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From the Commander:

Greetings All,

The summer has been busy for the Post. Department of Alabama VFW School of Instruction was held 17-20 August 2023, in Montgomery, Alabama. We attended the Marshall County Sheriff Reserve Car Show at Guntersville Lake in June, we hosted the Red Knights Fundraiser for St. Jude Hospital in June, we attended the River Run Annual Car Show on 26 August 2023, where we held another Recruiting and Buddy Poppy event to raise money for the Post Relief Fund. We hosted R.O.S.S Recovery on the Mountain on 2 September 2023 at the Post for their annual event.

The month of September will be just as busy. We will need all "Hands On Deck" to help with the Marshall County Fair, 19-23 September 2023. The Livestock shows start on 19 September and continue through 23 September. This year we will host Goat, Lamb, Heifer, Steer and Hog shows in the Barn and all shows start at 6pm. On 16 September, I and Quartermaster Dave Dunn will participate in the POW/MIA Ceremony at the State Capital Building in Montgomery.

We are in full swing of getting nominations for Voice of Democracy, Patriot's Pen, and Teacher of the Year. These nominations have a deadline of 31 October 2023. Gold Medal Award nominees for Law Enforcement, Firefighter, EMT and Dispatcher of the Year have a deadline of 15 December 2023. If you know someone worthy of these awards, please contact Junior Vice Commander, Bruce Forman, jvicevfw6837@gmail.com.

In Comradeship,
John Tuck
Post Commander
Jimmy Harris Post VFW 6837

From the Auxiliary President:

Summer is almost over, as much as I love it, I am ready for Fall! Football and cooler weather in the south, can't get much better than that! I am looking forward to our holiday activities.

Starting off with our Silent Auction at the Fall Fair.

We have the Harvest Festival Oct 6th and 7th for our membership drive. October Tut Fann birthday party is October 27th. District 2 Ice Cream Social is October 28th from 2p-4p at our Post.

Then it's time for the Monster Mash, one of my favorite things to do. I need ideas for our booth this year.

I am looking forward to working with the VFW side and making the holidays special for some of our Veterans.

Love you all,

Christie Tuck
Auxiliary President

WELCOME TO ALL OUR NEW MEMBERS

DOUG ALVERSON

MICHAEL WINDSOR

ALLEN BISHOP

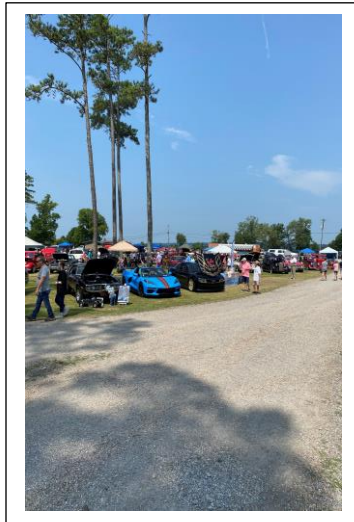
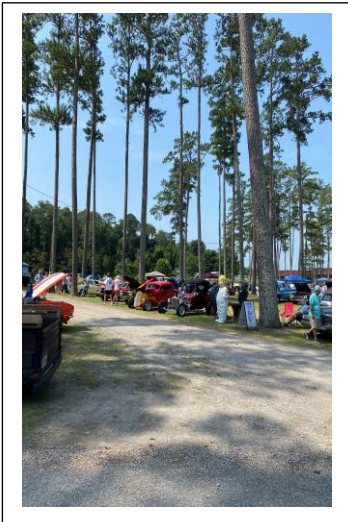
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Marshall County Sheriff Reserve Car Show



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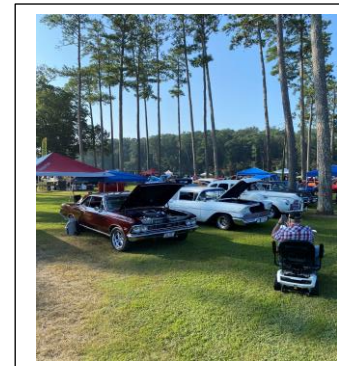
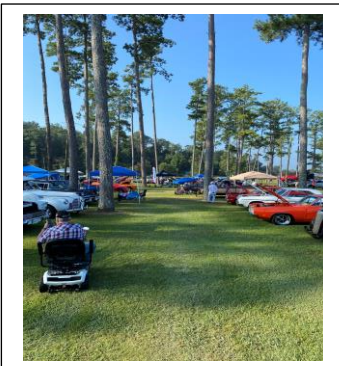
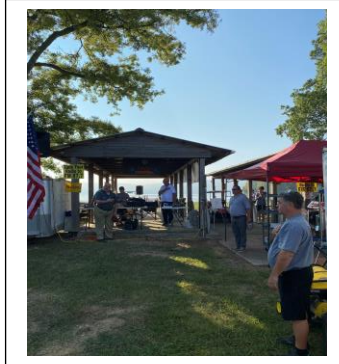
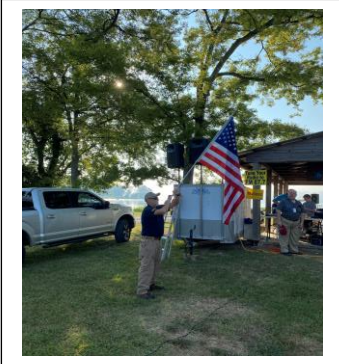
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Red Knights Fundraiser - St. Jude Hospital



River Run Car Show



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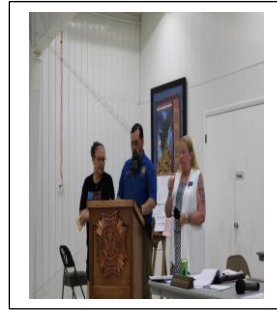
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Women's Armed Services Integration Act - 12 June 1948



Army Birthday

14 June 1775

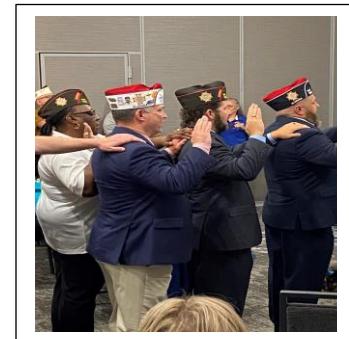


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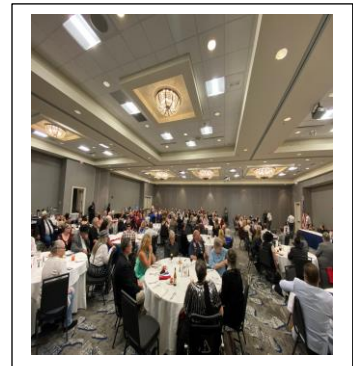
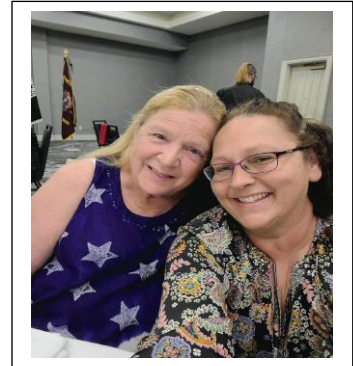
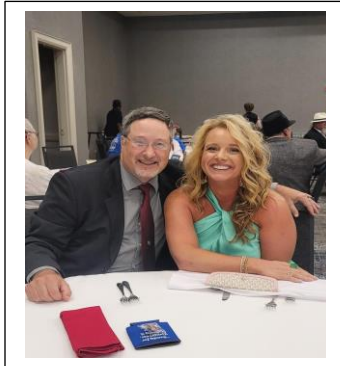
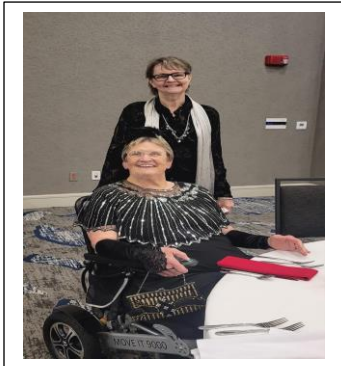
4 August 1790



Department Convention

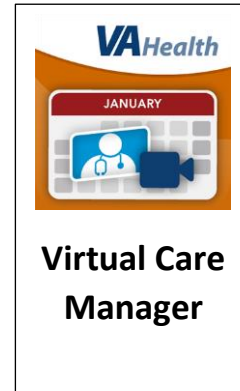
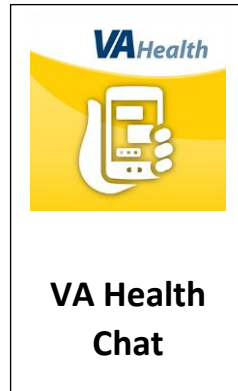
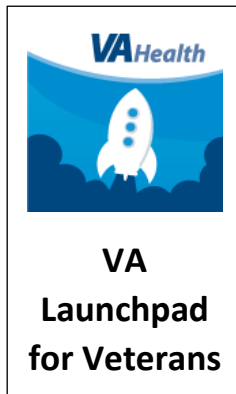
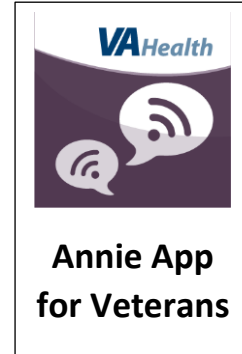


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These Apps and many more are offered by the Department of Veterans Affairs and can be found through your iPhone or Android stores.



Source: VA.org

VFW
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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 receipt to leelambert53@yahoo.com
To be entered into the drawing.



BOAZ 59th



Annual



Harvest Festival

OCTOBER

**FRIDAY
SATURDAY**

6 & 7

**STARTS
8:00 A.M.**

We are FULL on:

Electric

Boutique's

Tumblers/T-Shirts

Scentsy

Sweets

Paparazzi

Food Trucks

Freshie's

Freeze Dried Candy



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<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

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