

COMMANDER: GLENNBOB TALLEY NEXT MEETING: 21 MAR 19 1900



Greetings!



As of 1 March we need 5 renewal/new applicants to make membership goal. Lets get this done this month so we don't have that to do.

We lost Bruce Click and Dennis Swindle in February. Two more Viet Nam Veterans gone.

March meeting means nominations for 2019-2020 Officer Chairs. We must fill these chairs in order to maintain our charter.

Elections will be in April.

Help out your Post.

It is a pretty easy job since we don't have a building to worry about.

Think about it.

Review the Website, Newsletters, and Email Readfiles! Stay on top of what's happening at YOUR POST!

Glenn

Come and join us! Bring Your Friends!

Help Keep Your Post Alive!!!



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VFW at a Glance

The VFW is a nonprofit veterans service organization composed of eligible veterans and military service members from the active, Guard and Reserve forces. The VFW and its Auxiliaries are dedicated to veterans service, legislative advocacy, and military and community service programs.

IF YOU HAVE MOVED . . . IF YOU HAVE CHANGED EMAIL ADDRESSES . . PLEASE UPDATE VIA AN EMAIL TO: INFO@VFWPOST8561.ORG

THANK YOU!



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NO ONE DOES MORE FOR

SOUTHWEST MEM

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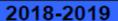
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7:00PM



VFW POST 8561

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VFW POST 8561 AUXILIARY OFFICERS

2018-2019



COMMUNITY SERVICE

IF YOU WANT TO HELP YOUR POST GAIN RECOGNITION

PERFORM COMMUNITY SERVICE AND THEN REPORT IT!

Whether you volunteer at the local food bank

or do your neighbors lawn work,

Report the Activity!

REPORTING REQUIREMENTS:

A. DESCRIBE THE ACTIVITY AND LIST ALL VFW MEMBERS WHO PARTICIPATED.

B. TAKE **TWO PHOTOS WITH SOMETHING VFW IN IT** (HAT OR SHIRT) OF MEMBERS PERFORMING ACTIVITY, PREFERABLY INCLUDE A CHILD.

C. RECORD:

HOURS SPENT

MONEY COLLECTED / SPENT

MILAGE

REPORT ALL THIS INFORMATION AND PHOTOS TO:

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SET YOUR CLOCKS 1 HOUR AHEAD 10 MAR 19 | 0200

ATTENTION NOMNATIONS VFW POST OFFICERS 2019-2020 THURSDAY 21 MAR 19

Held At Moose Lodge 1932 3210 Pleasant Valley Ln. Arlington, TX 76015-2906





REMEMBRANCE WEDNESDAY 20 MAR 2019

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POOL TOURNAMENT RESULTS

As Of 27 FEB 2019					
NAME	DATE	MATCH	PLACE		
BILLY ROBINSON AND VERNON WARD	27-Feb-19	1	1ST		
BEVERLY ROBINSON AND GARY DAVIS	27-Feb-19	1	2ND		
BILLY ROBINSON AND VERNON WARD	27-Feb-19	2	1ST		
MELINDA GOFORTH AND BEVERLY ROBINSON	27-Feb-19	2	2ND		
GARY DAVIS AND BILL COWBOY OTTMERS	20-Feb-19	1	1ST		
FLORENCE OTTMERS AND VERNON WARD	20-Feb-19	1	2ND		
VANESSA MARSHALL AND GARY DAVIS	20-Feb-19	2	1ST		
FRANKIE REISINGER AND VERNON WARD	20-Feb-19	2	2ND		
VANESSA MARSHALL AND GARY DAVIS	13-Feb-19	1	1ST		
RON CLAWSON AND VERNAN WARD	13-Feb-19	1	2ND		
GINA ROBELLO AND TIM DICKERSON	13-Feb-19	2	1ST		
BEVERLY ROBINSON AND FRANKIE REISINGER	13-Feb-19	2	2ND		
BEVERLY ROBINSON AND VERNON WARD	6-Feb-19	1	1ST		
MELINDA GOFORTH AND GARY DAVIS	6-Feb-19	1	2ND		
VANESSA MARSHALL AND FRANKIE REISINGER	6-Feb-19	2	1ST		
GARY DAVIS AND VERNON WARD	6-Feb-19	2	2ND		

CHECK THE **POST WEBSITE FOR LINKS** TO LOCAL, DISTRICT, STATE AND NATIONAL VFW INFORMATION!



MOOSE LODGE 1932 FOR LETTING US HAVE A ROOF OVER

To All Veterans

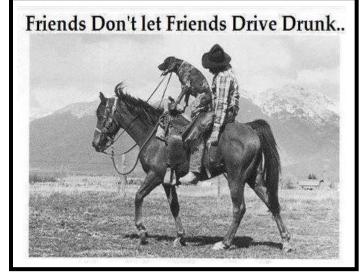












MEMBERSHIP VFW AUX

VFW LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP FEES					
AGE ATTAINED 31 DECEMBER OF THE YEAR APPLYING					
YEARS FEE\$ \$/MONTH					
THROUGH 30	\$425	\$38.64			
31-40	\$410	\$37.27			
41-50	\$375	\$34.09			
51-60	\$335	\$30.45			
61-70	\$290	\$26.36			
71-80	\$225	\$20.45			
80+	\$170	\$15.45			
ANNUAL DUES: \$35					

AUX LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP FEES					
AGE ATTAINED 31 DECEMBER OF THE YEAR APPLYING					
YEARS	FEE\$	\$/MONTH			
THROUGH 20	\$220	\$19.86			
21-25	\$210	\$18.96			
26-30	\$200	\$18.06			
31-35	\$190	\$17.15			
36-40	\$185	\$16.70			
41-45	\$175	\$15.80			
46-50	\$170	\$15.35			
51-55	\$160	\$14.44			
56-60	\$150	\$13.54			
61-65	\$140	\$12.64			
66-70	\$130	\$11.74			
71-75	\$115	\$10.38			
76-80	\$95	\$8.58			
81-85	\$75	\$6.77			
86-90	\$60	\$5.42			
91+	\$50	\$4.51			
ANNUAL DUES: \$27					

LIFE MEMBERSHIPS SAYE MONEY!

MAR 2019

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	2 •WOTM	3 •8 BALL POOL TOURNEY -1!	4	5	6 *CHILI COOKOFF - 1400
7	8	9 *LOOM MEETING - 1900 *JOINT MOOSE MEETING		11 - VFW POST 8561 AUXILIAR	12	13
14	15	16 •WOTM	17 •8 BALL POOL TOURNEY -1:	18 •VFW VETS MTG - 1900	19	20
21	22	23 *LOOM MEETING - 1900	24 •8 BALL POOL TOURNEY -1:	25	26	27
28	29	30				





IF YOU ARE GOUCHY, IRRITABLE, OR JUST PLAIN MEAN...



THERE WILL BE A \$10 CHARGE OR PUTTING UP WITH YOU! If you do anything for your Community . . donate magazines, help a vet with raking leaves . etc . . please let us know! Your VFW Post can get credit for that! We have Tax Exempt status, not only as a non-profit organization, but also for Community Service activities!



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Origins

In 1899, the American Veterans of Foreign Service (Columbus, Ohio) and the National Society of the Army of the Philippines (Denver, Colo.) were organized to secure rights and benefits for veterans of the Spanish-American War (1898) and the Philippines War (1899-1902). These two organizations merged in 1914, creating the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States. VFW was chartered by Congress in 1936.

Membership Eligibility

Those serving honorably in the U.S. Armed Forces in a foreign war or overseas operation recognized by a campaign medal, in Korea after June 30, 1949, and recipients of hostile-fire or imminent danger pay. Veterans of World War II, Korea, Vietnam, Lebanon, Grenada, Panama, Persian Gulf, Somalia, Kosovo, Afghanistan, Iraq and other smaller expeditionary campaigns, as well as occupation duty, qualify.

Partner Organization

A national volunteer service organization, the Auxiliary of the VFW was founded in 1914 and is the backbone of many local VFW volunteer efforts.

Membership Size

Nearly 1.7 million VFW and Auxiliary members in all 50 states, and many foreign countries.

Organizational Structure

Thousands convene each year at VFW's national convention to elect officers, adopt resolutions and discuss business affairs. Leading the organization are the elected commander-in-chief, senior vice commander-in-chief and junior vice commander-in-chief. The National Council of Administration serves as the VFW's board of directors. Nearly 6,400 Posts worldwide comprise 52 Departments in the 50 states, the Asia/Pacific Areas and Europe. Posts form the basic local chapter.

Priority Issues

- **Budget**: Secure full funding for programs and services for veterans, service members and their families by ending sequestration.
- *Health Care*: Ensure veterans have timely access to high quality, comprehensive and veteran-centric health care, and secure sufficient funding for the VA Health Care System.
- Women Veterans: Expand women's health care services to all VA medical centers to ensure the growing number of women veterans have access to gender-specific services.
- Suicide Prevention & Homelessness: Work with VA, DOD and Congress to reduce the rate of suicide and homelessness among veterans.
- VA Benefits & Compensation: Ensure veterans and their dependents have timely access to earned benefits.
- **Seamless Transition:** Improve education, employment and transition programs so veterans have an opportunity to obtain meaningful employment after leaving military service.
- Military Quality of Life: Fight to maintain a quality and comprehensive benefits and retirement package that is the backbone for an all volunteer force.
- Education & Employment: Fight to sustain G.I. Bill benefits and insist on strengthening USERRA. Continue to improve licensing and credentialing for military skills.
- **Defense & Homeland Security**: Fully support the troops and their mission in the war on terrorism, and to secure U.S. borders against all enemies, both foreign and domestic, who are intent on doing us harm.
- **POW/MIA**: Achieve the fullest possible accounting of America's 83,000 MIAs from World War II forward.



VFWPOST8561/CALENDAR

March 2019 🔻

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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10 •DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME +1HR	11	*LOOM MEETING - 1900 *JOINT MOOSE MEETING	13 •8 BALL POOL TOURNEY - 1900	14 •VFW POST 8561 AUXILIARY MONTHLY MEETING - 7:30PM	15	16
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For questions regarding this calendar, contact: Webmaster: BJ Lasik

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