



THE POST TIMES

Joseph F. Hill Post 156

American Legion

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March - April 2008

REGULAR MONTHLY MEETINGS:

Post 156 E' Board - 1st Tuesday @ 4:30 PM

Post 156 - 3rd Tuesday @ 5:00 PM

Auxiliary Unit 156 - 2nd Monday @ 6:00 PM

SAL Squadron 156 - 3rd Tuesday @ 5:30 PM

Upcoming Meetings

Mar. 18 Apr. 15 May 20

Mar. 10 Apr. 14 May 12

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Please – 2008 Membership Dues are Due before April

FROM THE COMMANDER – Bill Mulcahy:

Hopefully the worst of the winter is over. The Red Sox are in Spring Training Camp. St. Patrick's Day and Easter Sunday are fast approaching.

We had a very busy day on Feb. 3rd. As we know, the Patriots got beaten in the Super Bowl but they still had a great year (18-1). Wiat 'til next year. Earlier that day the Post Officers and SAL Officers participated in a very impressive "Four Chaplains Ceremony" at the Bedford VA Hospital. Dept. Commander Lee Plummer remarked afterwards that to his knowledge it was the first time a SAL Squadron had taken part. Thank You all who attended.

The sprinkler system has finally been started. It will take 2 to 3 months to complete. Once again, Thanks to all who have donated. It is still not too late.

We have another Meat Raffle Bingo on Saturday April 5th. A lot of choice cuts of meat and a lot of fun. Come on down. It won't be long before the hot dog cart reopens and the propane station really gets going. (Although it is open year round if you need propane.)

Hope to see more new faces at the next Post meeting on March 18th.

Just a tip for anyone headed for Florida, watch out for falling coconuts and monkeys named Frank. It is really dangerous down there.

Bill

FROM THE SR. VICE COMMANDER – David Yawnick:

On January 13th Commander Mulcahy and Senior Vice Commander Yawnick attended the Distinct 5 meeting held in Wilmington, nice to keep abreast of what's going on in the district.

American Legion Hats are available for sale \$15.00 which is our cost. Supplies are limited.

The Post is moving towards 100% membership. If you have not yet paid, Please Pay Your dues! Deadline is April 15.

Watch the bulletin board in the lounge. There are many events going on to take part in.

We need more members to attend the regular Post meetings held on the third Tuesday at 5:00pm, please get involved. This is your Post.

David

FROM THE ADJUTANT – Dennis Bernhardt:

Seven (9) New Members:

Steve Taranto, Rev. Herbert Cleary, Matt Buonomo, Dan Fernandez, Paul Briggs, Jeremy Bray, Ryan Galluzzo, Joe Dix, Francis Garber

Dennis

FROM THE CHAPLAIN – John Reed:

Sick List:

Rick Taylor

The Post officers would like to be made aware of any member that is not well, so that proper recognition can be made in this newsletter and the Members lounge.

Comrades transferred to Post Everlasting:

Frank Tully and George Sullivan

If the family of a member that has passed away would like the Post to perform a ritual at the wake, they need to request it through the Post. Please notify the Chaplain as soon as possible if so interested.

John

SAL Squadron 156

FROM THE SQUADRON ADJUTANT: – Paul Beninati:

Remember – The next meeting is March 18th at 5:30pm. We need your support to remain active. Please pay dues now!

Paul

Auxiliary Unit 156

FROM THE PRESIDENT – Jackie Thomas:

Watch the Post bulletin board for upcoming events:

Jackie

Waltham American Legion Band

Rehearsals (Mon. evenings 7:00-9:00pm)

Mar. 3, 10, 17, 24, 31, Apr. 7, 14, 28

Parades and Concerts

Sun., Mar. 16 – St. Patrick's Day Parade, Boston @ 11:45am

Sun. Apr. 6 – Greek Ind. Day Parade, Boston @ 11:45am

Sun. Apr. 20 – Patriots Day Parade, Arlington @ 1:15pm

Mon. Apr. 21 – Patriots Day parade, Lexington @ 1:15pm