I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of those who volunteered their time to help with the annual Easter Breakfast. The food was excellent and those who ate were very well satisfied.

I would like to send out get well wishes to Vice Commander Roy Potucek and Sgt. at Arms Les Smith. We look forward to see you both back around the Post soon.

The Bingo kitchen has been doing very well since the different units of the Legion family have been working them. My thanks go out to all who have stepped up to help out.

Memorial Day is not far away. We will be having a Flag raising ceremony at 8:00 AM, a short ceremony at the Cicero Cemetery at 8:45 AM. The parade will start at 9:00 AM with a ceremony at the Post Memorial following. There will be an open house with refreshments following that ceremony.

The last Meat Raffle until Fall will be held on May 8th at 1 PM. Please plan on attending as revenue received will be going to the Post building fund. There will be steaks, beef, pork and other meats available. Refreshments will also be available.

Don’t forget, this is your POST, I invite you to come in, volunteer and enjoy a great time......LISTEN FOR THE WHISTLE.

Dave Plato, Commander

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Calendar of Events & Activities

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Every Tues - 6:00 PM Cadet's Meet & Drill
Deadline for June PRINTED Newsletter - May 17th
MEMBERSHIP GOAL FOR YEAR 542
TRANSMITTED IN SO FAR TO DEPT. 558

I would like to welcome new members Gregory Blais, Ronald Hayner, Daniel Pike, Melissa Ferris, Noel J. Ellis.

In the next printed newsletter, I will include a list of members who have not renewed, and will also ask for help in locating a couple of members who have changed address without our knowledge. We are having trouble locating them, and will need your help.

Doug Herrmann - - Post Adjutant/Membership Chair

The Color Guard is gearing up for all of the summer activities. We will be headed for Brockville, Canada on May 21st for the parade on the 22nd. The following week will be the Memorial Day festivities then the summer kicks in and all of the other activities will follow. The next meeting will be held on Sunday, May 16th at 6 PM. Anyone wishing to join us is invited to attend this meeting.

Looking for a Few Good Men,

Marines that is, to form a new detachment of the Marine Corps League in the Cicero-Clay area.

For more information please contact Len Danielewicz at 315-699-5660 or ldanielewicz@twcny.rr.com.

The new 2009 membership is going well. The members that have not paid their 2009 dues have to pay for two years now that the 2010 cards are in. The 2010 renewal notice has gone out please send in your 2010 ASAP. Please fill out the update form when sending in your dues so we can update our system. Please be aware that you cannot drink at our legion without your new card. IF YOU HAVE SENT IN THEIR DUES FOR 2010 AND GET A POST CARD FROM NATIONAL PLEASE DISREGAUID IT they send them to everyone whether you have paid or not. I have also sent out a list with our meeting dates in your renewals any changes will be posted. The County SAL Meetings are the second Thursday of the month anyone that would like to attend please let Bill Bell know. I will also post the County Meeting locations at the Legion.

I would like to let you that the Sons have joined the Josh and friends program. We will be sending out information soon to try to get all our organizations on board this is a wonderful program any questions see Bill Bell. I would like to thank the Legion and the Simon Parise Post 9596 VFW from Taft Road, the Legion Riders and the Color Guard for donating money to the program. The hospital was over 40 dogs short to fulfill for the amount of children in need this past year. We have sent out one dog to a 4yr old girl who has colon cancer. We hope to have more info on her soon. Anyone who knows or hears of a child in need please let Bill Bell know so we can send out one to them. The Sons have received six Josh dogs to have on hand. We will be meeting with the people from the Children’s Hospital soon.

The Sons are also selling golf calendars to help fund the josh dog program they are $28 see Bill. Please put money for the calendars in the son’s mailbox. Remember that karaoke with Tom and Val is on the 2nd and 4th Saturday come join us and test out your singing talent. We still need help Fridays at the fish dinners it’s really been getting busy so come help. We are also looking for a few Sons to help out with Bingo Refreshments on the 3rd Wednesday of the month from 4-7 sign up at the Legion if you can help.

The Sons’ 1,000 Dollar Raffle tickets are in and are available at the bar or from any Sons Member. The Monday Horseshoe League will start Monday May 3rd at 5:30 the first week.

Elections are coming anyone wishing to run for an office let bill bell know ASAP.

If any Sons Member would like anything put in our news please let me know. You can leave me a note in our mailbox or call me 699-1954 and we will get it in the newsletter.

Here is a list of the next few meetings THEY START AT 7:30
April 26th
May 24th
Thank you,
Bill Bell-Adjutant
Auxiliary News
Rosemary Danielewicz—President

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For example a Theme baskets Raffle or a 50-60’s dance-sock hop type, so give some thought what you would like to see happen.

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Linda Jackson is our team leader. We hope that the all Legion family members will volunteer and put their sneakers for the race. Let me just tell you of different ways you can help win the Race for the Cure.

Kids Walk for the Cure - 1 mile Walk age 12 & under (Registration $15.00)
Sleep in for the Cure - (Registration -$50.00)
Adult Walk for the Cure - (Registration-$30.00)

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Contact Linda Jackson @699-2748
Till then,
Rose D- Aux. Pres.

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Our Troops say thank you for all your support

Things are a little quiet right now but our troops still are in need of supplies such as:
- Bug repellent- Avon Skin So Soft
- Fruit Cups
- Battery operated hand held fans.
- Boxed individual powdered drinks.
- Hard Candy- Gum
- Throat lozenges- for dry throats.
- Packaged Tuna- Good supply of protein

Please don’t forget there are Female troops and they can use feminine products.

If anyone knows of a Troop that could use a care pkg let me know and we will send one out ASAP.

Thank You for all you are doing for our Troops.
Rose D. Troop Chairperson
Friday Fish Fry
Fresh Haddock
Served by Post Volunteers

Fridays — Year Round
Fish Dinners — Fish Sandwiches
Fisherman’s Platters
Serving from 12 Noon to 8 PM
Take Outs available — Call 699-0786

The Nominations were closed at the last General Member Meeting.

Here is the Slate of Officers

COMMANDER
1ST VICE
2ND VICE
( vote for 1 )
3RD VICE
ADJUTANT
FINANCE OFFICER
SERVICE OFFICER
SGT AT ARMS
CHAPLAIN
HISTORIAN
TRAITEE
( electing 3 )

Show your support for your Officers

Elections take place at the MAY 20th Meeting

The beginning of the new riding season is here. Don’t forget to get you bike inspected, tires checked, oil, brakes, etc. Safety is the key to a great riding season. The Cicero Legion Riders will be painting the Legion Banquet Hall on 25 Apr 2010. You will see and hear a lot of the Riders this year. The NYS Legion Riders State Convention will be held at Cicero on 16-17 July 2010 which is the same time as the NYS Legion Convention in Syracuse. We will also be holding a huge Benefit to raise money for the Military Courtesy Room, which is located at the Syracuse Airport. This event is also being held on 25 Sept 2010 at the Cicero American Legion. Many other events that we do is Make-A-Wish with the Munnsville Legion Riders, T.A.P.S. Ride in Camden, Sackets Harbor Benefits they do for Ft Drum, Williamson Rides for VA Centers, etc... Please support us in the causes we ride for. Thank you...

SUNDAY – SEPTEMBER 26th, 2010

YOU CAN HELP !!

PICK UP SOME TRASH
WHEN YOU SEE IT
AROUND THE POST

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