

AMERICAN LEGION FAMILY NEWSLETTER VT, POST 91



Colchester, VT

Sep Oct 2023

Commanders Corner



Commanders Journey

Dear Brothers and Sisters, this has been an up and down year for the Post.

Downs: The beer cooler, the floor in the ice room, the lawn mower, the fence on the property line to Hillcrest mobile home park, attendance for Thursday night dinners and flooding for many Vermonters.

Ups; We live to see another day, my blood pressure, my faith in God and the love of family and friends.

Post 91 is a great group of people who work hard to make this community, State and Nation a better place to live. Adjutant Dan Landry and I spent last week at the National Convention, Dan on the Legislation Convention Committee and I on the Constitutional Amendments Convention Committee. This is my last out of state Legion Conference which was in Charlotte NC. Cant wait to use my new knowledge to better out Post day to day operation.

For God and Country

Henry Lingo Post Commander

Vietnam Veteran and Friend



Sons of The American Legion



Greetings,

Breakfasts are being offered every Sunday at the Post. The SAL hosts breakfast every 3rd Sunday. Our next breakfast is Sunday, Sep 17, 2023. Come in and join us.

The 2024 membership cards are now in. To renew for 2024 you need to pay the 2023 renewal to keep your years. The current dues for adults are \$30/yr, juniors are \$20/yr. If you renew your 2024 dues prior to 10/1/23 you will be eligible for the Early Bird drawing for a fully paid membership for 2025. Here paid memberships will be provided.

We are continually asking for more member participation at our monthly meetings. These are held at 6:00 pm on the first Wed of the month. Our next meeting is Oct 5, 2023. We had a couple vacant slots for officer: Adjutant and Sgt. At Arms. If you are interested in joining our board, please let me know.

Thank you all for your past and future efforts. We need your participation to stay as efficient as possible and continue to provide the work for our charitable organizations, and the community, as possible. We look forward to your participation in our activities and the Post. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Michael Felber, Commander

Sons of the American Legion, Colchester Squad 91.

Auxiliary



Hello All

Our Auxiliary would like to share some upcoming events that we are looking for volunteers and members to come to, Juniors too!

- Vermont Remembers Run 2023; 9/11 Remembrance Run

Auxiliary Volunteers: Meet at Severance Corner in Colchester at 8:45am on Sunday Sept 10, 2023 to cheer on and hand out water to runners. Race starts at 9:11am, patriotic and Auxiliary branding encouraged!

- Assist and/or play Bingo Sunday Sept 10, 2023 at 2pm at American Legion Post 91 in Colchester.

- Accepting donations of new school supplies for the 'Give 10 to Education' ALA program through the month of September. See collection box at Colchester Post 91, all material will be distributed locally.

- Come help with a Junior Bingo and Ice Cream Social at Josh's House October 14, 2023 1pm. Also please share with any Auxiliary or SAL Juniors that want to be play and dine! Held at Josh's House, 162 Hegeman Ave, Colchester.

- Children's Halloween Party Oct 22, 2023- come help set up, play games and have a spooktacular time! Sign ups for both volunteers and children attending are required in advance and will be available in October at Post 91. Sign up sheet will be up September 1, 2023

2024 Auxiliary Dues can now be paid. This year due to the increase at national and dept. Dues are \$40.00 for SR and \$5 for JR. Our Early Bird incentive for paying dues by October 1, 2023 this year will make you eligible for a free membership drawing to be done at the close of our October meeting on Wednesday Oct. 18. Hope you can join us. You can pay online, drop it off to Post 91, or mail it to 8 South St, Colchester, VT 05446.

Thank you so much, Bee well!

~Danielle Many

ALA Colchester Unit 91 President

ALA Dept of VT Membership Chair

Junior Auxiliary Activity
Bingo/ Ice Cream Social
At Josh's House

162 Hegeman Ave, Colchester VT

October 14, 2023 @ 1pm

**We would like to ask Junior's & Auxiliary
Members to Help with Bingo and Ice Cream.**

**We Are Looking For Units To Help Donate
Bingo Prizes and Toppings.**

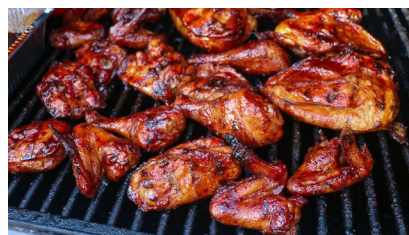
If You Have Question Contact
Rebecca Moricette Jr Activity Chairman
802-377-0231



Thursday evening dinners

Thursday dinner will be on the first Thursday of the Month

BBQ Half Chicken for Sep



Sunday Breakfast

Breakfast is served each Sunday morning from 9:00 to 11:30

Volunteers from each Legion Family are responsible for breakfast each week

1st Sunday - The Auxiliary

2nd Sunday - Legionnaires

3rd Sunday - The Sons

4th Sunday - The Color Guard

5th Sunday - Legion Family



Lunch served Monday through Friday 11:30 to 1:30

Pub Food Fridays 4:30 to 6:00



Public Welcome

Hours of operation Mon.—Fri 11:00am-7:00pm Fri.—Sat 11:00—8:00 Sun 9:00am—7:00pm

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Kitchen and waitress staffs for Sunday breakfast and Thursday dinners are all volunteers. Please be patient, respectful and appreciative of the service they provide for the club and patrons