

April 2015 Newsletter

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Good day Comrades,

With our 50th Anniversary quickly approaching I'm excited to announce that we are having challenge coins made for this occasion. Every Post member that attends our celebration on June 6^{th} will receive one.



In March I had the opportunity to travel with our Department leadership to Washington DC and meet with many legislators. This was a very worthwhile and memorable trip, and I thank the Post for giving me the opportunity to attend. Our lobbying on Capitol Hill really does make a difference, as I've now seen firsthand.



Post 3915 Cmdr Scott Hanson - Dept Cmdr Gary Anderson - Ntl Cmte Mbr Don Nix

We will hold our elections at the April meeting. I encourage all members to attend, and as always we can use more members to step up and help with our programs. Let me know if you are interested?

I'm also happy to announce that we have hit 100% for membership. This was an uphill battle this year, and I'm very proud of all that helped us meet our goal. I would like to specifically thank Comrade Tom Heinrich, as he went above and beyond to ensure this goal was met.

We have a busy spring coming up, so please pay attention to the below dates:

Mark your calendar: Fish Fry - February 20 & 27, March 6, 13, 20, 27, April 3 **New** Spring Cleanup – April 25th Poppy Distribution – May15 – May 17th Taco Fiesta – May 3 Memorial Day Ceremony – May 25 50th Anniversary Party – June 6 – 1700 Ceremony followed by food vendors & live music. State Convention – June 11 thru the 14 Tater Daze – June 18-21 – Color Guard and possible float in parade and booth at carnival. Friday Burger Nights - Every other Friday during the summer Post Picnic – July 26 at Big Marine Veterans Camp, Aux. Members welcome **Updated** Wounded Warrior Event – Friday July 31st – More details to follow. Pig Roast – September 12 – Live music from Country Crossing Booya – October 10 Member Dinner – October 18 Pancake Breakfast – Around Veterans Day Kids Christmas Party – December New Year's Day Brunch – January 1, 2016

Upcoming Events:

Next Blood Drive: 27 April 2015, 22 June 2015, 17 August 2015 Next Post meeting: 8 April at 1900 (Elections) Next District meeting: Saturday 18 April - Convention @ Everette McClay #1296

Yours in Comradeship, Scott Hanson, Commander, Post 3915 palmerlake.vfw3915@gmail.com



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Dear Sisters,

Happy Spring! I'm definitely looking forward to warmer weather.

Election of officers will take place at our April 14 meeting. Hope many of you will attend.

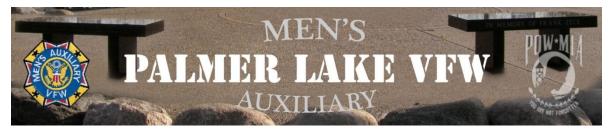
We need to get busy planning Taco Fiesta. It is scheduled for May 3. It takes a lot of volunteers to make this work.

We've been busy wrapping up the Auxiliary year. Our year-end reports are compete. I am always amazed at all of the wonderful things this Auxiliary accomplishes year after year. I thank all of you for your dedication to our Veterans .

Hope this finds you well!

Sincerely,

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Hello Members,

I think we have finally turned the corner and Spring might actually be here. I for one am looking forward to spending some time outside.

We will hold election of officers at our next meeting on April 1⁻, so I hope to see more members attend and show your support.

Our last Fish Fry of the year is Good Friday, April 3. I want to take a moment to give a very big THANK YOU to the guys that made this happen every week. We had many compliments and that is because we all worked together to make this happen. It was a lot of work and you all did a wonderful job.

7th District Meeting is April 18 at Bloomington VFW.

Spring Cabela's Raffle will Be on May 1 at 6 PM. Get your ticket from any Men's Auxiliary member for a chance to win one of eight gift card's.

Stay safe and remember to thank a Vet!

Jeff Marsyla, President Palmer Lake Post 3915 Men's Auxiliary jeffrey.marsyla@parknicollet.com





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