QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER - APRIL 2024

Financials As of our March meeting we had \$5,651.93 in our checking account of which \$500 is set aside for a new flag pole plaque in Memorial Park. Our savings accounts have \$30,536.86 of which a portion is restricted for Scholarships (\$16,881.88) and Honor Guard (\$6,409.99). Renters have vacated and remodeling/fixing costs could be between \$5,000-\$8,000.

<u>Membership</u>: Stands at 86 active members (1 member has not paid 2024 and 3 have not paid for 2 years) with 6 paid up for life. Contact Dan Riviers (920-912-2000), or use this link to pay your dues online: <u>Renew (mylegion.org)</u>. New Year dues will be \$40. Members can prepay for up to 3 years (\$105) if paid by June 1, 2024. 50 year membership plaque was presented to Dave Specht.

<u>Deaths/Homebound</u>: Ambrose (AJ) Schmitz passed away on March 14, his funeral is April 10th; Dick Kosup passed away on March 21st and his celebration of life will take place on August 20th; **Homebound**: Dick Wachter (920-449-1975); Jerry Herriges (920-467-4856);

<u>House</u>: Contact Frank Sterzen (920-207-0247) for information on post rentals or track chair usage. All post rentals can be done using our website and making sure the post is available by looking at the calendar.

(WELCOME! - Sheboygan Falls American Legion Post 149 (wipost149.org)

Apartment Renters: We have only received 2 applications for renting the apartment and so will advertise soon. Larry Ter Maat is leading the remodeling effort and only a couple people have showed up to help (need more volunteers). Offer of up to \$2,000 match for anyone donating money for the remodeling has met with complete silence, if interested send a check to the post.

<u>Camp American Legion</u>: Cabin 15: Jim Sabel & Charlie Dunn have room for 2 more to help open cabin on May 13-15. Contact Jim at: 920-453-8988.

<u>Honor Guard</u>: Seven (7) honors have been completed so far in 2024. Rifles being cleaned 1-2 at a time.

<u>Service Officer</u>: Quilts of Valor: Contact Chuck if you would like to have a quilt made for you or any other veteran. This is a great organization (https://hunterseven.org/about-us/) for veterans dealing with service related cancer and with anyone you know who is dealing with obtaining VA Disability (Thanks Frank).

<u>Consolidated Post Report (CPR)</u>: Please continue to keep a log on all veteran activities.

Brat Fry: See back of this newsletter for all assignments on April 28th!

<u>Future Post Meetings</u>: 2024: April 9, **April 28th Brat Fry**; May 14, June 11th, social time at 1830, meeting starts at 1900.

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