



**VFW Post 2514
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POST NEWSLETTER/CALENDAR FOR SEPTEMBER- OCTOBER 2012

"Amidst the uncertainties of war, every soldier is entitled to one certainty...that he will not be forgotten or abandoned."

Commander's Comments:

Comrades and Sisters,

It's hard to believe that summer is almost over. We have a lot of activities planned for the upcoming months that will keep us very busy. We will recognize POW/MIA Day with a small ceremony at the Post on September 21st and will kick-off our Sunday afternoon Turkey Shoot's on September 30th. We are currently selling raffle tickets for a Browning 7mm rifle, which will be given away on December 2nd at our last turkey shoot. We also will be doing a membership drive at the gun show on Sept 8th and 9th, we will be doing a Buddy Poppy drive on October 6th and 7th, then October 13th and 14th we will have a recruiting booth at MUM FEST. We are also doing an end of summer party in conjunction with a poker run on September 29th. So you can see we are going to be busy, I am asking all members of the VFW and the Auxiliaries to step up and help where you can. All these events and activities benefit all of us, so I'm asking for everybody's help.

Now is the time to renew your membership if you are an annual member and have not yet paid your dues. Let me know if you would like to consider becoming a Life Member and I will provide you with the information you need to convert from annual to life membership. Below are some of the benefits of becoming a Life Member of the VFW:

- Never pay annual dues again ... any more Dues Reminders!
- Substantial Savings over annual dues payments
- Lifetime Subscription to VFW magazine
- Accidental Life Insurance policy ... No Cost to the Member
- Continuous Support of VFW programs
- Lifetime Protection of veteran rights and entitlements
- Lifetime of Member Services and other benefits
- Special "New Life Member" discounts from the VFW Emblem & Supply Catalog
- Permanent, attractive Life Membership Card
- Fulfillment of knowing YOU have committed yourself to the well-being of 28 million fellow veterans!

Please take a few moments to review our calendar of events and plan on coming out to support our Post. Sunday morning breakfast on the 1st and 3rd Sundays, and Steak Night on the last Friday of the month.

Thanks again to everyone for your continued support.

**Yours in Comradeship,
Jon Schultheis, Commander**

Ladies Auxiliary:

To the Ladies of the VFW Post 2514 Auxiliary.

Ladies the Ladies Auxiliary and the MOCA is having a lunch on September 22, 2012. We will be selling BBQ Chicken plates for \$6.00, from 11 a.m. till 5 p.m. eat in or take out. Tickets are on sale in the canteen or from Auxiliary members. PLEASE come help your Auxiliary.

<p>Dues are now due \$30.00 and can be mail to the Auxiliary Treasurer Charlotte Clark 6120 Old US Hwy 70 W. New Bern, NC 28562. Make check payable to the Ladies Auxiliary 2514.</p>
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Please feel free to call me at any time, Pat King 638-9049. Meetings-- 3rd. Thursday every month, 7p.m.

May this new year bless you and your loved ones, and GOD BLESS THE USA.

Pat King, Auxiliary President

Men's Auxiliary:

Please come out & support your post. Auxiliary meetings are on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 6 PM. The meeting for September is on the 13th, and the meeting for October is on the 11th.

D. B. Matthews, President

MOC:

Listen up, Cooties you worked long and hard to be worthy to become a Cootie. It is now time to show your loyalty to our crummy organization. Come out and join us on Sunday September 9th at 4 PM for our Scratch. The Scratch for October will be on the 14th at 4 PM. L.O.T.C.S.

Tommy Broom, Seam Squirrel

MOCA:

Ladies as President of the MOCA , I would really like to see of you at our monthly meeting 2nd. Sunday of the month 4 p.m. The MOCA is the fun organization of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The MOCA and the Ladies Auxiliary will be selling tickets for our September Lunch; eat in or take out.

Ladies it's time to pay your MOCA dues for 2012-2013 and they have gone up this year to \$15.00, but your Ladies Auxiliary VFW dues, must be paid first.

Ladies we need your help and your ideas, thank you for all you've done in the past, we miss not having a large group of ladies.

May this new year bless you and your loved one. Please Come Out and Support your Post.

Pat King, President

Editor's Note:

I am not a rocket scientist, nor an atom splitter. Mistakes in this newsletter and on the calendar are all mine and I apologize for them.

The e-mail list is growing each month. Please consider getting the news letter via e-mail and help save your post money. Please send me an e-mail at schultheisjr@hotmail.com, and I will be more than happy to add you to the list. Taking this option would save the post some money that could be well spent elsewhere. Thanks to those who have already chosen this option

If you move or change your e-mail address please contact me at the above e-mail address so I can update our records and continue to keep you informed about the happenings at your VFW Post.

Jon Schultheis