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NOVEMBER 2025

THURSDAY NIGHT BURGERS & FRIES

(EVERY THURSDAY NIGHT)

5:30 - 8:00 P.M. or SOLD OUT

Burger - \$4.00 Double Burger - \$6.00
with fries \$7.00 with fries - \$9.00
Fries Only \$3.00

SHIRLEY SPURLOCK'S BEEF POT PIE DINNER

Friday, November 7th

\$10.00

Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans
Dinner Rolls, Apple Crumb Pie from
Skiles Bakery

FRIDAY NIGHT ENTERTAINMENT

November 7th
Vintage 3

November 14th
Amanda Livingston

November 28th
Tom Everhart

VETERAN'S DAY

Tuesday, November 11th

Parade 11:00 A.M.

& Also

BEAN DAY

Serving Bean Soup

After Parade till 2:00 P.M.



SUNDAY BREAKFAST

November 23rd

(4th Sunday of the Month)

From 8:00 - 11:30 A.M. All-You-Can-Eat

Sunday morning breakfast will be available the fourth Sunday of the month, starting October 26th. **The cost will be \$10.00 per Adult and \$5.00 for kids (ages 10 and under).** All drinks are furnished with breakfast.

SERVING: Eggs to Order, Plain Scrambled, Southwestern Scrambled, Bacon, Sausage Patties, Fried Potatoes, Sausage Gravy with Biscuits, Omelets to order, Pancakes, Waffles, Toast and Fruit Cocktail.

FISH FRY

Friday, November 14th

5:00 P.M. - Till Out

\$12.00 Per Person

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC

CARRY-OUT AVAILABLE



**THE POST WILL BE CLOSED
THANKSGIVING DAY**



**WELCOME
NEW MEMBER**

Stan James

Commander Ken Wombold	Executive Board Ken Wombold Larry Rammel Will Stacy Richard Grow Lanny Brenner Keith Demman Ted Bruner	Service Officer Jesse Green	Secretary Eddie Grace Young	1st Vice Jim Bradley	Advisor Ken Wombold
1st Vice Richard Grow		Judge Advocate Jesse Green	Chaplain Alison Brand	2nd Vice Graig Thompson	Judge Advocate Ken Wombold
2nd Vice Keith Denman		Children's Welfare Jesse Green	Historian Eddie Grace Young	Adjutant Joe Shumaker	Newsletter Editor Larry Rammel
Finance Will Stacy	House Committee Ken Wombold - Chmn. Jackie Lephart Kent Lephart Pete Zwiesler Alison Brand Greg Brand Ken Carter Craig Thompson Shirley Spurlock Mary Ann Carter Brenda Paul	Auxiliary President Darla Whittaker	Sgt.-At-Arms Toni Wombold	Treasurer Pete Zwiesler	Phone Number 548-7077
Adjutant Larry Rammel		1st Vice Dana Melling	Executive Board Jami Oda Delores Sleppy	Chaplain Kenny Carter	HOURS: Sun. - Thurs. Noon - 11:00 P.M.
Chaplain Andy Melbo		2nd Vice Delores Sleppy	S.A.L. Commander Kent Lephart	Historian	Friday & Saturday Noon - Midnight
Historian Richard E. Martin		Treasurer Peggy Black		Sgts.-At-Arms Tim Klosterman Gary Obringer Greg Brand	
Sgt.-At-Arms Chuck Fitzgerald Ted Bruner					

COMMANDER'S COMMENTS

November and Hamburger Night! We need some volunteers to prepare your Thursday burgers and fries. We need some Post members willing to help with some of our projects and functions. Check this newsletter, sign out front and Facebook.

Remember Veterans' Day on 11/11 @11:00 a.m. There will be a parade on Broadway and Remembrance Ceremony at the Court House again this year. Stop by the Post after for ham and bean soup and corn bread prepared the right way. Remember our Veterans.

A reminder is also needed for our Post Meeting on the 20th. We will be hosting the Darke County Council that evening. We could use a large turnout by the members of Post #140 for that meeting at 7:00 p.m. Please support our Post. Attend the meeting and your burgers and fries are on us.

It is time for membership renewal. Please check the new programs. Any member with 40 or more years continuous membership, WWII Veterans and Korean War Veterans will have their dues paid by the Post.

A special Thank You goes out to Hittle Buick GMC for helping the Honor Guard and Color Guard keep their buses washed and clean. It makes our Post look respectful and is highly appreciated.

We will again be closed Thanksgiving Day, so our people can also enjoy the day with their families.

For GOD and Country.

Ken

ADJUTANT'S NEWS

The 2026 membership cards are in and we are currently processing and mailing out your 2026 cards. Dues for 2026 are **\$47.00**. Members should have received mailings from national for 2026 renewal. You can pay by cash or check at the lounge/bar or by mail. You can also pay online using a credit card at the national website www.mylegion.org. **NOTE:** If you are a **new** member and joining online at the national Post **0888**, please send or bring in your **DD214** to the receiving post you are transferring to.

American Legion Post #140 **PAYS** your yearly membership **Dues** for the following list of Veterans: **Traditional** members with **40 years or more** of continuous Legion membership; **WWII** and **Korean War** Veterans; **Current Active** duty Veterans and **Current** and **Past** Post #140 **Commanders**.

The monthly Post #140 newsletter is also available to view online at the Post's website: **WWW.POST140.ORG**. We also have a stack of newsletters at the Post's bar/lounge area next to the daily sign-up sheets. You can also get the newsletter mailed to your home address if you sign-up for this option. If you have any items you want included in the newsletter or see any corrections that need to be made, let me know.

God Bless America,

Larry Rammel, Adjutant

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EUCHRE TOURNNEY

The next Euchre Tournney is on Saturday, November 8th at 7:00 p.m.

We will be having a 3 table progressive euchre match with each round being 15 minutes. There is a \$1.00 entry fee with \$6.00 going to 1st place. \$4.00 going to the most loners and \$2.00 to last place and we will play "stick the dealer." There is a sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in the hallway by the restrooms.

S.A.L. NEWS

To All Sons of the American Legion Squadron #140, **DUES ARE NOW DUE!!!** They must be paid by December 31st or you have NO ACCESS to the Canteen. **PLEASE PAY ASAP.**

The October S.A.L. Fish Fry was another hit. Next Fish Fry will be on November 14th, come on in and get some DELICIOUS FISH DINNERS. We will skip December and start again on January 9, 2026.

The next S.A.L. Meeting will be on November 11th at 7:00 p.m. All S.A.L. Members are eligible to attend.

We will have The Thundering Third S.A.L. District Meeting here at the Legion on January 25, 2026. More Details will be revealed in next month's newsletter.

For God and Country!!!

Joe Shumaker, S.A.L. Adjutant



Dave Mogle, 1st; Don Rieman, 1st; Tom Bish, 7th; Tom Engelken, 8th; Mike Tinkham, 8th; Julie Helman, 15th; Elaine McMahan, 15th; Tom Mendenhall, (84 years young), 16th; Mendi Burns, 18th; Layla Fullerton, 22nd; Robert Rice, (102 years young), 23rd; Larry O'Dell, 24th; Ron Sprenkel, 25th; Shearl Pitman, 26th; Charlie Chapman, 27th; Waldo Jenkinson, 28th; Doris Miller, 29th; Dave Brewer, (75 years young), 30th; Steve Eldred, 30th.



NOVEMBER AUXILIARY NEWS



I hope everyone is doing well and enjoying the fall weather.

2026 membership cards are in. Please remember to pay your dues if you have not already done so, dues remain to be \$35.

Thank to everyone who helped with the cabbage roll dinner, it takes a team!!

We are always looking for help with all of our dinners and activities.

Kids Christmas Party will be Saturday, December 13th. Sign-up will be November 1st - November 29th, ages 1-10 only, members children/grandchildren.

Nachos will resume in January.

The next meeting will be on Monday, November 10th, at 6:00 p.m.

Please remember to pray for our loved ones who are having medical issues, they could use our support!

Auxiliary President,
Darla Whittaker



For those celebrating anniversaries, may your special day be as wonderful as the day you were married.

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Lowell & Janice House - Nov. 1st - 73 Years
Jim & Mary Brown - Nov. 2nd - 40 Years
Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Byram - Nov. 5th - 48 Years
Mike & Jeannette Best - Nov. 9th - 46 Years
Mr. & Mrs. Jim Wetzel - Nov. 12th - 58 Years
Lanny & Martha Brenner - Nov. 14th - 55 Years
Mr. & Mrs. Harold Shaw - Nov. 23rd - 61 Years
Claude & Ginger Sowry - Nov. 24th - 58 Years
Richard E. & Jackie Martin - Nov. 27th - 56 Years
Jerry & Polly Raike - Nov. 27th - 54 Years

NOTES FROM KIMS KITCHEN

Hi Gang,

Hope everyone is enjoying the sweater weather we are having, because it won't be long till we have to drag out those heavy coats.

The kitchen has been busy and doesn't look like it will be stopping anytime soon.

Our next 1st Friday meal will be Shirley Spurlock's Beef Pot Pie, Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans and Dinner Rolls. The dessert will be Apple Crumb Pie from Skiles Bakery. The date is November 7th, the last day to order is November 4th and the cost is \$10.

Mark your calendars for December 5th, when Toni (I like to call her Marie) Wombold will be the guest chef. She will be preparing Oven Roasted Pork Tenderloin, Roasted Red Potatoes, Corn Casserole and Dirt Cake. The cost is \$12 and the last day to order is December 2nd.

Speaking of food, this is the month that we give thanks. If you know of someone that has no family to visit or a table to sit at, consider inviting them. I once received an invitation and it meant the world to me.

Stay safe and have fun!

Erk Cottrell Post No. 140




AMERICAN LEGION

Greenville, Ohio 45331

325 North Ohio St.



POST 140 CALENDAR FOR NOVEMBER 2025

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
	ALL ENTERTAINMENT STARTS AT 7:00 P.M. & ENDS AT 10:00 P.M.					1
2 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ENDS	3	4  ELECTION DAY	5	6 HAPPY DAY BURGERS & FRIES 5:30 - 8:00 P.M. \$7.00	7 BEEF POT PIE DINNER \$10.00 VINTAGE 3	8 EUCHRE TOURNAMENT 7:00 P.M.
9	10 AUXILIARY MEETING 6:00 P.M.	11  Veterans Day POST OPENS AT 11:00 A.M. BEAN SOUP AT 11:30 A.M. S.A.L. MEETING 7:00 P.M.	12	13 HAPPY DAY BURGERS & FRIES 5:30 - 8:00 P.M. \$7.00	14 S.A.L. FISH FRY 5:00 P.M. - OUT \$12.00 OPEN TO THE PUBLIC AMANDA LIVINGSTON	15
16	17	18 EXECUTIVE BOARD MTG. 7:00 P.M.	19	20 HAPPY DAY BURGERS & FRIES 5:30 - 8:00 P.M. \$7.00 POST & COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING 7:00 P.M.	21	22
23 BREAKFAST 8:00 - 11:30 A.M. \$10.00	24	25	26	27  POST WILL BE CLOSED FOR THANKSGIVING	28 TOM EVERHART	29
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