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The American Legion

POST 134 NEWS



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2010 1st place winner in the State of Illinois Post Newsletter Contest

September, 2010



You are cordially invited to attend The 88th Joint Installation of Morton Grove Post 134, William Smith, Commander, Donna Hedrick, Auxiliary President, and Gregory Nelson, SAL Commander.

Sunday, October 3, 2010, 6:00 pm
American Legion Memorial Civic Center
6140 Dempster St., Morton Grove, IL

RSVP is required by Friday, Sept. 24, 2010.

SEATING IS LIMITED.

To RSVP, either call Cheryl at (847) 663-0539 or
fill out our RSVP form below and mail it to:



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Name: _____ # attending: _____

COMMANDER'S MESSAGE

William J. Smith

Lots of good things will be happening in our Post in the next few months, both to make it a more satisfying experience to come here as well as getting our message out. First, our Veteran's Voices Project is starting to take off, and we will start filming in early September. If anyone would like to watch how this is done, please give me a call.

We will be visiting one Senior Fair and one Education Fair for Returning Veterans as part of our recruiting drive. Recruiting is very important this year because of the number of WW II Vets who have passed on. By keeping our numbers up, we will have the same leverage in Washington that we enjoy now. This benefits all Vets, not just us. So, if every member could bring in one or two people, that would be great. Thinking about membership renewals, it's going to be easier to renew from now on, because if you have a computer you can renew on line with a credit card. If you don't have a computer, you will be able to hand your renewal to any Legion Officer; they will make sure it gets to the right place.

We are starting to plan our Veteran's Day and New Year's Eve dance programs. In the interest of having even more fun, we're going to set aside tickets for the public and Village Administration and then advertise that it's a community event as well as a Legion event. If you show people a good feed, reasonably priced food and drinks, they will come. Event packages at hotels are expensive and crowded, and we can seat 175 people.

The Post By-Laws badly need revision so that they can be brought up to date. I will appoint a small committee to make recommendations on changes, and then we will bring the By Laws to the members at large for approval. Stay tuned.

Cordially,
William J. Smith
Commander, Post 134

The Chaplain's Corner

Everyone please have a wonderful and safe Labor Day.

In His service, Chaplain Phil

Events Calendar

CLUB 134 LOUNGE is open Monday thru Friday
3:30 pm to 8:00 pm and on
Sundays 12:30 to 5:00 pm.

SEPTEMBER 2010

SEPT 9	Rifle Squad Meeting	7:30 pm
SEPT 12	7 th Dist. Meeting @ 134	7:30 pm
SEPT 13	Corporation Meeting	7:30 pm
SEPT 14	Auxiliary Meeting	7:00 pm
SEPT 15	1 st Div. Mtg. @ 220	7:30pm
	7th District @ 1226	7:30 pm
SEPT 18	DEPT. HOMECOMING	
SEPT 20	Executive Board	7:30 pm
SEPT 23	Post Meeting	7:30 pm
SEPT 24	BURN YOUR OWN STEAK	4:30 pm

OCTOBER 2010

OCT 3	Post 134 Joint Installation	6:00 pm
OCT 9	Senior Fair (ends at 1:30 pm)	9:30 am
OCT 11	Corporation Meeting	7:30 pm
OCT 12	Auxiliary Meeting	7:00 pm
OCT 14	Rifle Squad Meeting	7:30 pm
OCT 16	October Fest (RIBS)	3:00 pm
OCT 20	7 th Dist. Meeting 791 @ 134	7:30 pm
OCT 23	PP/PC Dinner	
OCT 25	Executive Board Meeting	7:30 pm
OCT 28	Post 134 Meeting	7:30 pm

GUN RANGE ACTIVITIES

MON.	GUN CLUB PISTOL SHOOT	All
TUES.	SENIOR GUN CLUB	range
WED.	JUNIOR GUN CLUB	functions
THURS.	ARLINGTON HTS. CLUB	begin
FRI.	OPEN SHOOT	approx.
4 th & 5 th FRI.	AIR RIFLES	7:30 pm

CHECK WITH RANGE OFFICER FOR EXACT TIMES.



GONE BUT NOT FORGETTEN

Seymour Primer passed away July, 2009.

