



**Charles Evering VFW Post 6506**  
 Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States  
 Phone: 410.391.6506



**Spring 2024 Newsletter**

**Message from our Post Commander**

Dear Post and Auxiliary Members,

Spring is here and summer is rapidly approaching. We have had many events that have occurred and many more to follow; as you will read in this newsletter. We could also use more volunteers for our monthly BINGO and other various functions. I invite you to our meetings which are held on the 3rd Monday of each month at 7 pm. Come and see for yourself the wonderful work we are doing, or just stop by to enjoy a drink on Thursdays or Friday/Saturday Karaoke Nights.

Post elections are upon us and I hope to see more members at our April 15th meeting. Please consider running for an officer position. The Post could always use fresh ideas to support our members and Veterans. We only had six members at our last Post meeting which I find disturbing since our Post has roughly 650 members. My email address is below if you have any suggestions for events, activities, or membership growth. Our team is continuously looking for a new Post Home. We are very active at the Post even though we do not own the building. The VFW is not brick-and-mortar. It is an organization here to assist our fellow Veterans and their families. Our Mission is to foster camaraderie among United States veterans of overseas conflicts. To serve our veterans, the military and our communities. To advocate on behalf of all veterans.

Please join us on May 27th for our Memorial Day Service at Holly Hills Memorial Gardens and at the Post as we honor our Nations' Heroes. The service at Holly Hills will begin promptly at 9 am and our service will be held at noon. The Auxiliary will provide a light lunch to all of those who attend the Post service. This is a time to reflect on those who served our Country and are no longer with us. "Our flag does not fly because the wind moves it. it flies with the last breath of each soldier who died protecting it."

May each of you stay safe and healthy. I look forward to seeing you at the Post!

Respectfully Submitted:  
 Commander Sam Young  
 dogger818@verizon.net

**Message from our VFW Auxiliary President**

Dear Comrades, Sisters and Brothers,

"Spring is known as "the season of hope" because it symbolizes the resurgence of life after the inevitable challenges of winter. This rising energy generally helps us feel more optimistic and driven to make the most out of our days".

I would like to take this time to "Thank" everyone for stepping up to support our Post and its Auxiliary. This has been a difficult year with the loss of 2 key members. It is so refreshing to see our members volunteering at our many events. At our Volunteer Appreciation Party, Pat Snyder was awarded Volunteer of the Year for her continuous support and dedication. Our January Volunteer of the Month was Becca Szymanski; and Jeanne Woodward was our February Volunteer of the Month. Both go beyond the call of duty for our organization. We could not assist our Veterans and Families without our members help.

Welcome to our new members this year: Carolyn Czosnowski, Debra Hutson, Ben Richardson, Ericka Scarcella, Michael Steeg, Alice Stevenson, Kay Sullivan and Philip Wingerd; our transfers Jessica Dotterweich and Crystal Hallen.

Our Auxiliary year is coming to a close and it is time to elect new officers for the upcoming year. Nominations and elections will be held at our April Membership Meeting (4/15). Please attend if you would like to get more involved with the Auxiliary. We have plenty of mentors to assist if you are a newbie. All are welcome to meetings and to hold a office if you are a member in good standing. Our State Convention is at the end of May held in Ocean City MD. Our officers and members will represent our Auxiliary there.

A special note of thanks to all who participated in our annual Bakeless Cake Sale. The 4 gift card drawings will be held at our May Meeting. There is still time to donate if you are able. There is no donation that is too small.

We hope to see you at our upcoming events listed in this newsletter. Volunteers are always welcome especially for our Saturday night kitchen. Our new hours to serve food will be 6 to 8:30 starting May 1st. Please contact me if you would like to be put on the rotation. Schedules are emailed out in advance.

Spring is the season of new beginnings. Let us make this one count!

Warm Regards, President Sandi Fike

We are updating our records—Please cut & return to Post with any changes: VFW Post 6506 8777 Philadelphia Rd Baltimore MD 21237  
 Changes can also be emailed to: vfwauxiliarypost6506@gmail.com Please make sure we are up to date with any email changes you may have in the future. Due to the rising cost of postage, newsletters will be emailed only.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse/Members of Household: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State & Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Email address to be used by the Post for notification only. It will not be used to solicit or be sold.

Please check all that apply in your household Post Member \_\_\_\_\_ VFW Auxiliary Member \_\_\_\_\_

# VFW & Auxiliary Information

## CHARLES EVERING VFW POST 6506 OFFICERS—2023-24

Post Meets 3rd Monday of each Month @ 7 pm

Commander	Sam Young dogger818@verizon.net
Sr. Vice Commander	Nick Allen nickallen410@gmail.com
Jr. Vice Commander	Don Edmiston
Quartermaster	Mike McGuire mmicheal224150@hotmail.com
Adjutant	Steve Szymanski steve.szymanski9@gmail.com
Judge Advocate	Steve Szymanski
Chaplain	Phil Beinke philbeinke@comcast.net



## VFW AUXILIARY OFFICERS—2023-24

VFW Auxiliary Meets 3rd Monday of each Month @ 6 pm both in person and virtually. Please Note: December, January & February are virtually only

President	Sandi Fike 443.895.1196 aravenfan@yahoo.com
Sr. Vice President	Dianna Shine leonick17@hotmail.com
Jr. Vice President	Pat Freeland
Treasurer/Secretary	Betty J. Stahm, PDP 410.598.5895 bjstahm226@hotmail.com
Chaplain	Amanda Icenroad aicenroad6@gmail.com
Conductress	Jeanne Woodward
Guard	Chuck Kafka
Patriotic Instructor	Kathleen Lindeman
Trustees	Erna Scarcella Lydia Smith Shelley Baker



## *Chaplains' Corner*

**VFW Chaplain—Phil Beinke**  
philbeinke@comcast.net  
**VFW Auxiliary Chaplain—Amanda Icenroad**  
aicenroad6@gmail.com

Please note: The Post is no longer accepting wheel chairs, walkers or any other medical equipment.

## ***Spring & Summer Hours of Operation***

Sundays—Closed  
Mondays—Closed  
\*3rd Monday of each month is meeting night  
Tuesdays—Closed  
Wednesdays—Closed  
Thursdays— Open at 4 pm  
Fridays— Open at 4 pm  
Saturdays— Open at 4 pm Kitchen 6 to 8:30 pm  
Every Friday and Saturday  
join us for Karaoke (*unless indicated*)  
Please call the Post for Karaoke schedule or if you need additional information 410.391.6506  
Inclement Weather—The Post follows Baltimore County Schools. If the Schools are closed so is the Post. If the Schools close early, the Post will be closed.

## **MEMBERS:**

Please notify the Post of any change in your contact information. Also, of the death or illness of any of our members. Thank you.

## **Dining Room Area available to Rent**

**Birthday Parties      Anniversary Parties**  
**Retirement Parties      Wakes**  
**Work Parties, etc.**

Dining room is available all day Sunday through Wednesday. Thursday, Fridays and Saturdays until 5pm. Full bar service available. Outside caterers are welcomed.

***Post and Auxiliary members receive a \$100 discount. For more information please call the Post @ 410.391.6506.***

Upcoming Events—Save the Dates

**2nd Saturday BINGO**



Sponsored by VFW Post 6506  
 Doors Open at 11:30am Games Begin at 1:00pm \$20 for 20 Game, Specials, 50/50's & Door Prizes. For more Information or to reserve your ticket/table, Call or text Patti @410-299-2185 or Call, text Lynn at 443-365-7958 or email lhofferbert@hotmail.com



FLIP 3

Every Thursday starting April 11th  
 6pm to 8pm

A fun night out while supporting the Post!  
 \$1 per hand—Drink Specials  
 Call, text Lynn at 443-365-7958 or email lhofferbert@hotmail.com



Join our Thursday Cornhole League  
 Starting May 2nd

Number of teams determines the end date  
 \$5 per player each week

Fee used for end of year party  
 Games start promptly at 5:45 pm  
 Text Lynn at 443-365-7958 or email lhofferbert@hotmail.com

**Auxiliary Lunch 'N BINGO—Cash Prizes**  
**June 22nd, Aug 24th, Oct 26th & Dec 28th**

Doors Open at 11:30am Games Begin at 1:00pm  
 Lunch begins is Noon to 1pm \$25 for 20 Games, Specials, 50/50's & Door Prizes—Lunch included in price.  
 (No outside food permitted except light snacks) It is highly Recommended that you purchase your tickets in advance.



All you can eat Spaghetti Dinner  
 May 18th 4pm until 8pm  
 Includes one glass of Sangria  
 \$10.00 per person  
 Children under 12— \$6.00  
 Children under 3— Free



Auxiliary Monthly Lottery is BACK! Nightly Drawing Only  
 \$5.00 per month

Your can pick your numbers on a 1st come basis.  
 Win \$50, \$75 or \$100 based on the date.  
 Contact Betty to purchase or for more information—call/text 410.598.5895  
 Email bjstahm226@hotmail.com

OVER \$2,000 IN PRIZE MONEY												
Winning number based on the Nightly Lottery Number—Awards given as listed												
January 2024												
January 2024	Name _____	Address _____	Phone _____	No 000 _____	Jan 1	\$75	Jan 9	\$50	Jan 17	\$50	Jan 25	\$75
					Jan 2	\$50	Jan 10	\$75	Jan 18	\$75	Jan 26	\$50
					Jan 3	\$100	Jan 11	\$100	Jan 19	\$50	Jan 27	\$100
					Jan 4	\$75	Jan 12	\$75	Jan 20	\$100	Jan 28	\$75
					Jan 5	\$50	Jan 13	\$50	Jan 21	\$75	Jan 29	\$50
					Jan 6	\$75	Jan 14	\$75	Jan 22	\$50	Jan 30	\$75
					Jan 7	\$50	Jan 15	\$50	Jan 23	\$75	Jan 31	\$50
					Jan 8	\$75	Jan 16	\$75	Jan 24	\$50		

Benefit: Auxiliary, Post 6506 - General Fund  
 Charles Evering VFW  
 Donation: \$5.00

# April 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 CLOSED	2 CLOSED	3 CLOSED	4 CLOSED	5 POST OPENS AT 4 PM KARAOKE NIGHT	6 POST OPENS AT 4 PM KARAOKE NIGHT
7 CLOSED	8 CLOSED	9 CLOSED	10 CLOSED	11 POST OPENS AT 4 PM FLIP 3 STARTS EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING—7 pm	12 POST OPENS AT 4 PM KARAOKE NIGHT	13 2nd SATURDAY BINGO DOORS OPEN AT 11:30 POST OPENS AT 4 PM KARAOKE NIGHT
14 CLOSED	15 CLOSED MEETING NIGHT Post 7 pm Auxiliary 6 pm	16 CLOSED	17 CLOSED	18 POST OPENS AT 4 PM FLIP 3	19 POST OPENS AT 4 PM KARAOKE NIGHT	20 AUXILIARY DESIGNER PURSE BINGO DOORS OPEN AT 11:30 POST OPENS AT 4 PM KARAOKE NIGHT
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# May 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<sup>19</sup> CLOSED	<sup>20</sup> CLOSED	<sup>21</sup> CLOSED	<sup>22</sup> CLOSED	<sup>23</sup> POST OPENS AT 4 PM CORNHOLE FLIP 3	<sup>24</sup> POST OPENS AT 4 PM KARAOKE NIGHT	<sup>25</sup> POST OPENS AT 4 PM KARAOKE NIGHT
<sup>26</sup> CLOSED	<sup>27</sup> MEMORIAL DAY HOLLY HILLS AT 9AM POST SERVICE at NOON	<sup>28</sup> CLOSED	<sup>29</sup> CLOSED	<sup>30</sup> POST OPENS AT 4 PM CORNHOLE FLIP 3	<sup>31</sup>	

# June 2024

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