
04	CT POST 0014	2	18	15	42	77	3	80	285	28.07
04	CT POST 0019	0	15	5	0	20	0	20	180	11.11
04	CT POST 0106	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	0.00
04	CT POST 0203	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0.00
04	District Total	11	153	98	695	957	5	962	2005	47.98



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05	CT POST 0161	1	3	6	17	27	0	27	40	67.50
05	CT POST 0138	0	10	1	15	26	0	26	40	65.00
05	CT POST 0128	0	12	18	105	135	0	135	220	61.36
05	CT POST 0180	1	1	8	66	76	0	76	125	60.80
05	CT POST 0104	1	3	2	44	50	0	50	85	58.82
05	CT POST 0009	1	14	2	29	46	0	46	85	54.12
05	CT POST 0004	6	19	9	52	86	0	86	165	52.12
05	CT POST 0112	1	11	17	83	112	0	112	220	50.91
05	CT POST 0015	0	6	4	50	60	1	61	135	45.19
05	CT POST 0115	0	11	2	2	15	0	15	40	37.50
05	CT POST 0152	0	3	2	8	13	0	13	35	37.14
05	CT POST 0058	0	3	5	0	8	0	8	30	26.67
05	CT POST 0054	0	17	7	0	24	0	24	110	21.82
05	CT POST 0114	0	7	2	0	9	0	9	50	18.00
05	CT POST 0205	0	2	1	0	3	0	3	20	15.00
05	CT POST 0041	0	3	2	0	5	1	6	45	13.33
05	CT POST 0085	0	4	2	0	6	0	6	45	13.33
05	District Total	11	129	90	471	701	2	703	1490	47.18



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06	CT POST 0159	0	4	0	47	51	0	51	45	113.33
06	CT POST 0038	0	11	8	49	68	1	69	110	62.73
06	CT POST 0031	1	9	6	56	72	0	72	115	62.61
06	CT POST 0022	1	10	4	61	76	1	77	130	59.23
06	CT POST 0070	0	1	4	15	20	0	20	35	57.14
06	CT POST 0153	0	3	2	19	24	0	24	44	54.55
06	CT POST 0049	0	0	0	8	8	0	8	15	53.33
06	CT POST 0137	1	4	0	15	20	1	21	40	52.50
06	CT POST 0028	0	10	1	17	28	0	28	55	50.91
06	CT POST 0146	2	6	1	18	27	0	27	55	49.09
06	CT POST 0027	0	12	6	35	53	0	53	110	48.18
06	CT POST 0155	0	2	1	14	17	0	17	40	42.50
06	CT POST 0044	0	4	2	22	28	1	29	70	41.43
06	CT POST 0020	1	11	12	73	97	0	97	245	39.59
06	CT POST 0126	0	3	3	8	14	0	14	40	35.00
06	CT POST 0195	0	22	4	19	45	0	45	195	23.08
06	CT POST 0043	0	8	6	0	14	0	14	80	17.50
06	CT POST 0173	0	1	1	0	2	0	2	15	13.33
06	CT POST 0087	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	55	1.82
06	CT POST 0046	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	70	1.43
06	District Total	6	123	61	476	666	4	670	1564	42.84



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Dist	Post	New 2020	PUFL 2020	Online Ren 2020	Trad Ren 2020	Paid 2020	HQ Trans 2020	Total Mbr 2020	Quota 2020	%Quota
07	CT POST 0103	0	10	3	26	39	0	39	60	65.00
07	CT POST 0061	1	7	4	28	40	0	40	65	61.54
07	CT POST 0075	1	26	7	83	117	0	117	200	58.50
07	CT POST 0113	0	13	12	55	80	0	80	140	57.14
07	CT POST 0192	0	0	1	14	15	0	15	28	53.57
07	CT POST 0097	0	0	1	20	21	0	21	40	52.50
07	CT POST 0018	0	6	1	17	24	0	24	46	52.17
07	CT POST 0066	0	6	8	46	60	0	60	115	52.17
07	CT POST 0105	0	9	3	40	52	0	52	100	52.00
07	CT POST 0069	0	3	2	16	21	0	21	45	46.67
07	CT POST 0156	2	10	9	55	76	0	76	165	46.06
07	CT POST 0184	0	9	0	0	9	0	9	20	45.00
07	CT POST 0064	0	6	5	0	11	0	11	65	16.92
07	CT POST 0206	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	0.00
07	District Total	4	105	56	400	565	0	565	1149	49.17

Membership Report

District: 1				MembershipYear: 2020					
TA gt	Squad	Location	All Time	LastYr	% Target	2020 Total	Pct Target	Last Trans	
*	2	Bristol		117	*	114	30	26.32	8/19/19
*	72	Southington		177	*	194	29	14.95	8/29/19
**	68	Kensington		45	*	42	0	0.00	
**	80	Enfield		27	*	30	0	0.00	
**	6	New Britain		* 0	*	0	0	0.00	
**	33	Plainville		16	*	15	0	0.00	
**	102	Manchester		14	*	11	0	0.00	
**	96	West Hartford		29	*	75	0	0.00	
**	142	Hartford	0	* 0	*	11	0	0.00	
**	154	Thompsonville	0	10	*	11	0	0.00	
**	197	Marlborough		53	*	60	0	0.00	
**	199	Plainville		* 0	*	0	0	0.00	
**	209	Bristol	0	22	*	14	0	0.00	
**	1771	Ellington	0	7	*	11	0	0.00	
County Totals:			0	517	*	0	588	59	10.03
**	40	East Windsor		* 0	*	0	0	0.00	
860-623-1579 County Totals:			0	0	0	0	0	10.03	
District: 1 15 Posts			0	517	0	588	59	10.03	

District: 2				MembershipYear: 2020					
TA gt	Squad	Location	All Time	LastYr	% Target	2020 Total	Pct Target	Last Trans	
*	17	Naugatuck		16	*	10	8	80.00	8/29/19
**	24	Derby		3	*	11	0	0.00	
**	88	Hamden	0	29	*	33	0	0.00	
**	89	East Haven		* 0	*	0	0	0.00	
**	71	West Haven	0	2	*	11	0	0.00	
**	45	Meriden		53	*	47	0	0.00	
**	48	Guilford	0	2	*	11	0	0.00	
**	50	Ansonia		* 0	*	0	0	0.00	
**	165	Wolcott		19	*	20	0	0.00	
**	174	Oxford		21	*	41	0	0.00	
**	194	Prospect	0	2	*	11	0	0.00	
**	196	Milford	0	95	*	70	0	0.00	
County Totals:			0	242	*	0	265	8	3.02
District: 2 12 Posts			0	242	0	265	8	3.02	

Membership Report

District: 3				MembershipYear: 2020				
T A g t	Squad	Location	All Time	LastYr	% Target	2020 Total	Pct Target	Last Trans
**	16	Shelton	53	127 *	120	53	44.17	8/29/19
**	60	Danbury		19 *	25	0	0.00	
**	74	Fairfield	0	* 0 *	0	0	0.00	
**	12	Norwalk		56 *	53	0	0.00	
**	177	Bridgeport		47 *	48	0	0.00	
**	100	Bethel		32 *	26	0	0.00	
<i>County Totals:</i>			53	281 *	0	272	53	19.49
District: 3 6 Posts			53	281	0	272	53	19.49

District: 4				MembershipYear: 2020				
T A g t	Squad	Location	All Time	LastYr	% Target	2020 Total	Pct Target	Last Trans
*	91	Moosup		32 *	40	11	27.50	8/29/19
*	14	Rockville		19 *	22	6	27.27	8/5/19
**	101	Somers	9	48 *	35	9	25.71	8/19/19
**	13	Putnam		10 *	11	0	0.00	
**	26	Stafford Springs	0	35 *	40	0	0.00	
**	19	Willimantic		51 *	70	0	0.00	
**	21	Danielson		* 0 *	0	0	0.00	
**	95	Hebron		21 *	20	0	0.00	
**	67	North Grosvenordale	0	17 *	15	0	0.00	
**	52	Coventry	0	8 *	10	0	0.00	
<i>County Totals:</i>			9	241 *	0	263	26	9.89
District: 4 10 Posts			9	241	0	263	26	9.89

District: 5				MembershipYear: 2020				
T A g t	Squad	Location	All Time	LastYr	% Target	2020 Total	Pct Target	Last Trans
*	128	Niantic		39 *	50	18	36.00	8/19/19
**	104	Taftville	0	30 *	23	0	0.00	
**	112	Uncasville	0	45 *	70	0	0.00	
**	54	Colchester		* 0 *	15	0	0.00	
**	15	Jewett City		16 *	15	0	0.00	
**	9	New London		14 *	10	0	0.00	
**	4	Norwich	0	12 *	10	0	0.00	
<i>County Totals:</i>			0	156 *	0	193	18	9.33
District: 5 7 Posts			0	156	0	193	18	9.33

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District: 6				MembershipYear: 2020				
T A g t †	Squad	Location	All Time	LastYr	% Target	2020 Total	Pct Target	Last Trans
* *	22	Thomaston		45 *	50	0	0.00	
* *	20	Terryville		80 *	80	0	0.00	
* *	27	Litchfield	0	30 *	13	0	0.00	
* *	43	Winstead	0	* 0 *	10	0	0.00	
* *	195	Oakville		39 *	45	0	0.00	
County Totals:			0	194	0	198	0	0.00
District: 6 5 Posts			0	194	0	198	0	0.00

District: 7				MembershipYear: 2020				
T A g t †	Squad	Location	All Time	LastYr	% Target	2020 Total	Pct Target	Last Trans
*	75	Middletown		* 12 *	11	12	109.09	8/29/19
* *	61	Deep River		15 *	13	0	0.00	
* *	66	Clinton	0	19 *	16	0	0.00	
* *	113	Old Saybrook		11 *	32	0	0.00	
* *	156	Moodus		65 *	66	0	0.00	
County Totals:			0	122 *	0	138	12	8.70
District: 7 5 Posts			0	122	0	138	12	8.70