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From the Commander:

Greetings All,

The New Year is upon us and we look forward to another great year for the Post. Everyone's hard work in providing community service, assistance to other Veterans and participation in numerous events, shows our community your dedication to "Still Serving" and wanting to help others.

The Post has many events planned for 2023. This spring we will have our Annual Awards Dinner honoring our Voice of Democracy, Patriot's Pen, Teachers, Gold Medal Awardee's, Scout and Auxiliary Art winners. Our Spring Carnival will be in May and we will need everyone's help to make it a great success. We will hold our annual Shepard's Cove Hospice Memorial and Memorial Day Ceremonies. In the fall our 65th Annual Marshall County Fair kicks off in September, Harvest Festival in October and our annual Veteran's Day ceremony in November. We will host several car shows this summer.

Thank you for making Jimmy Harris VFW Post 6837 the top Veterans Organization in Marshall County for 2022!!

Happy New Year!!

In Comradeship,

John Tuck
Post Commander
Jimmy Harris Post 6837

From the Auxiliary President:

Greetings to the Auxiliary,

I hope each of had a wonderful holiday, I am excited for all of us! Last month was a busy month for us but it will start to slow down now. Next up we have the Mid-Winter Conference starting January 19, 2023 and our banquet theme is “Kentucky Derby.”

Start thinking about how you can better the VFW and Auxiliary this year. It may be something as simple as a smile or maybe a hug, just remember to treat everyone the way you want to be treated.

Happy New Year and may 2023 be the best year yet!

Love You All,

Christie Tuck
Auxiliary President

Welcome to New Member

James “Walter” Baker



VA Benefit Payment Rates Increase

The Cost-of-Living Adjustment (COLA) for VA disability compensation benefits program has an 8.7% increase for calendar year 2023.

You should have noticed an increase in your monthly payments, starting on 1 January 2023. This increase will impact your disability benefits, clothing allowance, Dependency and Indemnity Compensation (DIC), as well as other VA assistance programs. If you do not see any difference in your amount, you should contact our VA Regional Office in Montgomery, Alabama at (800) 827-1000.

If you have questions about applying for VA benefits in general or appealing a VA decision, reach out to the Post Service Officer or an accredited VA Representative.

Source: Veterans Benefits Administration, U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs email.

Mid-Winter Conference

19-22 January 2023

Embassy Suites, Montgomery, AL

Banquet Theme
“Kentucky Derby”



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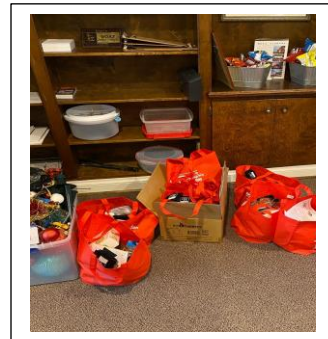
Have them sign-up on
our Website.



Jimmy Harris VFW Post 6837 float won 2nd Place this year in the Boaz Christmas Parade, December, 2 2022. Post received a \$100 check.



Helping CASA of Marshall County Distribute Food to citizens needing a hand up at Christmas!!



Wreath Laying with Mountain Lakes Civil Air Patrol Squadron 135



Veteran Links

<https://ask.va.gov/>

<https://www.veteranscrisisline.net>

<https://www.ptsd.va.gov>

<https://tricare.mil/prime>

<http://www.va.gov/health-care>

<http://www.myhealth.va.gov>

<https://www.benefits.va.gov>

<https://www.mentalhealth.va.gov>

<https://www.va.gov/jobs>

<https://www.fedshirevets.gov>

<https://www.va.gov/vaforms>

<http://www.va.gov/health-care/get-reimbursed-for-travel-pay>

www.va.gov/records/get-military-service-records

<https://www.va.gov/resources>

<https://www.va.gov/find-locations>

