



The Hearl Herald



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2022 - 23

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COMMANDERS CORNER

June is a month of transition after a winter that would not end, schools are closing and everyone is getting into summer mode. Please be careful in your travels remember kids are out playing, if you are at the lake have a good time and be safe.

May was a busy month at the Post, the first Kentucky Derby day went well everyone had a great time. The Wednesday night's steak night has been getting popular and we are seeing more people coming into our facility for the first time.

I need to thank all the staff and volunteers for all of the work that everyone puts in to make this a great place to come to.

Elections were held in May and all of the officers will remain in their positions for another year.

I am looking for more members to attend meetings. I need help with finding a way to raise money for the Post account. Right now we are going to be cooking and serving brats at the West Fargo Hornbachers August 4th and 5th, we will setting up a sign up sheet for helping out with this. This event will help us a little bit If you have any ideas on ways that we can increase the Post's account without raising membership fees please let us know.

Please keep an eye on the monthly calendar as we have a lot of events happening, especially in July.

Paul Leeman,
Commander

MANAGER'S CORNER

Hello Members!!

Well, it looks like mother nature finally gave in, the weather has turned the corner, and it is finally summertime!! May was a busy month with our steak night, which keeps getting busier and busier, and a little bit of flare with some live music by Rick Adams, who always never disappoints, and the car show in our parking lot keeps getting bigger as well. Our first annual Kentucky Derby Party was a success. Thanks to Dennis and Mary Beckerleg for heading up this event. We had a lot of fun hats and some Mint Juleps to go around. The Voje Family Potato Dumpling Feed was a success as well, with wonderful donations being raised for the honor that makes this day possible!!

Summertime at your Post 21 typically slows down with everyone headed to the lakes area. We try to stay active as well with our summertime activities. Before I get into things, remember our summertime hours on Sundays. We open at 3 pm and close at 10 pm. Starting things off in June, we open our first steak night with Live Music with Rick Adams starting at 7 pm.

On June 9th & 10th we will be hosting the 9th District Convention here at Post 21. On the 17th there will be a benefit and live music by "Road Trip Radio" which should be a very well attended event. The 3rd Wednesday of the month, which is the 21st, is the Car Show. This is put on by the VVA, with VVCC and Northern Lights Corvette Club taking part as well.

The kitchen here at Post 21 is doing well, with Sara, our cook serving up wonderful noon luncheon specials. You really need to come out and try it; you won't be disappointed. On that note. We are still looking for an evening cook 4 nights a week for 3 to 4 hours. Nothing too extravagant, just nice healthy comfort food for everyone to enjoy. Call the club if you are interested or have any leads. Thank You.

July is right around the corner, and it looks to be a busy one as well. Stay tuned for more information on those upcoming events. Until Next time, remember to keep our Troops and Veterans in our prayers at all times. May God Bless You, and May God Bless America!!

Scott B. Moen
Post 21 Manager



Auxiliary



2022 - 23

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President's Corner

Summer greetings to all! With summer approaching, our last meeting until fall will be Monday, June 5th, at 6 pm. We will be having a salad potluck at our meeting as a fun gathering while we make plans for any upcoming Auxiliary events and announcements. A reminder!! All money from the Auxiliary 50/50 raffle must be turned in on June 1st at the Legion or to Karen Haugen. The drawing will be held at this meeting.

June is Girls State Month, and we are pleased to sponsor Junior Ellika Johnson from Park Christian School in Moorhead. Girls State is June 11-17 at Bethel College. Congratulations Ellika! The purpose of Girls State is to provide an outstanding, unique, and coveted educational opportunity for young women and instill the basic ideals and principles of American government and good citizenship. It is a state-level government-in-action learning program in which American Legion Auxiliary members guide young women to become patriotic citizens and knowledgeable stewards of freedom and democracy. We are excited to hear about Ellika's experience and will invite her to our meeting next fall to tell us about it.

We have had several opportunities to ask for donations for the poppy cards and poppies, raising almost \$300 so far in memory of loved ones!



On Memorial Day, we will set up a table at the Legion. If you are willing to help sit at the donation table, please let me know. My number is 701-238-6237

I want to once again thank the Auxiliary members who have been serving and bringing baked goods on Thursday nights! It has been a very successful asset to our post-events. If you can't help serve, bringing some kind of homemade baked item is also a great way to donate. The items are then sold to the public. The bingo players and Legion patrons seem to enjoy this extra sweet option on the menu! It looks like the Auxiliary will be serving each Thursday at 5 pm until further notice, so if you know of dates you are willing to help (it is also really a fun time!), please let me know.

June 10th is the 9th District Convention at our Post 21 Legion. The 9th District Band will be playing, and lunch will be served. There will also be meetings going on. Watch for the flyer about the time the events will begin. Let's show our support to the 9th District by attending.

Hope to see you all at our salad potluck on June 5th! Have a wonderful summer!

Barb Chamberlain Unit 21
Auxiliary President

Barb Chamberlain, American
Legion Auxiliary President

AUXILIARY MEMBERSHIP

Another new member - Moorhead Unit 21 welcomes Gail Brekke!! Let's keep it going, ladies - we only have a few weeks to finish up the 2023 membership.

The Auxiliary's 2023-year ends following the State Convention, which is set for July 13-15 in Redwood Falls. At the close of the convention, we will start working on the 2024 membership. Many of our members are proud of their continuous years of membership in the American Legion Auxiliary and their contribution toward making life a little better for our veterans. If you have not paid your 2023 dues before the State Convention, you will need to pay 2023 and 2024 dues in order to keep your continuous year accruing.

Minnesota Units are asked to have 95% of their membership goal turned in by June 12. We are almost there. Let's make it happen! Please check your membership card - if it does not say 2023, contact me as soon as possible to update your membership. Every paid membership helps support our veterans through many programs on the local, state, and national levels. Your continued membership matters!!!

Judy Carpenter, Membership
Chairperson
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It has been a busy spring, but we are finally able to get out and do some riding. Here is what we've been up to:

We were certainly busy helping out in the kitchen these last couple of months. Thank you to everyone who stepped up to help. We helped to clean up the National Cemetery. Several of our riders participated in Road Guard Training to help keep everyone safe on our fun runs. We recently participated in a fundraiser for PADS (Patriot Assistance Dogs). What a great time and an amazing cause.

We have lots of fun events coming up this summer. We have an Iron Butt Challenge Run on June 10, where we will be riding 1,000 miles in 24 hours to raise money for the ND/MN Honor Flight. We will be assisting with several funeral escorts. We are assisting with a fun run for the J&S Saloon on July 8. The annual FM Legion Riders Run is set for July 15. We will be participating in the Post 21 Over the Top Celebration on July 22. The MN Legacy Run will be coming to Moorhead on July 29. Please mark your calendars, as it's going to be a busy but fun summer. Please stay safe and Always watch out for motorcycles.

Thank you

Marc Simonet, Assistant Director/ Chaplain, FM Legion Riders



**SUMMER BINGO STARTS
FRIDAY, JUNE 2**

**1ST & 3RD FRIDAYS
2-\$500 GAMES**

**2ND & 4TH FRIDAYS
\$1000 IN 55# - \$300 CONSY**



FARGO MEMORIAL HONOR GUARD VA NATIONAL CEMETERY

THE FARGO MEMORIAL HONOR GUARD HAS BEEN SERVING THE FARGO VETERANS NATIONAL CEMETERY SINCE IT'S DEDICATION ON 7 SEPTEMBER 2019.

For the month of APRIL, we had 6 internments/burials, 3 Urns in LOT # 2 (GROUND) AND 1 Urn IN THE – CCA (COLUMBARIUM), AND 2 CASKETS IN LOT # 5.

There are 168 urns in the Columbarium, 374 urns in the ground, 26 caskets in the private vaults, 179 caskets in the Government vaults, and 2 plaques on the Memorial Wall. WE HAVE 597 VETERANS AND 152 POUSES INTERRED/BURIED AT THE FARGO NATIONAL CEMETERY, FOR A TOTAL OF 749 INTERNMENTS/BURIALS. THIS INCLUDES THE 79 COUPLES INTERRED/BURIED AT THE FARGO NATIONAL CEMETERY.

“To get back to my youth, I would do anything in the world except exercise, get up early, or be respectable.” – Andy Roone.

THE break down per branch of service is: Army – 326 Navy – 115, Marine Corps – 43, US Air Force – 109, USAAF - 4, and Spouses – 152, for a total of 749 internments/burials

WE HAVE DONATED 94 VOLUNTEER HOURS FOR APRIL 2023. OUR YEARLY VOLUNTEER HOURS ARE – 2019 = 966, 2020 = 2,072, 2021 = 3,373, 2022 = 2,798, 2023 = 577. From 13 October 2019 thru 30 APRIL 2023, WE HAVE ACCULATED 10,383 DONATED VOLUNTEER HOURS.

UNCLAIMED VETERANS: I will have a complete report in the July issue of the Post 21 Newsletter.

We have close to ten unclaimed Veterans since we opened in September 2019.

“I don't do alcohol anymore---I get the same effect just standing up fast” – Anonymous.

THERE HAS BEEN A NUMBER OF VETERAN INTERNMENTS/BURIALS IN THE AREA - LOCAL CHURCHES AND COMMUNITY CEMETERIES.

The Fargo Memorial Honor Guard has performed the Military Honors in all types of weather. The FM Honor Guard WILL NEVER cancel an Internment of a Veteran because of bad weather. The family has to make that decision.

We are always looking for new members to join the Fargo Memorial Honor Guard. If you are interested or have questions, please call Marvin J. Nicklay at 701 - 371 - 0604 or email me at mjnicklayupb@gmail.com.

Be Careful- Be Safe - Wear Your Mask! Take care, and GOD BLESS. Marvin J. Nicklay Rifle Squad Commander



Squadron 21 News

Greetings, SAL, and Legion Family-

We would like to put a special request out to SAL members for assistance with kitchen volunteering for SAL burgers. This is one of the ways that our club earns income to be able to help out organizations and members that are in need. Please contact Dale Jenson at 218-329-6923 and mention that you want to help. Have fun while giving back to the club!

On June 6, we mark the solemn anniversary of D-Day, a pivotal event that took place in 1944 during World War II. It was a day of tremendous bravery and sacrifice as Allied forces landed on the beaches of Normandy, France, ultimately leading to the liberation of Europe. June 14 is Flag Day, so get your pin and show your pride.

June also holds historical significance with the anniversary of the start of the Korean War in 1950. This conflict played a crucial role in shaping the geopolitics of the Korean Peninsula and had a lasting impact on the lives of countless individuals. We remember the courage and resilience of all those involved during this challenging time.

New Members:
Next SAL Meeting: June 5 at 6:00 PM

Respectfully submitted,
Dale Jenson- SAL Commander
Jered Pigeon- SAL Adjutant



[@MoorheadSAL](https://www.facebook.com/MoorheadSAL)

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FUNDRAISER FOR
THE VETERANS HONOR FLIGHT OF ND/MN

Save The Date!



JULY 22ND, 2023

AT THE MOORHEAD AMERICAN LEGION

303 30th St. N. Moorhead - North of the Fry'n Pan on Hwy 10

TIMELINE OF EVENTS

11am-4pm: Silent Auction (inside)

11am-4pm: Car Show

1pm: Registration MHS Wrestling
Corn Hole Tourney - \$20/Team

2pm: Corn Hole Tourney Starts
Adult Games & Axe Throwing - Prizes!

1-3pm: Wine Pull

3-5pm: Dixieland Band

5pm: Moorhead Mayor Proclaims
ND/MN Veterans Honor Flight Day

5-6pm: Event Announcements - Prizes Given Away at 6pm

6-8pm: Uptown

8-11pm: Slamabama



DJ Music All Day!



Food & Ice Cream Trucks!



Melvin E. Hearl, Post 21 would like to welcome the following American Legion Family Member to our Post Home!!

- David Hilde, USA, Korea Era
Kevin Hannestad, USN
Gordon Isaccson, USN
Alden Iverson, USNR

Color/Honor Guard

In May, the Honor Guard presented military honors for the following individuals: Larry Borowicz, Army, sentry dog handler, Viet Nam; Eugene Nelson, Army, 18 months in Viet Nam; Morton Brendemuhl, Army, communications specialist, Germany; and Warren Kluever, Army, Okinawa.

On May 2nd, Gary, Bruce, and I joined many well-wishers when we met the Veterans Honor Flight of ND/MN with the American, POW/MIA, and Post 21 Flags.

Memorial Day will again be a big event for your Honor Guard. We start with a march onto Veteran's Bridge and follow up with visiting seven cemeteries in the area. I hope you were able to attend.

The arrival of Spring often results in an increased need for Color/Honor Guard activities. We need new members to participate in the Color/Honor Guard. A stipend is provided for each honors event you participate in, and the Post provides the required uniform. If you are interested, don't hesitate to contact me at 701-261-7012.

Peter Larson, Honor Guard Commander
Melvin E. Hearl Post 21, Email: phlarson@midco.net
Phone: 701-261-7012

Memorial Donations

Want to recognize your favorite Veteran? Consider purchasing a Paver and remembering them. The cost is \$75.00 per paver. For more information, contact the Post Home at 218-233-1297.

Current Post 21 members serving on Active Duty/ Reserve Component

If you're currently in the service Active or Reserve Component and not listed below, please send me your information. I'd like to add your name to this list!!!

- GySgt Chad Beckerleg - USMC
MSgt Samuel Dibble - ND ANG
TSgt Collin Denny - ND ANG
MSgt Jason Meyers - ND ANG
SMSgt Jeffrey Dahl - ND ANG
MSgt Brandon Grund - ND ANG
MAJ Mathew Hoff - US ARMY
1LT Shelby Moderow - USAR
SFC Nicholas Romie - MN ARNG
CMSgt Shane Amundson - ND ANG
1LT Lukas Ziegler - USA
SPC Gavin Bakke, MN ARNG
MSgt Kyle Rosenfeldt, ND ANG
CMSgt Rich Duysen - ND ANG
Gary Bush, SSGT, USMCR
MSgt Betsy Miller - ND ANG
SPC Jacob Schobinger - USAR
Capt Skyler Muller - USAF
Lt Col Adam Erlandson - USAF
Maj Tara Erlandson - USAF
Holger Loor - ND ARNG
Monte DeBoer - US Navy
SFC Seth Goehring - MN ARNG
SSG David McCleary - MN ARNG
CPT Jordan Dibich - MN ARNG
MSgt Mason Krebsbach - ND ANG
TSgt Jacob Dibble - ND ANG
CMSgt Richard Hayes - ND ANG
SPC Mason Hughes - ND ARNG

*** - Currently Deployed

Thank You for your Service!!!!



Post 21 Gaming

Moorhead American Legion
Gaming Tidbits

May 20th, 2023

In the past year, here at the club, we have had bingo on 192 different sessions with a total of 3072 total games played. During this time over 17,747 people have enjoyed bingo and have been rewarded with \$341,495.00 in prize money.

Dennis Beckerleg, Gaming Manger

JUNE BINGO!

FRI. JUNE 2 & 16 - 2/\$500 Games

NO BINGO FRIDAY, JUNE 9

FRI. JUNE 23 - \$1000-55#..\$300 CONSY

FRI. JUNE 30 - 3/500 GAMES (5TH FRIDAY)

SATURDAY SESSIONS-JUNE 10 & 24

Post 21 Gaming Donations

The Following Donations were approved by the Gaming Committee:

Memorial Day Breakfast	\$500.00
Memorial Day Lunch	\$400.00
Fergus Falls Vets Home (WiFi)	\$2,100.00
Veterans Honor Flight (Bags)	\$3,000.00
Wing Sling (Vets Warrior Foundation)	\$7,500.00
Freedom Flights, Inc	\$1,064.80
Boy's State	\$325.00
MBA 4th of July	\$1,500.00
BTYR (Gift Cards)	\$750.00
FM Youth Rugby	\$250.00
Am Legion Girls Fastpitch	\$500.00
Twist of Fate	\$250.00
Wounded Warriors	\$1,000.00
Cowboy Up Ride Against Cancer	\$750.00
RRVVCB	\$250.00
Color Guard	\$1,390.60
Total	\$21,530.40



TAPS



Post 21 offers its sincere condolences to the families and friends of their loved one who recently passed away.

Timothy L. Langeberg, USN, Vietnam Era Vet
David Emerson, USA, Vietnam Era Vet

Our thoughts and prayers are with the Families of these Veterans.



"RRR Fundraising Update"

(Restore, Refresh and Replace)

We are still raising money for the RRR Fund.

Thank you to an anonymous Donor for your donations to the RRR fund.

The RRR Fund is an ongoing fundraiser for repairs at your Post Home. Have questions on this fund, please give Scott Moen, Club Manager, a call @ 218-233-1297

Also, a very heartfelt thank you to all our previous donors for your dollars and Volunteering to make this Post Home look great.

Post 21 Management & Officers

Moorhead American Legion

Steak
Night

Every Wednesday
6 - 8 PM

8-10 oz. Butcher Block Sirloin with choice of mushrooms & onions
Salad Bar // Baked Potato // Garlic Bread

Happy Hour
4 - 7 PM

Gaming
4 PM - Close

\$12



Moorhead Blues/Golds Legion Baseball



2023 Moorhead Blues/Golds Legion Baseball Schedule

2023 Moorhead Blues Schedule

Date	Day	Place	Opponent	Time
Jun 14th	Wed	Thief River Falls	Home @ Matson	5:00 (2)
Jun 15th	Thur	Fergus Falls	Home @ Matson	5:00 (2) 7 PM (1)
Jun 16th	Fri	Fargo Post 400	Home @ Matson	9 Innings 11 AM (1)
Jun 18th	Sun	Wazyata	Home @ Matson	9 Innings
Jun 19th	Mon	Detroit Lakes	Home @ Matson	5:00 (2)
Jun 20th	Tues	Bemidji	Away @ Bemidji	5:00 (2)
Jun 22nd	Thur -	Omaha		
Jun 24th	Sat	Tournament	Away @ Omaha	TBD 5 PM (1)
Jun 26th	Mon	Grand Forks	Away @ Grand Forks	9 Innings
Jun 27th	Tues	Alexandria	Away @ Alexandria	5:00 (2)
Jun 28th	Wed	East Grand Forks	Home @ Matson	5:00 (2)
Jun 30th - Fri -				
Jul 2nd	Sun	FM Tourney	Home @ Matson	TBA
Jul 7th - Fri -		Gopher Classic		
Jul 9th	Sun	(Mankato)	Away @ Mankato	TBA 5 PM (1)
Jul 11th	Tues	Grand Forks	Home @ Matson	9 Innings 7 PM (1)
Jul 12th	Wed	Fargo	Away Fargo Post 2	9 Innings
Jul 13th	Thur	Perham	Away @ Perham	5:00 (2) 7 PM (1)
Jul 14th	Fri	Fargo	Away Fargo Post 400	9 Innings
Jul 19th - Wed -		Substate @		
Jul 23rd	Sun	Perham	Away @ Perham	TBA

2023 Moorhead Golds Schedule

Date	Day	Place	Opponent	Time
Jun 6th	Tues	Post 400 (Comets)	Away @ Fargo	5:30 (2)
Jun 8th	Thur	DGF	Away @ Dilworth	7:30 (1)
Jun 12th	Mon	Thief River Falls	Home @ Matson	4:00 (2)
Jun 13th	Tues	Bemidji	Home @ Matson	4:00 (2)
Jun 14th	Wed	Fergus Falls	Away @ Fergus Falls Away @ Fargo	3:00 (2)
Jun 15th	Thur	Fargo	(Jack Williams) Away @	12:00 (2)
Jun 22nd	Thur	East Grand Forks	East Grand Forks	4:00 (2)
Jun 23rd Fri -		Perham		
-Jun 25th Sun		Tournament	Away @ Perham	TBD
Jun 27th	Tues	Perham	Home @ Matson	5:00 (2)
Jun 29th	Thur	Post 400 (Comets)	Home @ Matson	5:00 (2)
Jul 5th	Wed	Alexandria	Away @ Alexandria	5:00 (2)
Jul 6th	Thur	DGF	Home @ Matson	5:00 (2)
Jul 11th	Tues	Bemidji	Away @ Bemidji	4:00 (2)
Jul 12th	Wed	Fargo	Away Fargo Bombers	4:00 (1)
Jul 13th	Thur	Alexandria	Home @ Matson	5:00 (2)
Jul 14th - Fri -		Substate @		
Jul 18th	Tues	Moorhead	Home @ Matson	TBA

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Veterans Service Officer

Let's go, Summer!

Last month we honored those who made the ultimate sacrifice. Memorial Day is a time to honor those men and women who died while serving in the active military. As people fired up their grills and had a cold beverage, let's remember what the last weekend represents. What this day represents - Sacrifice, Day of remembrance, reflection, the true price of freedom, Honoring those men, women, fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, sons and daughters, aunts, and uncles. May all of those heroes be remembered.

The Fargo VA is hiring and looking for veterans and civilians to fill multiple spots, from nurses to housekeepers. Please inquire at <https://vacareers.va.gov/careers>

On June 8th, **the ND Job Service office** will be having a mini resource fair from 1300-1500 at 1350 32nd Street South, Fargo, ND. Freedom Resource Center, Cass County Veterans Services, Rape and Abuse Crisis Center, Fargo Police Cultural Engagement Officer, and Reserve Component Transition Assistance Program will all be in attendance. For more information, please call 701-239-7300 or email infojsfg@nd.gov

Spirit Lake Casino is hosting an ND Native American Veterans Stand Down on June 7th-8th. VA Benefits, loans, and claim information will all be shared. For more information, please call 800-896-7628 or visit www.nrcnaa.org

Lastly, ND is finally at the table when it comes to veterans-specific court. Clay County has had this program for many years now. For more information, please contact Curt Cannon at 218-299-5041 (o) or curtis.cannon@claycountymn.gov

North Dakota's first veteran's treatment court opens in Grand Forks

"If it's just one veteran that we save, it's worth all the effort we put into it so far," said Lonnie Wangen, North Dakota Commissioner of Veteran Affairs. "I know it's gonna be a lot more than that." after years of advocating for North Dakota veterans, the Northeast Central Judicial District formally opened its veteran's treatment court on Friday afternoon, May 12. Presiding Judge Donald Hager, who is also a veteran, led the opening in the Grand Forks County Courthouse, where VTC will be held.

"It's certainly been a long struggle," Hager said. "... It's involved people from all across the state, not just Grand Forks." Lonnie Wangen, commissioner of veteran affairs in North Dakota, said the VTC has been on his bucket list since 2010. "This is a big, big day for me," Wangen said. "It's going to be a big day for veterans. "According to Wangen, the first VTC was established in Buffalo, New York, in 2008.

Since then, every state, aside from North Dakota and Vermont, has established a VTC. There are more than 400 VTCs across the nation.

"If it's just one veteran that we save, it's worth all the effort we put into it so far," Wangen said. "I know it's (going to) be a lot more than that. (Buffalo's treatment court is) at a 98% success rate. That's amazing. Wangen said people in North Dakota and Minnesota raise good, patriotic children. As a result, many young people join the military, where they are taught they can't always be nice. "They go off and, unfortunately, see and have to participate in things that aren't what they were raised on," Wangen said. "... What we've learned (is) we don't really train them to come back home. ... You go off and do some terrible things. You try to deal with it. You come home, and it's very difficult to become that citizen you were before. "Megan Essig, assistant state's attorney and wife of a veteran, also spoke at the ceremony. She said several veterans often self-medicate and fall into self-destruction after returning home from deployment.

"Convicting them of crimes, and having them serve jail time, does not really address those underlying issues," Essig said. "Through the judicial system, we can try to help those that have given so much. We can give them a chance to treat their trauma, change their behaviors, and ultimately give them an opportunity for a fresh start."

Shared from Grand Forks Herald article on 13 May 2023, written by Sav Kelly.

Thank you for your service and all your efforts to make our communities safer, stronger and places where veterans can find help.

Chris Deery, Cass County VSO
deeryc@casscountynd.gov, 701-241-5746

MEMORIAL DAY





VETERANS HONOR Flight of ND/MN

Upcoming Events

www.veteranshonorflightofndmn.org



Veterans Honor Flight of ND/MN will be at the following events. We have been blessed to have our products to sell at the following events. Some of the events are hosted by Veterans Honor Flight of ND/MN, others are from generous sponsors of the events.

Follow our Face Book Page for more detailed information Veterans Honor Flight of ND/MN

Here are a few fundraisers that are coming up

<u>Date/Time</u>	<u>Event</u>	<u>Location</u>
May 31, 2023	Meat Raffle - 5:30 - 7:00	Wild Rice Bar and Grill
June 1, 2023	Moorhead Cruise Night	Moorhead Center Mall
June 13 - 14, 2023	Pro-Open Bowl (some proceeds to HF)	Sunset Bowling-Moorhead
July 5, 2023	Pizza Night United Methodist Church	Alexandria, MN
July 6, 2023	Moorhead Cruise Night	Moorhead Center Mall
July 16, 2023	RedHawks Jersey Game for HF	RedHawks Stadium, Fargo
July 22, 2023	Over the Top-Street Dance, Food Trucks POW/MIA Hot Air Balloon	Moorhead Legion
August 4, 2023	Moorhead Cruise Night	Moorhead Center Mall
September 7, 2023	Moorhead Cruise Night	Moorhead Center Mall
September 16, 2023	Meat Smoke out	American Legion Moorhead

Send Donations to: - Honor Flight - PO Box 644 - West Fargo, ND

Memorial Day 2023

The Moorhead American Legion Post 21 and Dilworth VFW Post 1223 Honor Guards will be at the following locations on Memorial Day, Monday, May 29th. Military Honors will be given at each site, including Rifle Salute, Prayer, and Taps. The public is invited to view the Military Honors and attend the ceremony, which will be held at the Moorhead American Legion, 303 30th St N, Moorhead, at 11:00 AM. This year's Guest Speaker is Jeff Miller (Ret), Command Chief Master Sergeant, USAF (ND ANG) **This is all subject to change. As we get updated information on the current situation, we will update our Facebook page and email our membership those emails we've.**

- 7:00 AM Main Ave Veteran's Bridge**
- 8:45 AM Moorhead Memorial Gardens South Moorhead**
- 9:15 AM Sabin (Elmwood Cemetery)**
- 9:30 AM Sabin (Trinity Cemetery)**
- 10:00 AM Evergreens South Moorhead**
- 10:15 AM Prairie Home Concordia**
- 10:30 AM St Joseph's North Moorhead**
- 10:40 AM Riverside North Moorhead**
- 11:00 AM Moorhead American Legion – Public Invited**



**** These times are approx so it is recommended that you should be there at least 10 - 15 minutes early.**

12:15 PM There will be a flag-raising ceremony at the Moorhead Legion @ 12:15 at the Post 21 Memorial. The Red River Valley Veterans Concert Band will be performing the music. All are invited to attend. BBQ and chips served afterwards.

**10:00 AM There will be silent Auction with all proceeds going to Post
To 21 Veterans Projects.
3:00 PM**



21 T-BONE TUESDAY RAFFLE

TICKETS = \$5; DRAWING JUNE 27 @ 6PM

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BINGO & PULLTAB
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Saturdays
Burger Baskets



Plain or with cheese, fries, onions (fried or raw)...

from 11:30am to 2:00pm

2023 VETERAN'S COFFEE HOUR

Join us for complimentary coffee and donuts at the **Fargo Air Museum**

10am-12pm on the second Wednesday every month

MAY 10	SEPTEMBER 13
JUNE 14	OCTOBER 11
JULY 12	NOVEMBER 8
AUGUST 9	DECEMBER 13

Veteran's Coffee Hour is Provided By:





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2023 VETERANS VINTAGE CAR SHOW





VVA Chapter 941

5 - 8 PM - 3rd Wednesday
May 17 - June 21 - July 19
August 16 & September 20th

The Vietnam Veterans Of America, Valley Vintage Car Club & Northern Lights Corvette Club

FREE REGISTRATION Invite All Car Enthusiasts to the Moorhead Legion for a Fun Night of Classic Cars & Steak

IN HONOR OF ALL OUR VETERANS

This is a NO Fee Show

Polish up and bring out your Vintage Car or

Just come to admire the great Classic Cars

FREE REGISTRATION

Vote for your favorite Car




Wednesday is "Butcher Block" Steak Night

303 30th St N

Post 21 Revised Lunch Menu

AMERICAN LEGION POST 21 LUNCH MENU

(Loyalty lunch punch cards available)

DAILY LUNCH SPECIALS:

Half sandwich with cup of soup \$9.95

bowl of soup for \$2.00 extra

Full sandwich for \$3.00 extra

Monday: Half Grilled Cheese W/ Tomato Basil Soup

Tuesday: Half Turkey Bacon Club W/ Chicken Noodle Soup

Wednesday: Half French Dip W/ Chicken Tortilla Soup

Thursday: Half Patty Melt W/ Lumberjack Vegetable Soup

Friday: Half Ruben W/ Chicken Wild Rice Soup

Soup of the day → Cup: \$3.99 Bowl: \$5.99

HOMEMADE KNOEPHLA SOUP AVAILABLE DAILY

Cup: \$3.99 Bowl: \$5.99

APPETIZERS

ONION RINGS: Steakhouse onion rings piled high **\$8.99**

CHEESE CURDS: Breaded Wisconsin cheese curds served with ranch **\$10.99**

PRETZEL BITES W/ QUESO: Soft pretzel bites served with hatch chili queso
\$11.99

CHIPS & QUESO: White corn chips served with hatch chili queso **\$9.99**

BASKET OF FRIES: Crispy batter fries **\$6.99**

ALL BURGERS & SANDWICHES COME WITH FRENCH FRIES OR A CUP OF SOUP

Upcharge for onion rings: \$1.50

Lettuce, tomato, onion, and bacon available upon request: \$0.50 each

BURGERS → (Basket includes French fries or a cup of soup)

HAMBURGER: ½ lb angus beef patty served on a brioche bun

Basket: \$10.99 Burger only: \$8.99

CHEESEBURGER: ½ lb angus beef patty served on a brioche bun with choice of American or Swiss cheese

Basket: \$11.49 Burger only: \$9.49

COWBOY BURGER: ½ lb angus beef patty served on a brioche bun with American cheese, bacon, BBQ sauce and topped with an onion ring

Basket: \$13.49 Burger only: \$11.49

PATTY MELT: ½ lb angus beef patty topped with American cheese and fried onions served on thick-cut sourdough bread

Basket: \$12.49 Burger only: \$10.49

Post 21 Revised Lunch Menu

SANDWICHES → *(Basket includes French fries or a cup of soup)*

TURKEY BACON CLUB: Smoked turkey, Swiss cheese, hickory-smoked bacon, and tomato on thick-cut sourdough bread

Basket: \$13.49 Full sandwich: \$11.49 Half sandwich: \$7.49

REUBEN: Corn beef, Swiss cheese, sauerkraut, and thousand-island dressing on marble-rye bread

Basket: \$14.49 Full sandwich: \$12.49 Half sandwich: \$8.49

GRILLED CHEESE: American and Swiss cheese between two pieces of thick-cut sourdough bread

Basket: \$9.99 Full sandwich: \$7.99 Half sandwich: \$5.99

FRENCH DIP: Roast beef with Swiss cheese served on a toasted hoagie bun and a side of au jus

Basket: \$14.49 Full sandwich: \$12.49 Half sandwich: \$8.49

BASKETS → *(Served with French fries or a cup of soup)*

CHICKEN TENDERS: Golden breaded chicken tenders served with choice of ranch or BBQ sauce

Basket: \$11.99 Tenders only: \$8.99

WALLEYE FINGERS: Breaded walleye filets served with tartar sauce

Basket: \$13.99 Filets only: \$10.99

CHICKEN DRUMMIES: Chicken drumsticks served with choice of ranch or BBQ sauce

Basket: \$11.99 Drummies only: \$8.99



THANK YOU FOR YOUR SERVICE!



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
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