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From the Commander:

Greetings All,

Happy Thanksgiving!!!

The month of November will not be as busy as September and October, but we have many important functions taking place and we will need all hands-on deck to make every one of them a great success. On November 10, 2023, we will have a Buddy Poppy Drive at Rural King from 8am to 2 pm. Our Annual Veteran's Day Ceremony will be at our Post Headquarters at 11:00 a.m. and Colonel West Whitmire will be our Guest Speaker. The City of Boaz is providing lunch to all Veterans and the public who attend this year. We thank them for their sponsorship and donations for the meal again this year.

The Albertville Thanksgiving and Christmas Parade will be November 16, 2023 and December 1, 2023 will be the Boaz Christmas Parade. On December 5, 2023 we will hold our Annual Christmas Dinner at Top O' River at 6:00 p.m.

In Comradeship,

John Tuck
Post Commander
Jimmy Harris Post 6837

From the Auxiliary President:

Greetings to the Auxiliary,

With the holidays just around the corner, I would like to take the time to let each of you know how thankful I am for you. Without every member in our organization, we would be nothing. I am extremely thankful for all that you do. Keep shining like the superstars you are!

October was a fun filled month. We partnered with our VFW Post, gave out lots of candy at the Monster Mash and this year we were asked back to host the Floyd E. "Tut" Fann October Birthday party. We had another spooky good time, as did the residents.

Don't forget to come out to the Post Headquarters for our Veterans Day Ceremony, November 11, 2023 at 11:00 a.m.
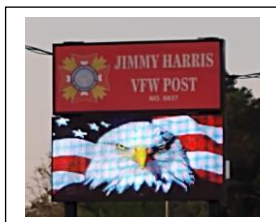
Christmas is approaching and the Post Christmas dinner is December 5, 2023 at Top O' River at 6pm. Also, we will be planning our annual shopping trip for the Veterans in our local nursing homes. I would love to see a big turnout on delivery day.

Happy Thanksgiving and may your holidays be filled with love, fun and family.

I love you all,

Christie Tuck
Auxiliary President

WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS

Wesley Rhoades
Mason Hardy
William Perry
Jeremiah Fulenchek
Kenneth Edwards
Phillip Dooley
Charles Thornton
Christopher Oliver
Mark Orth

DONATION TO BOAZ PUBLIC LIBRARY - $200

HAPPY BIRTHDAY U.S. MARINE CORPS

On 10 November 1775, the Second Continental Congress established the Continental Marines by authorizing the formation of two battalions. Tun Tavern in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania is regarded as the birthplace of the Marine Corps. On 1 November 1921, the 13th Commandant, Major General Lejeune issued Marine Corps Order No. 47, Series 1921. This message left its mark in the hearts and minds of all Marines and is read every 10 November to all commands. Traditionally, the first piece of cake is presented to the oldest Marine present and the second piece to the youngest Marine present.

CALLING THE GUNTERSVILLE VA CLINIC

If you are calling the Guntersville VA Clinic. The following will help get you in touch with a Representative faster.

Call (256) 582-4033 and press "0"

Jimmy Harris VFW Post 6837

Telephone
(256) 593-9470

Website
vfw6837.org

Email
vfwboaz@gmail.com

Facebook
Jimmy Harris VFW Post 6837

Twitter
@Post6837

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@jimmyharrisvfwpost

Know a Member Expiring
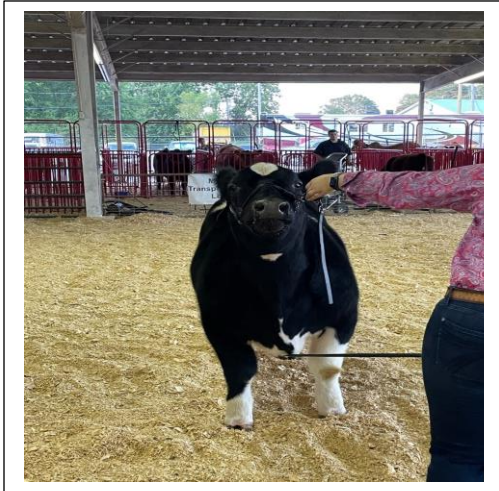
Have them sign-up on our Website.

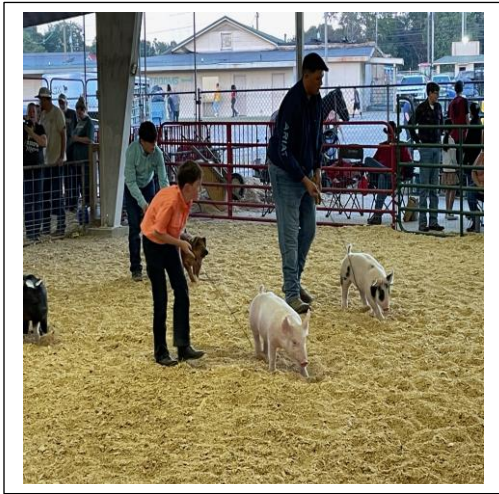# MARSHALL COUNTY FAIR – 4H/FFA/STUDENT GOAT SHOW
19 SEPTEMBER 2023

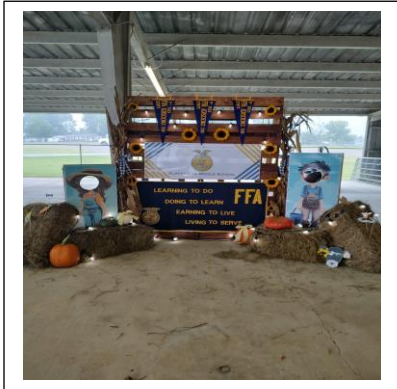# MARSHALL COUNTY FAIR – 4H/FFA/STUDENT LAMB SHOW
20 SEPTEMBER 2023

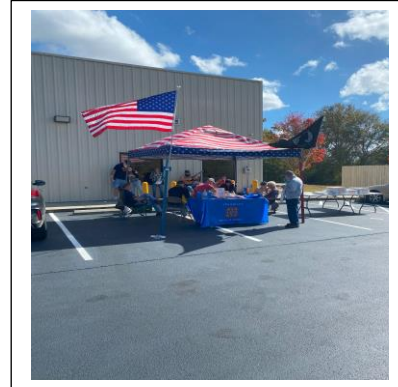# MARSHALL COUNTY FAIR – 4H/FFA/STUDENT CATTLE SHOW
21 SEPTEMBER 2023

MARSHALL COUNTY FAIR – 4H/FFA/STUDENT HOG SHOW
21 SEPTEMBER 2023

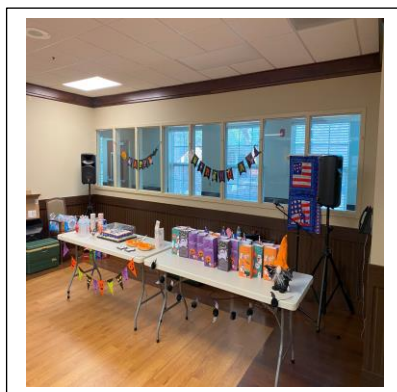# MARSHALL COUNTY FALL FAIR 2023

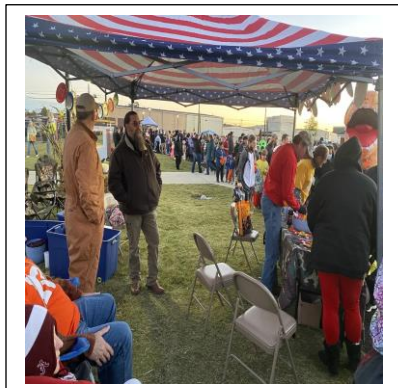# BOAZ HARVEST FESTIVAL 6-7 OCTOBER 2023

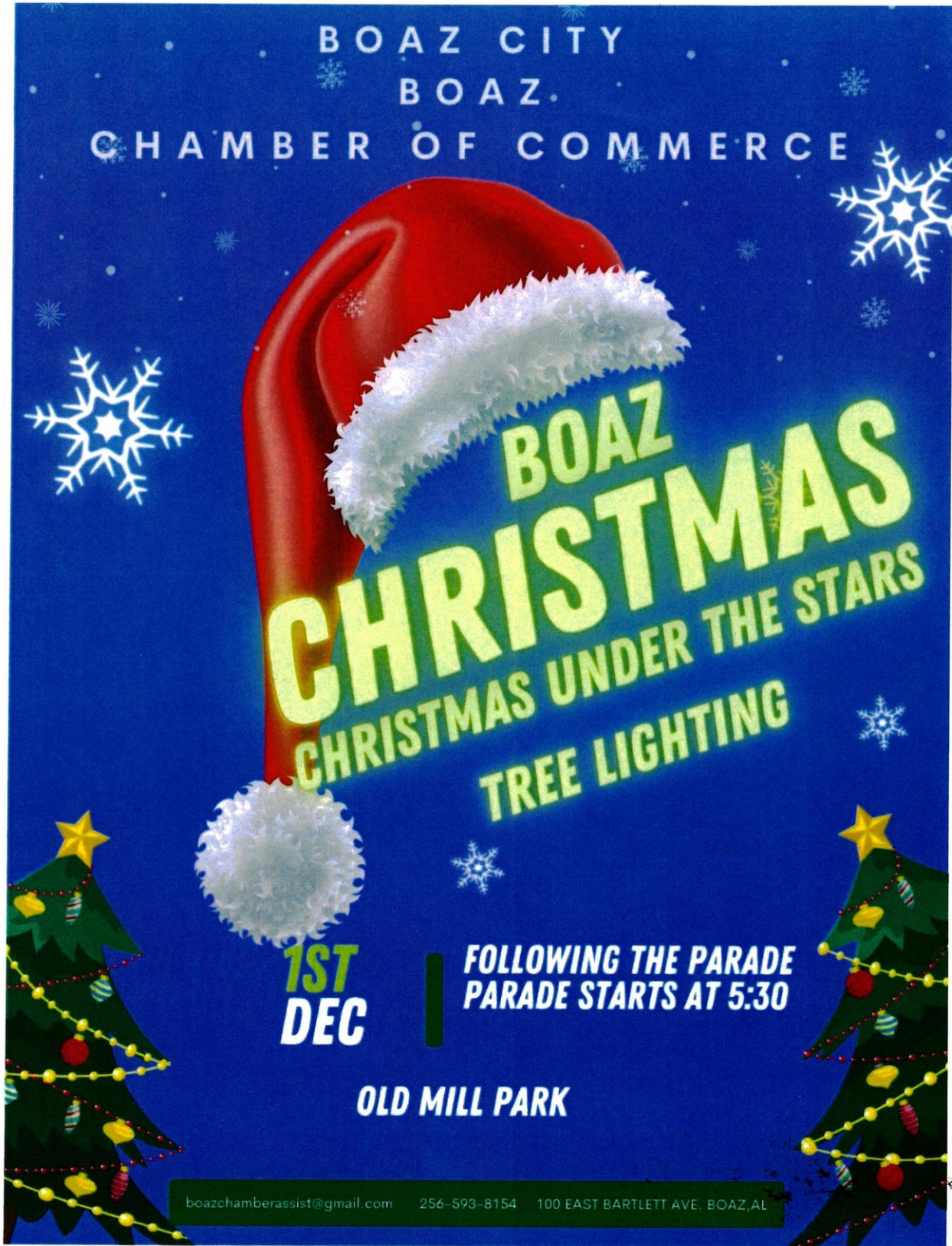# GUNTERSVILLE VA CLINIC FLU FAIR – 26 OCTOBER 2023

FLOYD E. 'TUT' FANN VETERAN HOME BIRTHDAY PARTY
27 OCTOBER 2023

MONSTER MASH (OLD MILL PARK – BOAZ) - 31 OCTOBER 2023

BOAZ CITY
BOAZ
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

BOAZ CHRISTMAS
CHRISTMAS UNDER THE STARS
TREE LIGHTING

1ST DEC

FOLLOWING THE PARADE
PARADE STARTS AT 5:30

OLD MILL PARK

boazchamberassist@gmail.com   256-593-8154   100 EAST BARTLETT AVE. BOAZ, AL

Christmas Tree FESTIVAL

100% OF PROCEEDS DONATED

CHRISTMAS COALITION

CAJA

MIRACLE LEAGUE

SET UP BEGINS
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1ST, 2023

VENUE:
BOAZ PARK & REC CONFERENCE ROOMS
400 ELIZABETH STREET
BOAZ, AL 35957

ORGANIZED BY:
PARALLEL 33
BOAZ PARK & REC
BOAZ AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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Tinsel Tree Trail

OLD MILL PARK

CATEGORIES:
- Most original
- Most traditonal
- Most kid friendly
- Most creative

SPONSORED BY

REQUIREMENTS:

All trees must be 6-7ft tall or taller, led, trees can be live or artifical, must have lights & weather friendly decorations(no paper, glass or porcelain). Trees will have to be tied down, and needs a "sponsored by" sign. Trees can be set up starting NOVEMBER 8th. Trees must be removed from the park by JANUARY 1st.

BUSINESS/CHURCH:_____

CATEGORY:_____

CONTACT PERSON:_____

PHONE NUMBER:_____

Forms need to be delivered or mailed to:

Boaz Chamber of Commerce

100 East Bartlett Ave.

Boaz, Al 35957

For more Info: boazchamberassist@gmail.com

(256)-593-8154

VETERANS of FOREIGN WARS
Department of Alabama
ALL- AMERICAN CLUB

The ALL- AMERICAN CLUB will be raffling off a Lever Action Henry Rifle for Life Members who will take the challenge.

All those who are a Life Member, if you choose to go to Legacy Life, Bronze, Silver or Gold, and get the proof to the Department Quartermaster, the first 100 members will be eligible for the drawing.
If you are a Bronze or Silver Legacy Life Member, and you move your membership up to the next level, you are also eligible.

Again, the first 100 members to take this challenge, the All - American Club will hold the drawing at the next conference or Convention when the 100th Member is entered the contest.

Email your Legacy Life Membership upgrade reciept to
leelambert53@yahoo.com
To be entered into the drawing.

Helpful 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

Veterans Crisis Line
DIAL 988 then PRESS ❶

VA Inspector General Hotline (53H),
810 Vermont Ave NW,
Washington, DC 20420
www.va.gov/oig/hotline
Fax: 202.495.5861
800.488.8244
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REPORT WRONGDOING

\\VFW
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