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UPCOMING BANDS **8:00 PM—MIDNIGHT**

July 11	Forget Harry
July 18	Flashback
July 25	SYRPLUS
Aug 8	Pocketful O' Soul
Aug 15	Nomads
Aug 22	Maxwell Project
Aug 29	SilverHawks

A FINAL COMMANDER'S NOTE

It is with mixed emotions that I compose this, my final *Commanders Note*. Nominations were made, election held and I had the distinct honor of swearing in my successor, Jere S. Axe Jr. Jere has been our Commander previously and done a fine job. We are privileged to have him back at the helm. I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks to each and every one of you at Post #34 for putting forth the effort to make these past two years memorable as well as successful. I have watched many new members come through the front doors, and I have had the sad duty of seeing many comrades, Legion Family members, and friends pass on to the Post everlasting. While our accomplishments have been successful and many, we must still remember to take time for ourselves and each other and don't take anyone or anything for granted. The new officers and board members will be posted in the near future. Be sure to seek them out and thank them for the continued great job they do for each and every one of you.

The Commanders Ball is scheduled for some time in September. Please plan to attend, help to usher me out and Jere back in.



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LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

Great news! I have been notified by the PA American Legion Press Association that our newsletter has been selected as an award winner again this year. And even more exciting, the National American Legion Press Association has accepted The Post Patriot as a contender in their contest at the national level. Thank you to our sponsors and all who contribute to our award-winning newsletter.

A BIG thank you to our Legionnaires, SAL and Auxiliary members, Jack Shen and Flowers By Paulette for their involvement in our successful Memorial Day Ceremony. Also thanks to Jessica Hiepler for singing our national anthem. It was a beautiful day and another event to remember.

More gratitude goes out to those who contributed to the rededication of the plaque for John R. Kendig. Zimmerman Foundries provided the plaque at their cost, Tom Myers made the base and setting, Joe Hainthaler wrote two articles released in Lancaster Newspapers and Jim Bower, the city arborist was very supportive in preparing the location. Again, thank you all!

Our American Legion Baseball team, the Lancaster Canes, has received a total of \$2,100 from our Legion Family organizations and Bob Long. Those funds will help them in covering their expenses for the season. They held a car wash on June 7th that was a great success. Information on their 4th of July weekend tournament and Post #34 home game will be made available soon. Check out their schedule in the lobby or on our website, www.al34.com, and come out and support the Canes!

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SAL CORNER



Another successful SAL year has come to an end. I would like to thank everyone who supported the Sons over the last twelve months. We are only able to assist and benefit Veterans with the support of our Legion Family and Social members. I look forward to what we will accomplish in the next twelve months.

As a result of our May event and meat raffle, we were able to donate \$600 to the Fisher House. The ability to make donations, monetary and otherwise, to causes that directly touch the lives of our veterans and active duty service members in a positive way is how we measure our success. That said, I am proud to call Squadron #34 a success story! Help us continue that by **marking your calendars** and getting your ticket for our next great benefit event! The **Stevens Greenland Veterans Memorial Park Fundraiser** will take place on **Saturday, July 12th from 2:00pm to 10:00pm** at Post #34. DJ Rocc will kick off the entertainment followed by SYRPLUS. **Tickets are \$10** each and include food, soda and draft beer. Please come out, have a great time and support a very worthy cause.

In closing I would like to thank Jim Vollrath for a job well done as our Post Commander.



Left & Right: Dave Fluke and John States prepare the beef and chicken BBQ for the Fisher House benefit in May. Thanks for all the hard work guys. It was, as always, delicious!



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

The Sons and myself wish him well in the new position we hope to see him secure at the state level. Keep up the good work Jim and don't forget about us here at Post #34.

Proud to be an American


Todd Lovell

SAL Squadron #34 Commander

10th District

DON'T FORGET! SAL Meetings at Post #34. Every **2nd Wednesday, 7:00pm**. Need to see more members there!

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AUXILIARY ALLEY



It is that time of year again when the lists of Officers on these newsletter pages have the potential of showing some new names. Seeing Legion Family members take on named roles in their respective groups is exciting and the commitment tied to those roles is always appreciated. While I am pleased to welcome Ann Marie Fluke and Helen Bunteman as new officers for our Auxiliary, I am equally excited to welcome back Ms. Marilyn M. Pew as our President! A heartfelt THANK YOU goes out to Genevieve Malone from the entire Auxiliary for stepping in as President when Marilyn was faced with family obligations several months ago resulting in her resignation. We are grateful to Genevieve for her dedication and hard work and wish her the very best as she continues to serve as our Americanism and Veterans Affairs and Rehabilitation committee leader. We have a great group of officers, a lot of enthusiasm and dedication to veterans and community service in our Unit. I have no doubt this will be another successful year for us!

Speaking of successes, all tickets were sold for the Fell's Point bus trip in May and the Gas Grill fundraiser tickets sold out several weeks sooner than we anticipated! Congratulations to Kim Kirchner on winning the grill! Just let us know when we should come over for the cookout!

These two fundraisers turned out to be highly successful for us and we've received feedback urging us to do more like this in the future. We plan to do just that and will be discussing our options in more detail when we resume our monthly meetings after the summer break. We will be selling Boscov's Friends Helping Friend's savings vouchers again this year beginning in August. See an Auxiliary member for details.

As we take on more fundraisers like those mentioned and potentially even a "party" event benefit at Post #34 in the coming year, we've made the decision to close the Snack Bar at BINGO on Tuesday evenings. Coordination of food donations and volunteers to provide adequate coverage of set-up, service and teardown/clean-up has become increasingly difficult to man-

age while remaining profitable. Our Auxiliary board decided to close the stand initially through the Summer and will re-evaluate in September to determine if it will re-open. Thank you to everyone who has donated, worked or patronized the BINGO Snack Bar all of these years. You enabled us to raise and donate significant profits to our veterans causes.

In closing, I want to quickly welcome Jere Axe back as our Post Commander and wish Jim Vollrath great success in his run for Eastern Judicial Section Vice Commander. Best of luck to you both!

Respectfully,

Alison M. Gordon

2nd Vice President

Auxiliary Unit #34



Above: A group of smiling Post #34 faces enjoying a day in Fells Point at Inner Harbor.

AUXILIARY OFFICERS

President: Marilyn M. Pew

1st Vice President: Ann Marie Fluke

2nd Vice President: Alison Gordon

Secretary: Lisa Sanders

Treasurer: Karen Axe

Chaplain: Marian Walters

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RIDERS ROAD

The American Legion Riders of Post #34 identified a Legion family in need and voted to have a Chili Cook-Off in April instead of our Pancake Breakfast. The



cook-off was a fundraiser benefiting the Macauley family medical fund. We had approximately 27 entries and an abundance of support. Donated items were auctioned off, 50/50's were run and over 20 donated baskets were raffled. Five people donated their time to be judges and they did an awesome job! Taking 3rd place was Susan Landis, 2nd place was Roy McNece and Jeff Lane took the #1 spot. The event's success was a direct result of the time and effort put forth by everyone involved in planning and executing the event as well as those who attended. The response was overwhelming and we were able to give a generous donation to the Macauleys. I want to extend a heartfelt thank you to everyone who made this event a such a success.

The Riders also donated \$500 dollars to the Post #34 baseball team, the Lancaster Canes, to help cover their expenses.

On a personal note, to the Riders...You always amaze me at how you pitch in and do the best job you could possibly

do whenever you are called upon. I truly appreciate your hard work and efforts You are the reason we succeed!

Thank you also to all of our Legion Family members who donate their time and energy to help make our fundraisers a success.

I look forward to another year as your president and an awesome riding season with my fellow brothers and sisters.

Respectfully,

Dave Fluke

American Legion

ALR Chapter #34 President



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Treasurer: Chet Buohl

Secretary: Ann Marie Fluke

Historian: Sherri Rutherford

Road Captains: Mark Shepherd & Dick Wilkensen

AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS CHAPTER #34 * DAVE FLUKE, PRESIDENT

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More information to come in the near future.

The American Legion State convention is scheduled for July 17th—20th. Our Post will be receiving several awards. An agenda will be posted soon. The convention will be held at the Harrisburg Hilton, a short 45 minute drive away. Please come out and support Post #34. Also at the convention on Saturday will be the election for Eastern Judicial Section Vice Commander. I am hoping for a victory and a celebration with all of you!

In closing I would like to personally thank Bill Schulz for another great Memorial Day celebration at the Lancaster Cemetery. A job well done Bill! Thank you for your many efforts. It does not go unnoticed.

It has been a pleasure being your Post Commander over the past

two years. I have learned a lot and hope I have been able to pass on some of the Legion knowledge I have gained over the years. None of this is about any of us. It is about veterans less fortunate than ourselves, children of veterans, the children of the community, and the community as a whole. As stated in the last sentence of the Legion preamble "consecrate and sanctify our comradeship by our devotion to mutual helpfulness". Let that be our guiding standard and when we think our problems are insurmountable, stop and look around. You just might find the inspiration to not only help yourself but someone else as well.

God bless, fair winds and following seas,

James R. Vollrath

American Legion Post #34 Commander

10th District

LEGION UPDATE



LEGION CALLS FOR CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS AT VA



American Legion National Commander Daniel M. Dellinger has called for criminal investigations of all Department of Veterans Affairs employees responsible for “secret” waiting lists at VA hospitals linked to the preventable patient deaths, after a May 28 interim report by VA’s Office of Inspector

General found the practice to be “systemic.” “Now that VA’s Office of Inspector General has confirmed what The American Legion claims, we are calling not only for the resignations of Secretary Shinseki and Under Secretary Hickey, but also the chief administrators of every hospital found guilty of falsifying their waiting lists for patients,” Dellinger said. “We want every VA employee who participated in these cover-ups to be investigated and prosecuted to the full extent of the law if found guilty.” The report said that reviews at several VA medical facilities have confirmed that dishonest scheduling practices are systemic throughout the Veterans Health Administration. As of last month, VA’s Office of Inspector General identified about 1,400 veterans waiting to receive primary-care appointments and another 1,700 veterans waiting for such appointments whose names were not in the hospital’s Electronic Waiting List, or any list at all. The Office of Inspector General further noted its investigation has now spread to 42 other locations throughout the VA health care system. “These findings confirm what we’ve warned of from the very beginning,” Dellinger said. “VA has been hiding the fact it is struggling to meet its own goal of setting appointments for veterans within 14 days. Instead, they lie to veterans by forcing them to wait for months on unofficial lists and some of them may be dying while they wait.” Dellinger said VA must find a way to immediately get veterans the care they need and clean up the waiting-list scandal. “If VA needs to purchase additional private care to get veterans more timely treatment, then so be it,” he said. “VA already has a budget for fee-based care, but are they spending the whole budget? If not, that’s where they need to start. Spend every dime of funding set aside for fee-based care, then move ahead from there. “The Phoenix facility has also

been accused by whistleblowers of “cooking the books” and making false reports of wait-times to VA’s Central Office in Washington in order to qualify for big bonuses. The report noted that, while the Central Office listed average patient wait-times in Phoenix at 24 days, VA’s Office of Inspector General’s investigation showed the average to be 115 days. The report said that veterans “were and continue to be at risk of being forgotten or lost in Phoenix (Health Care System’s) convoluted scheduling process. As a result, these veterans may never obtain a requested or required clinical appointment. “One consequence of not placing veterans on Electronic Waiting Lists, the report said, “is that the Phoenix HCS leadership significantly understated the time new patients waited for their primary care appointment in their FY 2013 performance appraisal accomplishments, which is one of the factors considered for awards and salary increases.” “Now that the Office of Inspector General has confirmed that VA employees in Phoenix were lying to veterans and hiding wait lists,” Dellinger said, “we need to see swift, decisive action to ensure that VA is, indeed, capable of meeting its obligations to America’s veterans.” Dellinger called on VA to immediately implement all recommendations of the Office of Inspector General’s report and to act swiftly to care for the veterans who have already waited far too long for treatment they have earned. “The American Legion will not allow these veterans to be forgotten while they wait,” Dellinger said. “Neither should the Department of Veterans Affairs.”

Dan Dellinger

National Commander
American Legion



VETERANS SERVICE CORNER

CAN VA DENY ME IF MY INCOME IS TOO HIGH?



All systems have limits, and VA had to close open enrollment when they had too many veterans to care for at the standards required. The American Legion continues to advocate for VA to resume open enrollment, and VA is incrementally lowering the income limit to allow more veterans into the system without overwhelming it. The overall goal is to achieve open enrollment again. VA health-care

eligibility is determined by the Veterans Health Administration (VHA), and VHA rules are constantly changing. If you were previously denied VA health care because your income was too high, I suggest you reapply because you may be eligible for Priority Group 8: Veterans with gross household incomes above the VA national income threshold and agree to pay co-pays. If you are now below the income limit, but your last year's income was too high, you can ask them to enroll you based on your current need. You can also use your own and your spouse's medical expenses to show your

income is below the enrollment limit. Income is not the only issue; net worth is also a consideration for enrollment based on means test. If your health care eligibility is based on financial need, your family net worth (over \$80,000) can prevent you from qualifying for VA health care.

Cajun Comeau

Service Officer

American Legion North Carolina Department



VA REMOVES ANNUAL INCOME REPORTING REQUIREMENT



The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) is eliminating the annual requirement for most Veterans enrolled in VA's health care system to report income information beginning in March 2014. Instead, VA will automatically match income information obtained

from the Internal Revenue Service and Social Security Administration.

"Eliminating the requirement for annual income reporting makes our health care benefits easier for Veterans to obtain," said Secretary of Veterans Affairs Eric K. Shinseki.

"This change will reduce the burden on Veterans, improve customer service and make it much easier for Veterans to keep their health care eligibility up-to-date."

Some Veterans applying for enrollment for the first time are still required to submit income information. There is no change in VA's long-standing policy to provide no-cost

care to indigent Veterans, Veterans with catastrophic medical conditions, Veterans with a disability rating of 50 percent or higher, or for conditions that are officially rated as "service-connected."

VA encourages Veterans to continue to use the health benefits renewal form to report changes in their personal information, such as address, phone numbers, dependents, next of kin, income and health insurance.

For more information, visit www.va.gov/healthbenefits/cost or call VA toll-free at 1-877-222-VETS (8387).



MEMBERS PERSPECTIVE

When I was asked to write what I think about American Legion Post #34 from a Social member's perspective, I panicked and was at a loss for words for about 10 seconds! Having spent very little time in a veterans organization before becoming a member, it was an eye opener to see the strong bond among the members. Not just the veterans but ALL the members. We were made to feel welcome there from the minute we stepped into the building.

There is always something being planned to help those in need and it is done in the spirit of caring and fun.

Keep up the good work Post #34

Kathy Kirby
Post #34
Social Member

A LETTER OF APPRECIATION

My name is Neil Eller and I am the Past Post Commander of the American Legion Mason Dixon Post #194 in Rising Sun, MD. I would like to take a minute to thank the American Legion Post #34 for the hospitality that the members of your Post gave us during our recent visit to your Post.

On a Sunday afternoon, May 25th, there were five of us (members of Post #194) who stopped by your Post for a visit and asked if it was OK for us to place two of our upcoming event advertisements on your Post's bulletin board. We were greeted by one of your SAL Members, Mr. Dave Sloat, who welcomed our group and he was very friendly.

We had a great time at your Post and would like to thank everyone at Post #34 for the hospitality that we were given. In return, we would gladly welcome any of your members to stop by our Post if you are ever in the neighborhood.

I am sure that our post #194 members will return the same great hospitality to your members that we were shown.

Again, we thank you and your Post for a great visit!

Neil Eller
Past Post Commander
American Legion Mason Dixon #194
Rising Sun, MD



Left: Mason Dixon Post #194. Rising Sun, MD

A FUNNY THING...

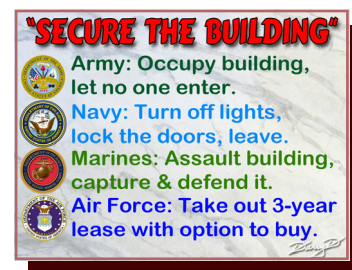
One reason the Services have trouble operating jointly is that they don't speak the same language.

For example, if you told Army personnel to "secure a building," they would occupy the building so no one could enter.

Navy personnel would turn off the lights and lock the doors.

Marines would assault the building, capture it, and defend it with suppressive fire and close combat.

The Air Force, on the other hand, would take out a three-year lease with an option to buy.



DATES TO REMEMBER



- ◆ July 4th—Independence Day
- ◆ July 27, 1953—End of Korean War
- ◆ August 2, 1990—Invasion of Kuwait/Operation Desert Shield
- ◆ August 5, 1964—Gulf of Tonkin Incident
- ◆ August 7th—Purple Heart Day
- ◆ August 14, 1945—V-J Day
- ◆ August 15th —88th American Legion baseball World Series

UPCOMING EVENTS

- ◆ **Sunday, June 29th 2:00pm:** American Legion Baseball Post #34 Day at McCaskey High School
- ◆ **Sunday, July 20th** 4th Annual America's 911 & Military Tribute Bike & Car Show at Ft. Indiantown Gap Community Club. Contact Victoria Eisenhower at (717) 673-5732 or email victoria@americas911foundation.org for more information.
- ◆ **Sunday, August 17th 12:00pm:** Baseball game to benefit homeless veterans at Clipper Magazine Stadium. The Lancaster Barnstormers will play the Southern Maryland Blue Crabs. Entertainment starts at 12:00pm, game starts at 1:00pm. When purchasing tickets, please mention the homeless vets benefit so the proceeds are properly allocated to the cause.
- ◆ **Tuesday, November 11th:** Bus Trip to Vietnam Veterans Memorial in Washington D.C. \$40.00 per person. For more information contact Ken Ford at (717) 560-4049.



ACTIVITIES

- ◆ **Lancaster Canes Ball Caps for Sale!** Support our Post #34 baseball team by purchasing their team cap. **\$20.00 each.** Pick one up today and wear it to their next game! Schedule available in the Post lobby and at www.al34.com.
- ◆ **Susquehanna River Waterfowlers Association Iraq/Afghanistan Veteran Outreach.** Are you an Iraq/Afghanistan Veteran who would like to meet others or become involved in PA's waterfowl community? Would you like to help the Susquehanna River Waterfowlers Association with youth, habitat or education projects? Contact us at (717) 504-6153 or visit www.srwasrwt.org
- ◆ **The Pride of the Susquehanna Riverboat** in Harrisburg, PA is offering **FREE ADMISSION on any 45 minute Public Sightseeing Cruise** during the 2013 season to veterans, active duty members of the military, and their immediate families, with appropriate ID. Cruises occur from Memorial Day to Labor Day and weekends in the Fall.
- ◆ 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**. A huge THANK YOU to everyone who has donated. Keep them coming!!

TAPS



*"All is well, safely rest, God is nigh..."
Remembering the veterans we've lost.*

- **William Beck, Jr.**—Passed January 31st
US Army Veteran of the Korean Conflict and Post #34 member
- **Jay M. "Bud" Boozer**—Passed March 8th
US Army Veteran of WWI & American Legion member
- **Ned C. Limric**—Passed March 31st
US Navy and Navy Reserves Veteran. Legion member
- **Paul "Pappy" Frymyer**—Passed April 5th
US Army Veteran of the Korean Conflict
- **Richard P. Mongeau, Sr.** —Passed April 15th
US Army Veteran and Post #34 member
- **John O. Rineer, Jr.**—Passed April 24th
US Navy Veteran of Vietnam
- **Charles Henry Geiter, Jr.** —Passed April 30th
US Navy Veteran of Vietnam and Post #34 member
- **Patrick J. Houston**—Passed May 28th
US Marine Corps Veteran and Post #34 member

POEMS BY LATORIAL D. W. FAISON

My Daddy's A Hero

My daddy's a soldier
He has a special job
Serving our country daily
He works really hard

He wears a special uniform
It's camouflage green
Working for freedom
Is my Daddy's dream

Daddy's job is great,
The people are really nice.
But he often takes long trips
And is gone for many nights

I remember one day
When Daddy had to leave
That he was going far away
I just could not believe

Who would read me stories
Tickle me at bedtime
Tuck me in each night
Get me to school on time

But Daddy reminded me
Of all the things mommies do
Mommies love like daddies
And they care a lot too

He said listen to mommy
And always help her out
That he'd be back in no time
Not to worry and never pout

Daddy put on his uniform
Then he kissed me good-bye
He boarded a big airplane
That took off into the sky

I was feeling quite sad
But only for a little while
For Daddy's trip to overseas
Would help another child
My Daddy's a soldier

A brave, heroic man
His duties sometimes
Are in a far away land

At night I think of him
When Daddy's far away
I always look forward
To when he's home to stay

Mommy says that I miss him
Because I love him a lot
And even when he's away
He is always in my heart

I often tell myself
Sometimes over and over
That I have a right to be proud
Because my Daddy is a soldier



Left: Christopher Smith, staff sergeant in the U.S. Army National Guard surprised his daughter Kira at school after being deployed to Iraq for a year.

My Hero, My Child

My days are often endless
Rest and relaxation are often few
But I could not be a soldier
Without the love and support of you

You serve right along with me
I take you everywhere I go
Across the nation, across the seas
And I need you to know

I understand your challenges
I know all that you've been through
This lifestyle demands so much
From the military child too

I love you more than life
I have loved you all the while
I'll always treasure what you are to me
My hero, my child



MEMBERS MEMORIES



A brief ceremony on Saturday, June 14th was a family reunion of sorts for 10 relatives of John R. Kendig, a Lancaster native and one of 179 men killed when a Japanese air attack sunk the USS Sims during the Battle of the Coral Sea in the Pacific on May 7th, 1942. Only 13 men survived.

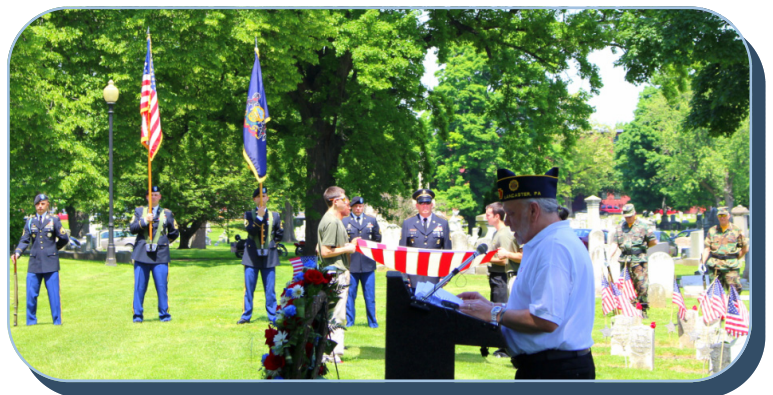
Post #34 rededicated a plaque honoring Kendig that was damaged during snow removal in February. The ceremony was held along West Chestnut Street near North Prince Street. Approximately 20 people, including family, friends and Post members attended.



*2014 Memorial Day
Flowers Ceremony

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Lancaster, Pennsylvania

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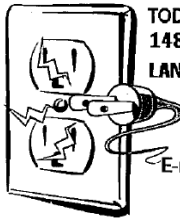
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In addition to the Victory, Milagro and Beacon Houses, we are now also contributing to Water Street Rescue Mission. I delivered 129lbs. of chicken, donated by the Post #34 SAL, and 147lbs. of Tastykakes donated by Vicki Jenkins. They were very appreciative and continue in need of support. Always keep in mind that 20% of the homeless are vets.

In closing, I'd like to thank Jim Vollrath for serving successfully as our Post Commander for the past two years, and to all for your continued support of this newsletter, our Post and related causes. We make a difference!

Bill Schulz
American Legion
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