Ladewig-Zinkgraf American Legion Post 243

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

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

Officers

Commander - Mark Provencher Jr.	910-388-7641	Sgt. at Arms - Richard Merz	920-980-4376
1st Vice - Jeff Zinkgraf	920-602-8505	Sgt. at Arms - Neil Dearborn	920-838-0631
2nd Vice - Kelly Wilfer	920-207-5571	Adjutant - Konrad Kaczkowski	920-892-2651
Chaplain - Brennan Wegener	920-904-4218	Finance Officer - Rick Zinkgraf	920-893-0686
Service Officer - Ed Schroeder	920-892-6284	Sheboygan Veterans Office	920-459-3053
Auxiliary Unit 243 Officers			
Co President - Ann Kaczkowski	920-892-2651	Secretary - Kathy Doebert	920-838-4995
Co President - Karen Degner	920-918-9772	Membership - Cindy Faller	920-449-5323
Vice President - Linda Johnson	920-377-1807	Treasurer - Kelly Wilfer	920-207-5571
Chaplain - Jean Blindauer	920-980-3991	Parliamentarian - Kathy Halloran	920-980-8991

Hall Rental - Katrina Glocke 920-334-1026

Meeting Highlights 12 Oct 2021

Attendance: 29 members

Membership: Welcome <u>NEW</u> members; Benjamin Mattson-USMC and Angela Koran-US Army, both Veterans of Global War on Terror and Wayne Tietyen-US Army Vietnam. Please welcome these new members to the largest Veterans Service Organization in the United States

Sick Call: Kermit Krueger, Don Blake and Rody Rodencal

District Fall Conference: Representing the Post will be Commander Mark Provencher Jr., DuWayne Wieck and Jonathan Arndt

Post Donations: The membership approved the following donations; \$50.00 to Fairview Elementary Walkathon, \$500.00 in gift cards to the Sheboygan County Veteran Service Office Christmas Cheer program to needy Veterans and their family and \$500.00 each to the following State Veteran cemeteries; Union Grove, King and Spooner for the Wreaths across America program, \$500.00 to Post Chaplain's Brennan Wegener's Journey to the Light Ministry serving Veterans and First Responders dealing with PTSD

S.A.L.: Squadron Commander Mike Kalsbeek reported the last two dogs of the Josh Dog program have been donated. Red Cross blood drive at the Post October 28th 11:00 AM-5:00 PM contact Shawn Grothe (920) 550-9674 for an appointment, S.A.L. meeting to follow at 6:00 PM

Social Night: Tuesday October 26th, 2021, Fellowship 5:00 PM, Dinner 6:00 PM with a program to follow. Reservations need to be called in by <u>Friday October 22nd, 2021</u> to Rick Zinkgraf at **(920) 893-0686**. \$15.00 per person <u>No Shows Will Be Charged</u>. Dinner is catered by Plymouth's PJ Campbells at The Depot restaurant

G.I. Breakfast: Sunday October 17th at the Post 8:00-11:00 AM, <u>help is always appreciated</u>, especially for clean-up. All can be done before the Packer game starts

Sheboygan County American Legion Council Annual Banquet: Saturday November 13th, 2021 at Amore Banquet Hall Plymouth, Cash bar 12:00-1:00 PM, Dinner 1:00 PM with program to follow, \$25.00 per person, open to all American Legion Family members, casual attire, collared shirt/Legion Blue hat, for reservations call Mike Liebelt (920) 467-0630 respond No Later Than November 8th, 2021. Monies collected at the door

Note: There will be no G.I. Breakfast or Social Night in November due to the closeness of the holidays and deer hunting. Veteran Day events are in process for confirmation of location and times. Look for information about the Plymouth Christmas parade November 26th and tentative date for the Post Christmas party Monday December 20th. The Post is in need of someone to Chair the Legion Oratorical Contest contact the Post Adjutant for details (920) 892-2651

NEXT MEETING TUESDAY NOVEMBER 9TH, 2021 7:00 PM AT THE POST

Auxiliary News

New Members Sydney Arndt, a Junior member, has joined through her father Jonathon Arndt who joined the Legion. Mark Provencher Jr. has also joined the Auxiliary as the first Quad member, welcome to both of you.

Chili Supper will be **Thursday Oct 21st.** It will be **carry out only** this year with packaged cheese sticks and crackers given with each order. Please pass this information on to friends and family.

Trunk or Treat will be Sunday October 31st from 1-3pm at the Post. Please consider bringing your car to the lot and decorate it for the kids. Candy or treats are then given out and there will be a few inside activities also. Wear a costume and join the fun!

Members at Large will be Kathy Halloran and Mark Provencher Jr., they will sit in on the Executive meetings and have a vote when making decisions at the exec level.

Linda Wieck and Kathy Doebert will be reviewing and correcting the Bi-Laws and Constitution for the year.

Impact Reports were handed out and also a form for keeping volunteer hours recorded monthly. Please contact Karen if you need one or get them at the Nov. meeting.

Coupons are being collected for the bases overseas, only Manufactures coupons are used. Sue Kuhn is doing this so bring them to our meetings. Helps those military families overseas.

Rocky Knoll Bingo-tentatively Nov. 9th