## **QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER - JANUARY 2025**

<u>Financials</u>: Checkbook availability: \$12,882.61. Includes a \$15,000 donation (\$8,800 paid down) for Cabin 15 roof and post approval of \$17,600 and \$1,000 for any additional costs. Honor Guard fund of \$7,381.63. Scholarship fund of \$16,975.

<u>Membership</u>: Stands at 80 active members 9 have not paid 2024 dues, with 6 paid up for life. New member, Denice Doying, Army. Contact Dan Riviers (920-912-2000), or <a href="https://www.legion.org/renew">https://www.legion.org/renew</a> dues are \$40.

<u>Homebound</u>: Dick Wachter (920-449-1975); Jerry Herriges (920-467-4856); Carl Zettel (920-627-5475; Cliff Otte (920-226-2860), Ray Schmitt (920-467-6519)Gene Geltemeyer passed away.

<u>House</u>: Everything in working order, Renters side blacktop will wait until spring. Contact Frank Sterzen (920-207-0247) for post rentals or track chair usage. Check web site for calendar to make sure of availability. <a href="https://wipost149.org">https://wipost149.org</a>.

<u>Camp American Legion</u>: Cabin 15 new roof (\$17,600) contracted for to be completed in spring. Camp will celebrate 100 years this June. Need 2 more volunteers to help celebration on June 9-15 and stay in Cabin 15. Register for camp: <a href="https://wilegion.org/camp-american-legion">https://wilegion.org/camp-american-legion</a>

**Honor Guard**: 24 honors were completed in 2024.

**Service Officer**: Contact Ken Wilhite (920-207-4347) if you are having any VA issues.

<u>Consolidated Post Report (CPR)</u>: Please continue to keep a log on all veteran and civic activities. Honor guard only note the number of funerals. ALL members note hours spent volunteering for **any** not for profit organization (charity, church, any veteran organization, etc.).

**Post Officers/Workers:** Need new back-ups for most positions contact Bob Roska.

## **Meetings/Functions:**

- 1) February 1: District 2: Four Chaplin's Honor dinner; Cedarburg; brochure distributed or call Chuck for details.
- **2)** February 6<sup>th</sup> Veterans Hockey Game: Post 149 Sponsored, Dave Specht memorial; Sheboygan Lakers Ice Center, 1202 S Wildwoods Ave, 1830 honors by Post 149. Please plan on attending.
- **3) March 12<sup>th</sup>:** Sheboygan County Council meeting at our post starting at 1830, need 2 members in attendance.
- **4) April 27<sup>th</sup>:** Annual Brat Fry: All hands on deck. Jim Sabel will be sending out assignments soon, so mark your calendars.

<u>Future Post Meetings</u>: 2025: January 14; February 11, March 11<sup>th</sup>, April 8<sup>th</sup> social time 1830, meeting starts at 1900.

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