



Struck-Klandrud Post No. 336

Onalaska American Legion

Chartered May 14, 1921

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To My Fellow Legionnaires; Auxiliary and S.A.L. Members & Friends Of The Legion, Welcome To American Legion Post 336 In Onalaska, WI!

August is here. The Post is closed until August 18th if all goes well. The Annual Onalaska American Legion Post 336 Membership Picnic has not been planned as of yet and there are no plans at this time for the picnic. Any further information regarding the picnic will be shared by the Auxiliary.

Newsletter editor... This position is still unfilled at this time. We are exploring our options and trying to work out getting a regular newsletter editor. If anyone is interested please contact me.

Our next general membership meeting will be held on August 13th at 7pm also in the Activity Center due to the HVAC project.

Regards, **David Delimat, Commander (608) 317-7750**
commander.post336@gmail.com



MEMBERSHIP NEWS –

Alan Cagle your new 1st Vice. I am honored to be in this position. For those that don't know me, I am a retired Navy Chief Petty Officer after serving 8 years on board nuclear submarines and 12 years in the Navy Reserves. I also bartended for a couple years here at Onalaska Legion. I have been a member for over 8 years and looking forward to serving you. First off I would like to thank Bob Weber for the turnover and his availability should I have further questions. So far we have processed 105 memberships. Keep 'em coming, lots more to go.

Thank you all for what you do.

Legion Baseball Collecting Cans

The Baseball Committee of our Legion Post 336 has a site in the parking lot to collect aluminum cans to raise money for our Legion Baseball. All are encouraged to donate their aluminum cans to this most worthy cause!

AMERICA IS AT WAR

A tradition continues

A Blue Star Service Banner in the window of a home shows a family's pride in their loved one serving in the U.S. Armed Forces - and reminds others that preserving America's freedom demands great sacrifice.

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Service Officers Report

~ **SICK CALL** ~

Rich Musolf

~ **LAST BUGLE** ~

James W. Gums

John Mayer

Vern Reekers, Service Officer



~ AUXILIARY ~

Welcome! Looking forward to re-opening on August 18 to see all of our Onalaska American Legion Post 336 friends again!

The Onalaska American Legion Post 336 Family Membership Picnic is still undecided due to the renovation.

Any Auxiliary member who would like to pay her 2019 dues may mail a check to the Onalaska American Legion Post 336, PO Box 22, Onalaska WI 54650. Dues may also be sent directly to Shirley Berberich at 1213 La Crosse St, Onalaska, WI 54650. Checks should be made out to Onalaska American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 336.

Senior dues: \$30

Junior Dues: \$6

There's still time to pay so you don't lose consecutive membership years. Let's make 2019 a 100% year!

Our August meeting will be **August 8th, at 7 p.m.** in the **activity center**.

Serving committee:

Liz Weber, Diane Culbert, Mary Grenier, and Shirley Berberich

American Legion Wisconsin District 7 Picnic will be August 23, 2018 at 6 p.m., hosted by American Legion Post 52, La Crosse. Hope to see everyone there!

If anyone knows June Hustad, she has moved and we need a new address for her membership and newsletter delivery. If you know her or a family member, please contact me at 608-783-3892. Thank you.

We sponsored 2 girls from Onalaska High School and 2 from Luther High School to Badger State in June. They'll be visiting a fall meeting to tell us about their experience and what they learned.

Our President Scholarship recipient is Taya Hauser, daughter of long-time member Cathi Hauser and granddaughter of 50 year member Diane Ryan. Congrats Taya!

Your support makes us more successful as an organization. Thank you for supporting our Veterans and their families! See you around the Post.

Shirley Berberich, President/ Membership Chairman

Hello Members, Patrons and Friends

I can't express how excited we are to re-open. Although the renovations are mostly mechanical, I still see this as a fresh start and a new beginning. I have seen many of you outside of the Post and it really goes to show how much of a family we have all become. I look forward to seeing everyone soon. Have a great day and we will see you at the Legion.

Neil - barmgr.post336@gmail.com

Auxiliary:

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Shirley Berberich (783-3892)

1st Vice: **Shirley Berberich**

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Chaplain: **Maureen Smith**

Sergeant at Arms:

Mary Powers, Liz Reekers

Member at Large:

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Liz Reekers

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Somewhere in this newsletter is a member's membership number.

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If it's your number call the Legion post and leave a message for the Commander: 783-3300

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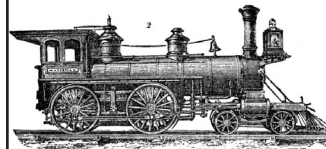
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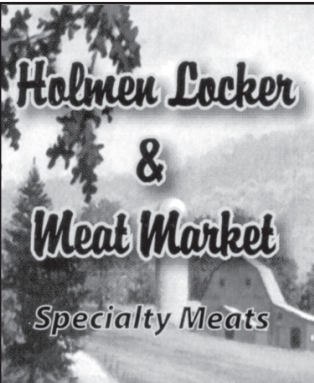
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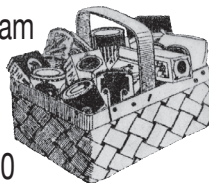
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Checks may be sent to:
Onalaska-Holmen Food Basket
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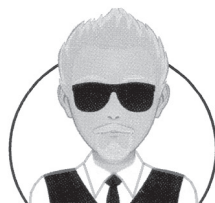
Do you have some spare time? Would you like to feel good about helping the great communities of Onalaska and Holmen?

We are looking for people to deliver meals to homebound seniors and to help out at the Onalaska and Holmen Senior Dining Centers.

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1	2	3	4
			CLOSED			
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Executive Committee Mtg 6pm – A/C Membership Mtg 7pm – A/C		CLOSED				Filipino Day – A/C
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
CLOSED						Cody Heilman Benefit – A/C
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
		Wings & Shrimp 4:30-8pm Ladies Night 6 – Close Bar Bingo – 6:30 pm	National American Legion Legacy Scholarship Run – Cemetery Ceremony 4:40pm Dinner at the Post 5:25pm – Entire Post	National American Legion Legacy Scholarship Run – Depart Post – 7:30am Ducks Unlimited Banquet – 5:30pm - Hall	Fish Fry 11am-2pm 5-8pm Friday Night Music! Marty and the Sharks 7:30 – 11:30 pm - Bar	James and Tania Wedding Reception – Hall Celebration of Life – A/C
26	27	28	29	30	31	
Malin Family Reunion – A/C	Building Committee Mtg 4 pm House Committee Mtg 5 pm Wings & Shrimp 4:30-8pm Ladies Night 6 – Close Bar Bingo – 6:30 pm	Pizza Night 5-8pm		\$2 Tacos \$2 Burgers 4:30-8pm	Fish Fry 11am-2pm 5-8pm Friday Night Music! Cat & the Fiddle 7:30 – 11:30 pm - Bar	

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AUGUST 2018 Newsletter

~ S.A.L. ~

It's been a pretty hot one out there lately. Hope you're all keeping your cool. We sincerely miss our Legion being open to meet with our friends each week and catch up on our legion families. But, we also know that all good things come with patience, whether it's the playground or our Legion building. Thanks for your continued patience and hope to see you all around our beautiful community of Onalaska.

The Sons will be starting the 2nd phase of the playground area this month and are looking for donations to complete the grounds. A walkway will be installed from the gate to the playground, replace and enhance the patio area by concessions, install/construct a gazebo, and put in benches around the playground for parents/grandparents to enjoy watching the children on the playground & ballfield. Our goal is to make the area an enjoyable place for the families to remember for years to come. We have so many people who have commented about growing up playing on the older equipment. We are Building Memories with our youth for a lifetime. We have not established a total cost at this time, but we're looking at approximately \$25,000+ to raise. The benches (like the ones at the Veterans Memorial in the Onalaska cemetery) will be sold as a commemorative for families or individuals looking to purchase one. Details will be forthcoming on those soon.

Stay cool and remember to thank the people who have served, continue to serve, and those families whose children have not returned.

Doc, Dan, Ralph, Kent, Chris & Neil

Remember next SAL breakfast is the third Sunday.....September 16th. See you all soon!

S.A.L. Officers

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1st Vice: **Dan Ferries**

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3rd Vice: **Kent Stephan**

Treasurer: **Chris Carlson**

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