



OCTOBER 2015 NEWSLETTER

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS
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Next Post Monthly Meeting October 20, 2015 at 6:30 p.m.

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WELCOME TO THE POST

Bradley Tannehill, U.S. Navy, Expeditionary
Noah Belhumeur, U.S. Navy, Iraq & Afghanistan
Peter Hallgrimson, U.S. Army, Vietnam
Michael Haataja, U.S. Marines, GWOT & Afghanistan

MEMBERSHIP

As you all know membership is the backbone of our organization. We all must be recruiters for the V.F.W. and our post. If you know of someone who you believe may be eligible ask them to contact us at 425-252-2100 or at vfwpost2100@yahoo.com and we will assist them to become a member.

VFW POST 2100 Officers

- Commander:** Maria Sexton
- Sr. Vice Commander:** Patrick Kelly
- Jr. Vice Commander:** Justin Shinn
- Quartermaster:** Donald Wischmann
- Chaplain:** Earl Stephens
- Adjutant:** Donald Wischmann
- Surgeon:** Marty Bednar
- Judge Advocate:** Donald Wischmann
- 1st. Trustee:** Rusty Roylance
- 2nd Trustee:** Marty Bedner
- 3rd Trustee:** Franklin Smith
- Service Officer:** Renee Taculad



IN REMEBERANCE :

Teddie Robinson Passed 9/16/15 Joined 3/31/90

Did You Know

The **Medal of Honor** is the United States of America's highest military honor, awarded for personal acts of valor above and beyond the call of duty. The medal is awarded by the President of the United States in the name of the U.S. Congress to U.S. military personnel only. There are three versions of the medal, one for the Army, one for the Navy, and one for the Air Force. Personnel of the Marine Corps and Coast Guard receive the Navy version.



The Medal of Honor was created in 1861, early in the American Civil War, to give recognition to men who distinguished themselves "conspicuously by gallantry and intrepidity" in combat with an enemy of the United States. According to the *Medal of Honor Historical Society of the United States* there have been 3,512 Medals of Honor awarded to the nation's soldiers, sailors, airmen, Marines, and coast guardsmen since the decoration's creation, with just less than half of them awarded for actions during the four years of the Civil War.

The Medal of Honor is usually presented by the President in a formal ceremony at the White House, intended to represent the gratitude of the American people, with posthumous presentations made to the primary next of kin. In 1990, Congress designated March 25 annually as "National Medal of Honor Day". Due to its prestige and status, the Medal of Honor is afforded special protection under U.S. law against any unauthorized adornment, sale, or manufacture, which includes any associated ribbon or badge.



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Inputs for next month's newsletter are due by the **20th of each month** please contact the Editor at vfwpost2100@yahoo.com to submit articles for the newsletter.

IN THE LOUNGE

- Jack of Spades:** Every Friday @ 6:30 pm
 - Money Draw** Every Friday @ 6:00 pm (Winner takes all)
 - Hot Dogs:** Every Saturday From Open till Close
 - Cribbage Tournament:** October 4 @ Noon
 - TACO Sunday:** October from Open Till Close
 - Ladies LCR:** October 8 @ 6:00pm
 - Texas Hold-em Poker:** October 3 @ 6:00 pm
- Come in & enjoy the Comradery and Fellowship*

Holiday Bazaar

The Post will be holding a Holiday Bazaar on November 21 and 22. From 10 am to 4 pm. Tables are available for \$10.00 per day, Contact Debbie Greenland at 425-252-2100 Thurs-

There is a New Video game. Come in and Play

- Membership Pot:** drop a Quarter in the box, Sign your name and if your name is drawn for that day you win what is in the Pot.
- Shake the Dice:** for \$1 Once a day. Roll 5 of a kind win the Pot. Roll 4 of a kind win a Chip.

A Hero's Hero

So Many Soldiers Living On The Street
Their Spirits Broken With Defeat

What Must They Think When They Look Around
Eyes Passing By, Staring At The Ground.

Does Anger Fill Them When We Turn Away
From The Debts We Owe That Should Be Repaid?

What If At That Moment, Just Once, Instead
We Saluted In Honor, Right Hand To Head?

To Let Them Know They Are Not Ghosts,
Thanking Them For Being Braver Than Most.

If Someone Would Show Them Grace
We Just Might Find Their Pain Eased.

For All The Heroes Still Fighting To Live
And For Heroes like You Who Continue To Give.

If You See Someone Who Is Really Lost
Please Stop and Remember What Our Freedom Cost.

Have an Idea:

The Post is seeking ideas for activities for our members. If you know of an activity contact us

From The Auxiliary

VFW LADIES AUXILIARY

- President:** Sundie Kombol
- Sr. Vice President:** Nicki Shinn
- Jr. Vice President:** Sharon Downey
- Chaplain:** Donna Wischmann
- Conductress:** Christine Kelly
- Treasurer:** Ruth Herren
- Secretary:** Alice Lorigan
- Guard:** Peggy Grabow
- Trustee #1:** Donna Wischmann
- Trustee #2:** Francis Helen Stewart
- Trustee #3:**



The Auxiliary Meeting

will be on
October 12, 2015
at 6:30 pm

October is

Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

The Auxiliary Will be holding a food Drive on November 13 & 14 At Safeway from 4 to 8 PM

New VFW Auxiliary Now Welcomes Men

On August 21, 2015, the Ladies Auxiliary VFW has changed its official name to the VFW Auxiliary. The former Ladies Auxiliary VFW, founded in 1914, is the VFW's highly regarded support organization and is considered its "Partner in Service." National President Francisca Guilford said "Women comprise nearly twenty percent of our nation's military, and this change allows all spouses, fathers, grandfathers, sons, grandsons and brothers to serve others in honor of their veteran."



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 October 2015 Post 2100 Calendar

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
FLY THE FLAG on days indicated 	Help us keep our Post strong join us and assist with our activities and events	There are many activities being planned for our Members and Families. Keep a close look at our web page and Facebook.		1	2 6:30pm Jack of Spades \$5.00 Dinner	3 6:00 pm Texas hold-em
4 Noon Cribbage Tournament Tacos \$3.00	5	6	7 2001 Afghanistan War Begins	8 6:00 pm Ladies LCR 	9 6:30 pm Jack Of Spades \$5.00 Dinner	10
11 Biscuits and Gravy \$3.00	12 6:30 pm Aux Meeting  Columbus Day	13 1776 U.S. Navy Established	14	15	16 6:30 pm Jack Of Spades \$5.00 Dinner	17
18 Tacos \$3.00	10	20 6:30pm Post Meeting 	21	22	23 6:30 pm Jack Of Spades 1983 Grenada Campaign Begins \$5.00 Dinner	24
25 Biscuits and Gravy \$3.00	26	27  Navy Day	28	29	30 6:30 pm Jack Of Spades \$5.00 Dinner	31 Halloween 

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