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## COMMANDER'S NOTE

As another election year comes to a close, I would like to take a moment and send a significant and heartfelt THANK YOU to all of our employees and volunteers for the hard work and dedication they put forth every day. And to our members, please never forget that without patrons like you and our excellent staff, Post #34 would not be the accomplished and admirable post we are today!

Just a reminder that nominations are right around the corner. We are always looking for new officers and value the input and ideas they bring to our various organizations. Also, if you have not renewed your membership for 2015, please do so as soon as possible. I am proud to report that all of the Legion family groups are close to meeting their membership goals. Renew today and contribute to that accomplishment!

Respectfully,

*Jere Axe*

American Legion Post #34 Commander  
10th District



## LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

Our Service Committee met in late February to plan our upcoming events and programs for the spring and summer seasons.

I am pleased to announce that we will again take part in the Memorial Day Flowers Ceremony at Lancaster Cemetery. The service will be held on May 25th at 11:30am. Stevens Greenland and St. Mary's cemeteries will also be a part of this event. Additional information will be forthcoming as we continue our planning.

We've set up a Booster Committee to spearhead Post #34's involvement with the American Legion Baseball team. Game schedules as well as information on their fundraiser will soon be available.

Something new we're hoping to hold this summer is a Veterans' Job and Benefit Fair in conjunction with PA Career Link. Stay tuned for more details as we coordinate this event.

National Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day is March 30th. We will honor our Vietnam vets at Post #34 on March 29th. A potluck will be held at the Post that Sunday from 1:00pm—5:00pm. Covered dish donations are needed and appreciated.



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# SAL CORNER



WOW! That is the first word that came to my mind when I saw the outpouring of support for a Legion Family member in need recently. A huge thank you goes out to all of the amazing people that made our Sock Hop benefit for the Frizzi family a wonderful success! I am extremely pleased to announce that we raised over \$3,000 dollars for Carol.

Congratulations also to the winners of our first Seafood Raffle. This was another very successful fundraiser that will help us to continue our mission of helping Veterans.

We received another large donation from Kelloggs via Sam Wilson. Donations such as these continue to directly benefit hungry families in our local community. Thank you Sam for helping the SAL over and over!

We have our 3rd annual bus trip coming up on June 13th. Information about the trip will be posted very soon. You won't want to miss it!

Our final fundraiser of the year will be announced after the April meeting. I promise the prize at stake will be an amazing one that you'll definitely want to win!

Our squadron SAL has reached 103% in membership. That is a great accomplishment, but that does not mean we should not always continue to grow the ranks of our wonderful organization. The more members we have the more good we can do!

We are planning a spring cleanup at the Post to take place in the next few weeks and are in need of volunteers for a few hours on a Saturday. Date and time will be posted soon. Please pitch in and help us make our amazing Post look great!

All SAL members should be reminded that we have moved our **regular meetings to the second Tuesday of each month and the start time is now 6:30pm** until further notice.

## SAL OFFICERS

**Commander** Todd Lovell

**1st Vice Commander:** Dave Sloat

**2nd Vice Commander:** Gary Fickes

**Adjutant:** Gary Vollrath

**Chaplain:** Ken Deaven

**Finance Officer** Gary Wilson

**Historian:** Jeff Lane

**Sgt. At Arms:** Sam Ricketts

**Jr. Sgt. At Arms:** Christopher Foland

Last but not least, nominations for officers are almost upon us. If you or someone you know would like to be more involved with this great cause of ours in a leadership position, please speak with a current officer on how the process works. We are always looking for fresh ideas!

Proud to be an American.




*Todd Lovell*  
Commander

Sons of the American Legion Squadron #34



**Above:** Squadron #34 SAL donated a \$500 Visa gift card and a box of 50+ DVD's to the Lebanon VA Medical Center. Todd Lovell, Commander, and Ken Deaven, Chaplain, presented the gift card on behalf of the SAL.

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# AUXILIARY ALLEY



Our Auxiliary is ramping up for a very busy Spring. We will be helping Children and Youth Chairman, Sharon McNece, with the Children's Easter Party on Sunday March 22, 2015 from 1:00pm-3:00pm. We provide goodies for their Easter Baskets as well as food and drinks.

The Auxiliary will be hosting our Veterans from Coatesville VA Medical Center for an Easter Dinner on Monday, March 30, 2015 at 5:00pm. Approximately 55 veterans will be served a stuffed chicken breast dinner with all the trimmings, delectable cupcakes decorated for Easter and special treats on their tables. They will play BINGO and get to choose clothing, etc. as prizes. Special door prizes will be given to lucky ticket holders. Each veteran will receive a goodie bag upon leaving. Volunteers are needed to help prepare for the day and all Legionnaires and SAL's are welcome to greet them upon their arrival.



"The blood of heroes never dies, but lends a luster to the red of the flower that blooms above the dead in Flanders' Fields..."  
~Moina Michael~

In October, 1921 the American Legion Auxiliary adopted the poppy as its Memorial Flower. A supply of poppies is available in the lobby of the Post along with a donation box. Our poppies are handmade in our Pennsylvania VA hospitals. Please pick a poppy from the poppy garden and wear it proudly in remembrance of our fallen heroes. All donations are devoted to Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation work, which includes aid to needy veterans and their families.

On Saturday May 16, 2015 there will be an Auxiliary fundraiser bus trip to Fells Point, MD. Cost is \$25 per person. We will also run a 50/50 on the trip. Proceeds will benefit Auxiliary projects.

The Park City Diner and Knight & Day Diner have supplied us with special cards to benefit our Auxiliary. Show them your card and we will receive 10% of your bill. A check of accumulated funds will be sent to our Auxiliary every quarter. See Carol Sears or Marilyn Pew for your brochure, card and a \$5 coupon off your first meal.

The American Legion Auxiliary is the **most influential patriotic women's organization in the world**. It maintains its own unique identity while achieving important goals for both the Post and the community.

Look forward to another gas grill raffle coming in late Spring or early Summer. This was a very successful fundraiser last year and we've had requests for another one. Thank you to our Ways and Means Chairman, Carol Sears, for all of your hard work in organizing our very successful fundraisers.

**MEETING NOTICE CHANGE:** Due to the start-up of a new bingo program on Wednesday nights, Unit #34 Auxiliary meetings will take place on the following: Tuesday, April 7, Tuesday, May 5, and Tuesday, June 2. All meetings will begin at 7:00pm. If you have not attended one of our meetings, please consider becoming an active member of your Auxiliary.

Yours In Service,

**Marilyn M. Pew**  
President  
Auxiliary Unit #34

**Right:** Unit #34 President, Marilyn Pew, had the honor of dining with Dept. of PA Auxiliary President, Mary Ellen Swertzer, at the National Commander's Dinner on March 9th.



## AUXILIARY OFFICERS

- President:** Marilyn Pew
- 1st Vice President:** Ann Marie Fluke
- 2nd Vice President:** Alison Lovell
- Secretary:** Lisa Sanders
- Treasurer:** Karen Axe
- Chaplain:** Marian Walters
- Sgt. At Arms:** Helen Bunteman
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### AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY UNIT #34 \* MARILYN PEW, PRESIDENT



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# RIDERS ROAD



Hello Fellow AL Riders and Legion Supporters,

Welcome to 2015! What a very cold start to the year we have had! The American Legion Riders held their signature fundraiser on Pro-Bowl Sunday, January 25th, which included a Hot Dog Bar and an enormous amount of sides to choose from. No one should have left hungry that day! Baskets of items were donated and raffled and 50/50's were run. Several winners took home cash prizes and the 55" VIZIO Smart TV winner was chosen. What a fun day of celebrating good friends, family and good causes!

Our February meeting was cancelled due to inclement weather. While meetings are important, the safety of our members is much more so. We will meet again at Post #34 on Sunday March 15th. I know that is St. Patrick's Day weekend and many of you will be celebrating in Ocean City, MD and will not be in attendance. Do not fret! We won't hesitate to volunteer you for something in your absence! 😊.....Of course I am kidding! You all do so much for our great organization. I could not ask for a better group of people to work with.

If you aren't able to attend the next meeting, don't forget to sign up for a spot on our New York City Ground Zero bus trip, scheduled for Saturday May 2, 2015, as soon as you can. Cost is \$40.00 per person. Once our Riders have had the opportunity to sign up, we will open up the remaining spots to our other Legion Family members.

I attended a meeting in New Holland on March 9th and acquired some information about their upcoming Signature Covered Bridge Ride and the PA ALR State Ride in State College, PA on May 14th - 17th. I will share what I've learned with the group soon and we will proceed accordingly.

Remember to renew your dues if you haven't done so already. I am looking forward to warmer weather so we can store our winter vehicles, shovels, snow blowers, and of course...RIDE!

Respectfully,

**Dave Fluke**

American Legion

ALR Chapter #34 President



## RIDERS OFFICERS

**President:** Dave Fluke

**Vice President:** Curtis Rager

**Chaplain:** Sue Shellenberger

**Sgt. At Arms:** Dave Miller

**Treasurer:** Chet Buohl

**Secretary:** Ann Marie Fluke

**Historian:** Sherri Rutherford

**Road Captain:** Mark Shepherd

**Road Captain:** Dick Wilkensen

## AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS CHAPTER #34 \* DAVE FLUKE, PRESIDENT



## DO YOU KNOW THIS VET?



Do you recognize this Post #34 member and Vietnam vet?

A contest will soon begin to **Name That Vet!**

Guesses will be submitted in the Post #34 lobby.

# LEGION UPDATE

## FOR GOD, COUNTRY AND OUR VETERANS



Seeing the video a couple of months ago of U.S. protesters chanting, "What do we want? Dead cops!" brought back memories of another era. While "Hey, hey, LBJ, how many kids have you killed today?" may seem like a policy attack against an elected official, the intended target of both mantras was clear: police officers and the U.S. military.

To those who believe such expressions, I have a simple message: The American Legion is your target, too. Just as our organization has been a staunch advocate for military veterans for nearly a century, we also stand proudly alongside our nation's law-enforcement officers.

Nobody supports police brutality or war crimes, but such abuses are far more rare than many in the grievance community would have you believe. Ambush attacks on police, however, tripled between 2013 and 2014, according to the National Law Enforcement Officers Memorial Fund. And while allegations of wrongdoing should always be fairly investigated, those who have sworn to protect us with their lives deserve the legal presumption of innocence, not death threats.

Every year at our national convention, the Legion honors its National Law Enforcement Officer of the Year. We also oversee national Youth Cadet Law Enforcement programs in many states, and in the preamble to the Legion's constitution we pledge "to maintain law and order."

Though the United States has ended combat operations in Iraq and Afghanistan, terrorism remains a threat the world over – one that burst into a magazine office in Paris in January and killed 20 people. This is an enemy with no state government and no regard for human life.



That is why The American Legion opposes irresponsible cuts to defense spending, sequestration and a drawdown of forces to pre-World War II levels. We know that to keep us safe at home, we need a well-armed and robust military fighting our enemies abroad. We stand for secure borders to keep out those who believe that drawing offensive cartoons is a crime punishable by death and violence should be inflicted on women who refuse to wear burqas.

Connected, and just as important, is our position of support for a strong law-enforcement community that is willing to tune out the noise and protect us from violent criminals and terrorists, foreign or domestic.

Although the First Amendment allows demonstrators to spew their vitriol about police officers and soldiers, it is the police officer and soldier who have ensured their right to protest.

Lt. Daniel Furseth, a member of the DeForest, Wis., police department, recently published a startling confession in *American Police Beat*.

"I stopped caring today because the culture of today's instantly connected youth is only there to take and never give back. To never accept responsibility for one's actions, but to blame everyone else instead of themselves ... To argue that getting stoned should be a right, yet getting a job or an education is a hassle. To steal versus earn. To have versus help. Yes, I stopped caring today. But tomorrow, I will put my uniform back on and I will care again."

God help us when officers like Lt. Furseth stop caring.

**Mike Helm**

American Legion  
National Commander

## A THANK YOU FROM OUR LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT

On December 24th, several cases of Tastykake products were delivered to the police station for our officers to enjoy. Cookies, pies, cupcakes, etc. Thank you for the generous gesture and for your support of our employees.

Happy New Year

**Keith Sadler**

Chief of Police

Lancaster City Police Department



## VETERANS SERVICE CORNER

### MORE VIETNAM WAR VETS ELIGIBLE FOR AGENT ORANGE BENEFITS

The government has started distributing additional benefits for Agent Orange exposure to Vietnam War veterans who qualify under liberalized rules, the Department of Veterans Affairs announced.

Up to 200,000 Vietnam veterans could be eligible for the disability compensation for diseases now associated with Agent Orange, including hairy cell leukemia, Parkinson's disease and ischemic heart disease, the department said in a news release.

Agent Orange was a chemical used to destroy the jungle canopy in the Vietnam War in an effort to expose the enemy.

The Veterans Affairs Department said it has provided disability compensation to veterans with medical problems related to Agent Orange since 1985. Monday's announcement expanded the number of eligible veterans to include those presumed to have contracted the three additional diseases due to exposure to Agent Orange, the department said.

Other recognized illnesses under the department's "presumption" rule for Agent Orange include chronic lymphocytic leukemia, Hodgkin's disease, non-Hodgkin's lymphoma, prostate cancer, respiratory cancers, soft tissue sarcoma and several others.

### BLUE WATER VETERANS AND AGENT ORANGE EXPOSURE

Veterans who served on open sea ships off the shore of Vietnam during the Vietnam War are sometimes called "Blue Water Veterans."

#### Exposure to Agent Orange

Blue Water Veterans must have actually stepped foot on the land of Vietnam or served on its inland waterways anytime between January 9, 1962 and May 7, 1975 to be presumed to have been exposed to herbicides when claiming service-connection for diseases related to Agent Orange exposure. Some offshore vessels docked to the shore of Vietnam, operated in Vietnam's close coastal waters and sent smaller vessels ashore, or conducted operations on the inland wa-

terways of Vietnam. Check VA's list of U.S. Navy and Coast Guard ships that operated in Vietnam at [www.publichealth.va.gov/exposures/agentorange/shiplist](http://www.publichealth.va.gov/exposures/agentorange/shiplist).

Evidence confirmed through military records must show that the Veteran was aboard one of these ships. Blue Water Veterans who did not set foot in Vietnam or serve aboard ships that operated on the inland waterways of Vietnam anytime between January 9, 1962 and May 7, 1975 must show on a factual basis that they were exposed to herbicides during military service in order to receive disability compensation for diseases related to Agent Orange exposure. These claims are decided on a case-by-case basis.

### DON'T FORGET THEM: VIETNAM VETERANS—BETTER QUALITY OF LIFE

A new House Bill has been introduced by Congressman Chris Gibson (D-19NY). The Bill HR-969 titled The Blue Water Navy, Vietnam Veterans Agent Orange Act was presented to the 114th Congress on February 13th, 2015 and is referred to the House Committee of Veterans Affairs. This new Bill replaces an older Bill that died in the VA Congressional committee of 2014. The new Bill is to clarify presumptions related to the exposure of certain veterans who served in the vicinity of the Republic of Vietnam and for other purposes. House Bill HR-969 if passed, will afford proper equitable VA benefits to Vietnam veterans exposed to the herbicide Agent Orange. Thousands of Vietnam veterans who did not have boots-

on-ground will be eligible for VA benefits, medical and compensation.

The Bill is important to those veterans who served our Country and who are sick so they may have better quality of life. Once again we veterans need the help of the American people. Please call your members of Congress, also write to them at their Washington, DC office, urge Congress to pass HR-969. Let not the Vietnam War Veteran be forgotten.

*John Bury*

US Navy retired advocate for Vietnam veterans  
Media, PA



# WELCOME HOME Vietnam Veterans Day



### Welcome Home

Families could not understand why they were not the same.  
Some wouldn't even listen, when he would try to explain.  
No Welcome Home parades, for the town's people turned away.  
For him there was not to be a real Homecoming Day.

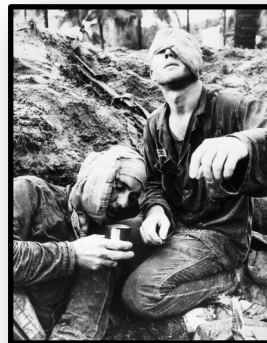
They went in all directions, and coped the best they could.  
Carrying more guilt and shame than any Veteran should.  
They built walls and bunkers inside so they could be touched no more.

And each night they dreamed and cried and fought a raging war.  
For thirty some odd years have passed and wonder where they are?  
Some are walking the homeless streets, some in VA mental wards.  
Many have died from illness contracted in the Nam.  
Some just quit fighting, some picked up a gun.

But by the Grace of God, some found the courage to step out.  
"I am a Vietnam Veteran, I got the right to be proud"  
Turn away if you must or listen if you will.  
I've bore all you threw at me and I am standing still.

Although my steps are weary and my soul is oh so sore,  
You can take your blame and guilt, I won't carry it no more.  
I'll reach out to my brothers that are still standing all alone  
And by God you can't stop us.. One by One We're Coming home.

-Dedicated to Jimmie, Dave & John  
By Lois Adams



## MEMBER'S PERSPECTIVE

From our first visit to Post #34, many years ago, Ken and I felt a warm acceptance and an instant comradery of friends and acquaintances.

As a daughter, a sister and wife of a Veteran I have a genuine love for my Country and am grateful and thankful for those who have served – given their time, and offered their lives for me to have the freedom I have. I wipe my eyes every time I hear the National Anthem. I get goose bumps when I see the Flag. Although I am not a person of “should have, would have, etc.” I do wish I would have served my Country in the service back in the 60s.

The atmosphere at Post #34 is always pleasant. As most of you know, I am not as regular as Ken, who has perfect attendance! Post #34 has an environment of acceptance, all are welcome, all are shown respect. The members care – whether a Veteran, an Auxiliary member, a Son, a Rider or a social member, you are part of a family – a family who is there when you need them.

I would like to set my feelings to prose...

### For Post Thirty Four

**P**atriotism is the tie that binds a group of people so loyal and kind

**O**ffering care and support to each other; treating each other like sisters and brothers

**S**erving the homeless, the needy and poor; providing for needs – right down to the core.

**T**hankful for Veterans and all they have done, providing for freedom for now and to come

**T**aking the time to do what is right,

**H**aving fundraisers from morning till night!

**I**ntegrity reigns as we do the good deeds

**R**iders raise money to help those in need

**T**hen there are parties for the young to enjoy

**Y**our kids will get candy, treats and a toy

**F**ridays are hopping with food and a band

**O**r come on a Saturday and sing as you stand

**U**nity is evident at Post 34

**R**espect for all and a whole lot more!



*Written By: Cheryl (Sherry) Deaven*  
Unit #34 Auxiliary Member



# MEMBERS' MEMORIES



On Saturday, February 28th, the Post #34 SAL held a **Sock Hop benefit event** at Post #34 to raise funds for Carol Frizzi, a post member who recently lost her husband, Mike, to cancer and other health issues. Mike was a friend to many and will be greatly missed. The event was very successful and, though bitter-sweet in its purpose, was a GREAT night for all who attended. Thank you to everyone who contributed to its success!



Post #34 was honored to host a dinner for National Commander, Mike Helm, and Department Commander, Dennis Hass, on Monday, March 9th.

**Left:** Eastern Section Vice Commander, Jim Vollrath, and Post #34 Commander, Jere Axe, stand with National Commander, Mike Helm.



**Above:** Jim Vollrath and Legionnaire and club manager, Jessika Hiepler, stand with Department Commander, Dennis Hass, before dinner.

**Right:** We had an excellent turnout at the event. There was great Post #34 representation as well as many visitors from other posts from the local up to the national level.



## DATES TO REMEMBER



- ◆ **March 30th**—Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day
- ◆ **April 6th, 1917**—US Entry Into WWI
- ◆ **May 2nd**—SAL Spring NEC Meeting
- ◆ **May 8th, 1945**—V-E Day
- ◆ **May 16th**—Armed Forces Day
- ◆ **May 25th**—Memorial Day & National Auxiliary Poppy Day
- ◆ **June 14th**—Flag Day
- ◆ **June 25th, 1950**—Start of Korean War

## UPCOMING EVENTS



- ◆ **Sunday, March 29th—1:00pm—5:00pm:** Welcome Home Vietnam Veterans Day at Post #34. Covered dishes needed and appreciated. Once strangers, forever brothers. Let’s join together and honor our Vietnam vets!
- ◆ **Saturday & Sunday, May 17th—18th:** WWII Encampment re-enactment. Honor all who served with the stories and sacrifice of WWII. Tanks, trucks, tents, soldiers and a great Saturday night USO Dance await you at the corner of President and Marietta Avenues. Visit [www.LancasterHistory.org](http://www.LancasterHistory.org) for more info.
- ◆ **May 22nd—24th** Lancaster Symphony Orchestra “In Tribute” concert benefiting the Wounded Warrior Project. Visit [www.LancasterSymphony.com](http://www.LancasterSymphony.com) for more information.
- ◆ **Monday, May 25th:** 4th Annual **Memorial Day Flowers Ceremony** at Lancaster Cemetery. 11:30am. More information will be forthcoming.
- ◆ **Saturday, June 13th:** 3rd Annual SAL Legion Hop on the Eastern Shore. Planning is underway. Details to follow. Look for flyers soon at the Post #34 canteen! You don’t want to miss this!
- ◆ **2nd Thursday of every month:** Central Pennsylvania Vietnam Round Table. Vietnam Veterans of America Chapter # 1008. 8000 Derry St, Harrisburg. Meetings begin at 7:30pm. Contact Richard Burton at (717) 545-2336 or email [centralpavietnamrt@verizon.net](mailto:centralpavietnamrt@verizon.net) for more information.

## ACTIVITIES

- ◆ **Veterans Club meetings at Oak Leaf Manor.** 2901 Harrisburg Pk, Landisville. **Susquehanna Valley Mariners Chapter, Navy Club, Vietnam Veterans of America and Battle of the Bulge Club.** Visit <http://www.oakleafmanor.com/veterans-benefits> for more information, contact Sandy Brightbill at (717) 898-4663 or email [sbrightbill@oakleafmanor.com](mailto:sbrightbill@oakleafmanor.com).
- ◆ We continue to collect old and/or broken phones at Post #34 for **Cell Phones for Soldiers**. Each phone donated provides 1 **hour of free call time to an American soldier**. To date we’ve collected **over 925 phones**. A huge THANK YOU to everyone who has helped get us to this point. Keep them coming!!

## TAPS



*“All is well, safely rest, God is nigh...”  
Remembering those we’ve lost.*

- **James M. Carter**—Passed December 14th  
US Army veteran of Vietnam & American Legion member
- **Leroy E. Webb**—Passed February 24th  
US Army veteran of Vietnam & American Legion member
- **Michael E. “Tootie” Hiram**—Passed January 8th  
US Army veteran of WWII & Post #34 member
- **Rudy “Ride-By” Coringrato**—Passed February 27th  
American Legion member  
Mount Joy Post #185 Commander & District #10 Vice Commander
- **Thomas L. Weaver, Jr.**—Passed February 16th  
Post #34 member

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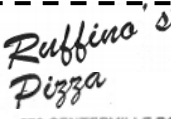
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I would like to thank Sam Wilson and the Post #34 SAL for securing a donation of a large quantity of food items. These were donated to Hempfield United Methodist Church Food Bank, Water Street Rescue Mission, Victory House, Milagro House and Claire House. While this was a wonderful donation, we remain in constant need of canned and dry packaged foods, toiletries and household products.

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