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SPECIAL EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Election of Officers for The American Legion was May 14th. The following members are the officers for the new fiscal year:

Commander: John Daube
 First Vice Commander: Jim Heroux
 Second Vice Commander : Don Smith
 Third Vice Commander: Bill Houseworth

Historian : Roger Meir
 Sergeant at Arms: Calvin Bailey
 Finance Officer: Lee Weaver
 SAL Commander: Pete Mahoney

Fireman's Parade will be at 4 p.m. on Aug. 25th. Meet at 3:30 @ Legion

Commander John Daube was very pleased with the turnout of 13 Legion and 3 SAL members for Memorial Day Parade. After the Ceremony at Grove Cemetery, an Open House was held at the Post.

Cmdr presented awards: Legion scholarship – Christina Bennett, school awards to: Briana Soest, and J.T. Swartz

Grass Roots starts July 19th through July 22nd. Sign up sheet for Food Tent in the Lounge. Thanks to Renee Heroux for her dedication and overseeing the Food Tent for this Festival; and to all the volunteers that man the Food Tent

Thanks to Mary and John Schmidt for the beautiful Flowers placed in planters around the Post.

Troopride; a motorcycle ride to support the U.S.O., will be arriving at our Post July 28th around 11 am and departing 1` pm. Their next stop will be Dundee American Legion; then on to Bath V.A. Hospital. We are expecting 500 plus bikes

Trumansburg Fire Department will be providing Lunch for these Bikers.

There will be a Joint Meeting of Auxiliary; SAL, and Legion Aug 16th at 7:30 pm

Trumansburg Fair starts Aug 21st through Aug 26th. Pete Mahoney will be Chairing the Food Tent; Volunteer sign up sheet will be in Lounge. (Thank you, Pete!). Fireman's Parade will be Sat, Aug 25th. It would be great to see many members to march!

Breakfast Aug 26th will be at the Fairgrounds; come join us there for an open air Breakfast!

Billy Kenney, and his Family continue to serve delicious dinners every Friday evening. More and more people show up each Friday; thanks to the appetizing meals created by Billy, and the Ambience created by Amy Kenney. Thanks and Kudos also to the volunteer staff who work these dinners every Friday evening

To All Members: The legion would like to compile a file of member DD Form 214 for family assistance. Recently a family needed the form and we did not have a copy available. We are asking for member forms prior to 2007. Send to Post 770, Attn: Phil Colvin, PO Box 456, Trumansburg, NY 14886

For missing dates and times, please check our website: www.post770.com or call the Post during business hours.

CHAPLAINS CORNER

Sick Call:

Good News! None to report.

TAPS:

Richard Murphy – the service was held June 12th with full Military Honors
Wayne Doane passed away 6/7/12

POST NEWS

Kate Conroy; Legion member, has offered to assist with the newsletter for which we are grateful. If you have any news items, please share them with Kate or Henry through the Post Website post770newsletter@gmail.com

Not a great amount of post news has been passed along to include this time, however, lots of post activities and projects continue, so, come to the post to socialize and help out where you can.

If you have items of post news or information to share for veterans and members of the post send the details along via email to post770newsletter@gmail.com.

If you would like to receive your newsletter online via email instead of through the mail, please let Henry VanNess, our new newsletter producer, know at post770newsletter@gmail.com. Also if you want to give constructive input or if you have any problems with receiving your newsletter you can contact him at the same address.

MEMBERSHIP

Our membership is currently at 308, quota of 348. The AL new fiscal year started in July and Dues were due by Aug. 1st for 2012 membership. Check to see if you have a 2012 card. If not, send in your dues ASAP! Thanks!

AUXILIARY NEWS

We made our quote Seniors 136 Juniors 12 All 148 Thank you.

Dues now \$25. We have not raised dues in years and National and Department have raised their dues per capita. No meetings until September 4th at 7:00 PM Our Poppy Princess was Anna Dew.

The officers were installed at the June meeting.

Girls Stater's are Kelsey Miller and Jose Kinzie.

Thanks for all baked goods for the Bath Veterans visit this spring. They will return in October and have been coming to our Post for 40 years. We made monetary donations to the High School Junior Prom, relay for live and will sponsor two ladies horseshow teams. Katie McMillan in the recipient for the Anna Bennett Scholarship.

Thank you to:

Amy Kenney for doing the decorative tables at the Friday night dinners.

Mary Schmidt for flowers around the Post.

Vickii Barry for the Poppy project.

Our condolences to Ruth Doane on the loss of her husband, Wayne Doane, on 6/7/12.

Roxie Everhart recovering from a broken ankle.

Need help for Grassroots and Fair Food Tent.

Congratulations to our Unit Treasurer, Nan Colvin, on her retirement after 40 years as Cornell Law School Registrar.

Ron and Mary Schmidt on their 3rd granddaughter.

Two of our Juniors graduating and both attending college in the fall: Christina Bennett and Jamie Heroux Christina Bennett on receiving the Post Scholarship from Commander John Daube at the High School Awards Ceremony

The Auxiliary, for \$5 per ticket, will raffle \$300 in local restaurant dining certificates in September. Have a safe summer.

Marge Bennett, Historian

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MILITARY NEWS

Our thoughts are with the troops!

Welcome Home! To those soldiers returning from duty in Iraq and Afganistan

Send info to share about solders serving via email to post770newsletter@gmail.com.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

VA Medical Center for Tompkins County is at 1451 Dryden Road, Freeville, NY – Tel. 347-4101

Online Giving – a secure website to give via credit card for American Legion Charities at www.legion.org/donate.

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American Legion Post 770 – Events Calendar

◀ Jun 2012		~ July 2012 ~					Aug 2012 ▶
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
1	2 SAL Mtg.	3	4 Post Closed	5	6 Legion Dinner	7	
8	9	10	11 Senior Citiz. Mtg.	12	13 Legion Dinner	14	
15 Setup for Grassroots 6 th Dist Golf Tourn - Marathon	16	17	18 Bd Mtg.	19 Grassroots	20 Legion Dinner Grassroots	21 Grassroots	
22 Grassroots	23 Legion Mtg.	24	25	26	27 Legion Dinner	28 11-12:30 - Motorcycle Troop ride to benefit USO T-Burg School Reunion	
29 Legion Breakfast @ Fairgrounds	30	31	Notes:				

More Calendars: [August](#), [September](#), [October](#)

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	
			1	2	3 Legion Dinner	4	
5	6 SAL Mtg.	7	8 Post Bd. Mtg. Sr. Citz Mtg.	9	10 Legion Dinner	11 8 – 12 Blood Drive 11:30 – Noon Horseheads Legion Poker Run	
12	13	14	15	16	17	18	
19 Setup for Fair Tent	20	21 T-Burg Fair	22 T-Burg Fair	23 T-Burg Fair	24 Legion Dinner T-Burg Fair	25 T-Burg Fair Firemans Parade meet @ Post @ 3:30	
26 Breakfast	27	28	29	30	31	Notes:	

More Calendars: [Sep 2012](#), [Oct 2012](#), [Nov 2012](#)