## Ladewig-Zinkgraf American Legion Post 243

40 Stafford Street, P.O. Box 416, Plymouth, WI 53073

www.wilegionpost243.org

Post business meetings are held the second Tuesday of the month at 7:00 PM

<u>Officers</u>			
Post Commander – Kelly Wilfer	920-207-5571	Sgt. at Arms – David Niedfeldt	920-838-5805
1st Vice – Mark Provencher Jr	910-388-7641	Sgt. at Arms – Don Guse	920-565-3770
2nd Vice – Jeff Zinkgraf	920-602-8505	Adjutant – Konrad Kaczkowski	920-892-2651
Chaplain – Dave Ronn	920-980-5544	Finance Officer – Rick Zinkgraf	920-893-0686
Service Officer-Ed Schroeder	920-892-6284	Sheboygan Veterans Office	920-459-3053
Auxiliary Unit 243 Officers			
President – Ann Kaczkowski	920-892-2651	Treasurer – Kathy Halloran	920-980-8991
Vice President –Linda Wieck	920-627-3460	Membership – Cindy Faller	920-449-5323
Chaplain – Jean Blindauer	920-980-3991	Parliamentarian – Violet Feldmann	920-892-4784
Secretary – Kathy Doebert	920-838-4995		

Hall Rental Katrina Glocke 920 – 287 – 5817

## Meeting Highlights June 2020

No in person meeting was held at this time. The Executive Committee met to address the future of in person Post meetings and Post events.

**Taps:** Long time Post bugler Willard Scram passed away June, 2nd, 2020. He was 93 years young and a World War II Army Veteran. He was about to start his 29th year as a member. Eternal rest grant unto him O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him.

**Post Scholarship:** Dennis Halloran reports the Post \$1,000.00 scholarship was awarded to Anna Brink. She also assists the Post at military funerals by playing taps

**POW/MIA:** Dennis Halloran reports the following recovery of Missing in Action remains identified in the month of May for proper burial; US Army 2-Germany and 4-North Korea, US Navy 6-Pearl Harbor, US Marine Corps 4-Tarawa for a total of 16

**Report on the Post Clubhouse:** Ed Schroeder lead a team that deep cleaned and painted the Post Clubhouse the following assisted: Commander Kelly, Ed Ardell, Jim Schroeder, the Provencher family, Dennis and Kathy Halloran, Dave Niedfeldt and his sister Judy, John Knorr, Rueben and Tina Rabe. Pam Brink with Dennis and Kathy Halloran for upgrading the flower garden on the south side of the building. BIG Thanks to all that made the place much brighter and cleaner.

**Donation:** Ed Schroder reported that Ed Ardell was able to secure scaffolding from Salem Church of Christ to assist in the cleaning and painting project. \$200.00 was approved to send to Salem Church

**Discussion:** The Committee discussed the future of Social Nights and G.I. Breakfasts. It was decided to wait and see about future changes in restrictions

For Sale: Looking for an American Legion Hat, size 7? Cost \$50.00 call Rick (920) 893-0686

**Camo Quilt Project:** The Camo Quilt folks cranked out over 9,700 face masks in less than 3 months! They have been distributed free to the National Guard, hospitals and other organizations. They have been requested to help supply the Plymouth School District which is about 2,000+ and now have a request for military quilts. They could use some monetary help send donations to: Franklin Legion Post 387, C/O Steven Bender, N7417 Bittersweet Rd, Plymouth, WI 53073

**Memorial Day:** Because of the Covid-19 the annual Memorial Day parade was canceled, but thanks to Mike Burkart Ford of Plymouth sponsorship and the work of SilverWater Productions of Plymouth you can view on YouTube a Virtual Memorial Day Remembrance by entering Memorial Day Plymouth WI in the search box of YouTube (direct link <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZF1ndg90za8</u>)

## NEXT MEETING WILL BE IN PERSON AT THE POST TUESDAY JULY 14TH, 2020 7:00 PM PLEASE COME AS CLOSE TO 7:00 PM AS POSSIBLE SO WE DON'T HAVE CROWDING IN THE BAR AREA

## **Auxiliary Notes**

**BRAT FRY** we will be having a drive thru brat fry on Sunday July 26th from 10:30-2pm at *P.J. Campbells at The Depot* parking lot. More details to follow in July newsletter. We'll only have limited number of workers required. Something new for us but hope to do well.

**POPPY DISTRIBUTION** will be that weekend also, I have to contact the businesses that we usually visit to see if they'll allow us to be there again. Some of our usual distributors may not be able to help this year but whatever we can do will help our veterans.

**Funds from last year's poppy collection** were distributed; \$200 to Camo Quilt, \$125 to Sheb. Cty Veterans Memorial, \$200 to Veterans Treatment Court in gas/food cards.

\$150 was given to Legion for postage for newsletters from General Fund

Honor Cords - 5 were given out to graduating high school seniors going into military service

Officers will remain the same for 2020-2021 and elections will be held May due to COVID 19.

Check up on members and stay safe and healthy.

Please contact Gina Lentz at 920-912-2770 to update your name, address and phone number for our records. Just leave a message for her.

Norm Halloran will be 100 yrs. young on June 23, send him a card, he'll love it!