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Charles Evering VFW Post 6506

Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States Phone: 410.391.6506 Summer 2024 Newsletter

Message from our Post Commander

Dear VFW and Auxiliary Members,

Finally, summer is upon us, and things are starting to prosper. Our quest for a new building is looking up. Once we have a plan in place, we will have more information for you.

Only a few members attend our monthly meeting or patronize our canteen. I say this in every newsletter, but it doesn't hit home. The Post needs your help and support to exist so that we can continue to support other veterans and their families. Please consider attending our events listed in the newsletter. Our monthly BINGO is being well attended. We are planning special events for your entertainment pleasure. In August, 7-Souls Band will once again play in our lounge. Their last performance sold out in advance. Ravens football will be here before you know it and the Post will be open on Sundays for the 1 pm and 4:40 games. Come out to the Post and root for your team. We won't hold it against you if you root for another team to beat the Ravens. Please consider joining us for camaraderie and a good time had by all. The prices are right, and the adult beverages are cold! The Auxiliary is bending over backward for us, and as always, my heartfelt thanks go out to them. We could not do this without their support. If you can help in any way or need additional information, please call me at 410-371-2175.

Respectfully Submitted:

Commander Sam Young

Message from our VFW Auxiliary President

Dear Comrades, Sisters and Brothers,

Summer has arrived, and so has our new year. I am overjoyed to have been elected your President for the upcoming year. I look forward to working with each of you to benefit our Veterans and their families.

We ended the last year on a great note. We took five awards at our Department convention, including first place in the Buddy Poppy contest. Our creative new Senior Vice President, Crystal Hallen, made a fantastic Buddy Poppy Wishing Well. Our winning entry now travels to the National Convention and represents the entire state of Maryland! Way to go, Crystal!! We are so proud of her.

I am very excited for the new year! Some exciting events are planned, including our Lunch n Bingo, Purse Bingo, a giant yard sale, and others. We are working with the VFW to host bands and dances. We are always looking for new FUNdraising ideas. Congratulations to our Bakeless Cake Sale Raffle winners: Sharon Libertini, Jonnie Reuter, Jeanne Woodward, and Betzy Falk.

We have a new kitchen manager, Jessica Dotterweich. She has streamlined our menus to make it easier for our volunteers. We can always use help on Saturday nights. If you would like to volunteer a couple of hours a month in our kitchen, please contact Jessica or me.

Miss Cass Kropp (April), Kathleen Lindeman & Amanda Icenroad (May), and Lydia Smith (June) were the volunteers of the month.

Our monthly lottery raffle is producing many winners! For \$5 a month, you can choose your number or one at random for a chance to win up to \$100 if your number is drawn in the evening Maryland Lottery.

Our National Convention is being held July 27-Aug 1st in Louisville, Kentucky. The Eastern State Conference will be Nov 1 to Nov 4 in Burlington, Vermont. If you would like to attend either, please get in touch with our Auxiliary Secretary, Betty Stahm.

Our monthly meetings are on the third Monday at 6 PM. You can join us in person or via a virtual Zoom meeting. If you have an email address in our files, the link for the virtual meetings is emailed to you each month. We cannot spell auxiliary without U!

With 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—2024-25

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VFW AUXILIARY OFFICERS—2024-25

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

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Please Note: Annual dues notices have been mailed out. We will have a raffle for a life membership if you pay your dues by September 1st. If you convert to a life membership, you will be reimbursed the amount. The State Auxiliary is also having a drawing to win a life membership. Information is in the dues letter.





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.

Summer Hours of Operation

Sundays—Closed (will open for Ravens games) Mondays—Closed *3rd Monday of each month is meeting night Tuesdays—Closed Wednesdays—Closed Thursdays— Closed (Will open for when Cornhole starts) Fridays— Open at 4 pm Saturdays— Open at 4 pm Kitchen 6 to 8:30 pm

Join us for Karaoke *(unless indicated)* See calendar for schedule 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 or Auxiliary of any change in your contact information. Also, inform the Post or Auxiliary 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

Every 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



Auxiliary Lunch 'N BINGO—Aug 24th

Doors Open at 11:30am Games Begin at 1:00pm Lunch served



Noon until 1pm \$25 for 20 Games, Specials, 50/50's & Door Prizes—Lunch included in price. (No *outside food permitted except light snacks*) It is recommended that you purchase your tickets in advance. Contact Crystal for more information csalexander013@gmail.com



Join our Fall Thursday Cornhole League Starting September 5th Number of teams determines he end date \$5 per player each week Fee used for end of year party. Games start promptly at 5:15 pm Text Lynn at 443-365-7958 or email lhofferbert@hotmail.com



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