

Sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars Department of Connecticut and its Auxiliary



LAST CALL

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Our Special Guest for the Dinner will be National Inspector General Duane Sarmiento

Voice of Democracy & Patriot's Pen Annual Awards Dinner

SUNDAY - JANUARY 12, 2020, Starts Promptly At 12:45pm

IN THE GRAND BALLROOM OF THE ROCKY HILL SHERATON HOTEL CAPITAL BLVD - ROCKY HILL, CONNECTICUT

\$20.00 per person

The winners of the 49th Annual State Voice of Democracy and Youth Essay and Teacher of the Year Programs will be announced at this Dinner. We need your cooperation to make this a Huge Success. Please make checks payable to THE DEPT. OF CT VFW or just VFW and mail with the reservation form below to: RICH DIFEDERICO, CHAIRMAN - P.O. BOX 429 - ROCKY HILL, CONNECTICUT 06067

Buffett Menu

*Plated (pre-set) Caesar Salad - Roast Sirloin of Beef with Homemade Brown Gravy
Traditional Mashed Potatoes - Roasted Carrots - Rolls - Butter - Coffee - Tea - VEGGIE and GLUTIN Free meals available Desert - Tiramisu*

Please send me _____ Tickets to the Voice of Democracy and Patriot's Pen Awards Dinner

NAME: _____ STREET: _____ TOWN: _____

ZIP _____ CHECK/MONEY ORDER IN THE AMOUNT OF \$ _____ IS ENCLOSED.

I Need a VEGGIE meal _____ I Need A GLUTIN free meal _____

Deadline for tickets is Wednesday January 9, 2020



NO ONE DOES MORE FOR VETERANS.

VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS OF THE UNITED STATES

DEPARTMENT OF CONNECTICUT

BUDDY POPPY ORDER FORM



Date: _____
Post / AUX Name: _____ Post #: _____ City: _____
Name order is shipping to: _____
Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____
Zip Code: _____ Contact Phone #: _____

PLEASE BE ACCURATE: LIST NAME AND ADDRESS WHERE SUPPLIES CAN BE DELIVERED DURING THE DAY AND PLEASE BE SURE TO GIVE A STREET ADDRESS.

DATE OF DRIVE:

IT IS IMPORTANT THAT THE DATE IS FILLED IN. IT HELPS TO SPEED-UP DELIVERY OF YOUR ORDER.

Table with 3 columns: Item Name, Price, and blank space. Items include BUDDY POPPIES (Per Thousand) at \$133.00 Per, COIN CONTAINERS (Minimum order of 10 cans) at NEW PRICE \$35.00 Per Box, and VOLUNTEER BUTTONS (Box of 25 Buttons) at \$12.00 Per Box.

PLEASE WAIT TO BE BILLED BEFORE SENDING CHECK TO DEPARTMENT!

Name Ordering: _____ Post # _____ Membership Card Number : _____

PLEASE NOTE: Supplies and Poppies are shipped to the person listed above, and it is IMPERATIVE that a STREET ADDRESS BE GIVEN FOR DELIVERY. Most Poppy and Coin Container orders will be shipped via UPS, however for other items and some small poppy orders will be shipped via parcel Post. A Statement will be sent to the Post Quartermaster and will include the cost of supplies, plus shipping and handling as billed to Department Headquarters.

Order form to be emailed to: spct@vfw.necoxmail.com or mailed to: VFW Buddy Poppy or Call 860-616-2365
P.O. Box 429
Rocky Hill, CT 06067

ORDER 6 MONTHS BEFORE DRIVE
TO GUARANTEE DELIVERY!



TO: All Members
FROM: David Greene, State Commander
RE: Council of Administration Meeting

The Third scheduled Department Council of Administration Meeting of the 2019 - 2020 VFW year, will be held on MONDAY - JANUARY 27, 2020 at 7:00pm.

The meeting will be held at the Old Saybrook VFW Post 10153 at 315 Essex Rd, Old Saybrook, CT. Phone No: (860) 388-1155.

All Post Commanders are invited to attend this meeting **and bring any Post Officer or Member** who may wish to attend. Every VFW Member is welcome.

If any State Officer, District Commander or State Chairman is unable to attend this meeting, please notify the State Adjutant at Department Headquarters at: (860) 616-2363

Food will be available prior to the meeting starting at 6:00 pm.

Dress is Khaki pants and the State Commanders shirt, or casual 3 button down sport shirt and VFW cap.

Looking forward to seeing you on the 27th of January, 2020.

David Greene

State Commander

OFFICIAL: For the Commander

Ronald (Rusko) Rusakiewicz

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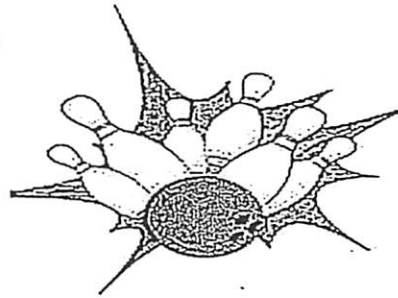
UNSWERING SUPPORT



FOR UNCOMMON HEROES

5th Annual
Department of Connecticut
American Legion & Veterans of Foreign Wars Families'
Bowling Tournament

WE HAVE TO WHIP THEM AND
GET THE TROPHY BACK TO THE VFW!!!



PUT IT ON YOUR CALANDAR
A REAL FUN DAY!!!

Sunday April 26, 2020, 1pm - Practice begins 1:15pm
Bowl-O-Rama
2143 Berlin Turnpike
Newington, CT

Open to all American Legion Family & VFW Family members and friends.

We ask that each Team provide a prize for the Raffle Table.

If you want to Bowl but don't have a Team, sign-up anyway, we will make room for you!

Maximum number of lanes reserved is 28.

\$20.00 per person, Includes shoe rental, 3 Games of Bowling and Pizza

Please return this portion with the Names in the order you will be bowling, by April 20, 2020.

Mail Checks Payable to: "American Legion Dept. of CT"

The American Legion, Dept. of Connecticut

864 Wethersfield Avenue

Hartford, CT 06114

Team Name

Check#

Table with 4 columns: Name, Post/Unit, District, Contact Information. Rows 1-4.



VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS. DEPARTMENT OF CONNECTICUT

POST / AUXILIARY HOSPITAL CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Date of Visit: _____ Post Number: _____ District Number _____

Street: _____ City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Hospital Name: _____ City: _____

Nursing Home Name: _____ City: _____

VFW Members Attending: _____ Auxiliary Members Attending: _____

Number of Hours Volunteered: _____ Monies Spent: _____

Number of Patients _____ Total number of miles Driven: _____

NAME AND TITLE OF VISIT CHAIRPERSON: _____

NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON SUBMITTING REPORT: _____

CONTACT INFO (E-MAIL OR PHONE): _____

Type of Entertainment: (Band, Bingo, Games, Playing Cards or other type)

Mail or e-mail to : Louis A. Carillo, State Surgeon

louiscarillo123@gmail.com

38 Old Middletown Ave. East Hampton, CT 06424-1827

For proper Credit, also report this information on your Department Program Report"

STATE COMMANDER DAVE GREENE

12/31/2019

DIV 1 2 POSTS						DIV 5 11 POSTS							
D#	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-		D#	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-			
7330	OAKVILLE	5	625	543	86.88	-82	5849	NIANTIC	4	83	85	102.41%	2
9460	STRATFORD	1	402	346	86.07%	-56	10688	CANTERBURY	4	79	78	98.73%	-1
<u>DIV 2 12 POSTS</u>						<u>DIV 6 21 POSTS</u>							
D#	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-		D#	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-			
1724	WILLIMANTIC	4	224	209	93.30%	-15	10689	ELLINGTON	3	94	80	85.11%	-14
1265	PAWCATUCK	4	205	180	87.80%	-25	2650	DANIELSON	4	76	64	84.21%	-12
10004	JEWETT CITY	4	295	258	87.46%	-37	8075	PROSPECT	2	93	78	83.87%	-15
5095	EAST HAMPTON	6	202	175	86.63%	-27	2096	MADISON	2	77	59	76.62%	-18
511	NEW BRITAIN	3	201	169	84.08%	-32	9918	CLINTON	6	78	59	75.64%	-19
9929	WEST HARTFORD	3	224	184	82.14%	-40	7666	GUILFORD	2	100	71	71.00%	-29
7788	DEVON	2	251	206	82.07%	-45	12106	BRANFORD	2	91	57	62.64%	-34
591	WALLINGFORD	2	234	190	81.20%	-44	603	NORWALK	1	97	54	55.67%	-43
1672	NEW MILFORD	5	220	177	80.45%	-43							
149	DANBURY	1	278	219	78.78%	-59							
1946	NAUGATUCK	2	272	205	75.37%	-67							
201	WATERBURY	2	208	146	70.19%	-62							
<u>DIV 3 11 POSTS</u>						<u>DIV 4 11 POSTS</u>							
D#	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-		D#	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-			
6123	WINDSOR LOCKS	3	166	153	92.17%	-13	189	NEW LONDON	4	122	112	91.80%	-10
10060	MONTVILLE	4	187	172	91.98%	-15	574	PLAINVILLE	3	185	121	89.63%	-14
2046	MANCHESTER	3	196	180	91.84%	-16	1979	WOLCOTT	2	150	134	89.33%	-16
6851	CANAAN	5	188	153	91.07%	-15	2083	EAST HARTFORD	3	106	94	88.68%	-12
3263	MYSTIC	4	197	177	89.85%	-20	6933	NOROTON HEIGHTS	1	188	121	87.68%	-17
5446	PLAINFIELD	4	173	151	87.28%	-22	10732	BERLIN	3	120	103	85.83%	-17
2138	ROCKY HILL	3	157	123	78.34%	-34	296	WINSTED	5	131	111	84.73%	-20
9452	PRESTON	4	192	148	77.08%	-44	1523	PUTNAM	4	139	117	84.17%	-22
9965	YALESVILLE	2	186	143	76.88%	-43	308	NEWTOWN	1	124	104	83.87%	-20
10153	OLD SAYBROOK	6	174	128	73.56%	-46	5157	WATERTOWN	5	115	95	82.61%	-20
399	WESTPORT	1	187	130	69.52%	-57	3272	AVON	3	127	99	77.95%	-28
						<u>DIV 5 11 POSTS</u>							
D#	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-		D#	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-			
1467	OLD LYME	4	75	69	92.00%	-6	5849	NIANTIC	4	83	85	102.41%	2
254	HARTFORD	3	59	54	91.53%	-5	10688	CANTERBURY	4	79	78	98.73%	-1
1607	SOUTHBURY	2	51	45	88.24%	-6	6573	WATERFORD	4	86	75	87.21%	-11
7790	WATERBURY	2	67	59	88.06%	-8	10689	ELLINGTON	3	94	80	85.11%	-14
10059	TRUMBULL	1	72	63	87.50%	-9	2650	DANIELSON	4	76	64	84.21%	-12
9422	WEST HAVEN	2	53	46	86.79%	-7	8075	PROSPECT	2	93	78	83.87%	-15
10201	BROOKFIELD	1	52	44	84.62%	-8	2096	MADISON	2	77	59	76.62%	-18
653	NEW CANAAN	1	68	57	83.82%	-11	9918	CLINTON	6	78	59	75.64%	-19
12084	SEYMOUR	2	55	44	80.00%	-11	7666	GUILFORD	2	100	71	71.00%	-29
4740	WINDSOR	3	71	55	77.46%	-16	12106	BRANFORD	2	91	57	62.64%	-34
9427	FAIRFIELD	1	60	46	76.67%	-14	603	NORWALK	1	97	54	55.67%	-43
597	ANSONIA	2	55	42	76.36%	-13							
9617	STAMFORD	1	71	54	76.06%	-17							
10088	THOMPSON	4	66	50	75.76%	-16							
4908	EAST KILLINGLY	4	73	55	75.34%	-18							
10052	CHESHIRE	2	53	39	73.58%	-14							
10321	HAMDEN	2	64	46	71.88%	-18							
1926	SIMSBURY	3	59	42	71.19%	-17							
9990	STAFFORD SPRINGS	3	56	36	64.29%	-20							
9544	SUFFIELD	3	62	39	62.90%	-23							
10361	FARMINGTON	3	59	35	59.32%	-24							

DIV 7 15 POSTS						DIV 8 9 POSTS					
	D#	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-		D#	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-
4608 LEDYARD	4	47	47	100.00%	0	9243 LAKEVILLE	5	19	22	115.79%	3
10690 HIGGANUM	6	38	36	94.74%	-2	2774 SALEM	4	35	37	105.71%	2
583 MIDDLETOWN	6	49	45	91.84%	-4	938 WEST WILLINGTON	3	26	26	100.00%	0
8776 HEBRON	3	50	45	90.00%	-5	572 THOMASTON	5	27	26	96.30%	-1
10362 MIDDLEFIELD	2	49	43	87.76%	-6	3052 RIDGEFIELD	1	16	15	93.75%	-1
10112 COS COB	1	40	35	87.50%	-5	6990 COLCHESTER	4	26	23	88.46%	-3
10466 SHELTON	1	38	33	86.84%	-5	10169 DURHAM	6	20	14	70.00%	-6
3336 EAST HADDAM	6	45	38	84.44%	-7	10589 COVENTRY	3	33	22	66.67%	-11
1840 MIDDLETOWN	6	38	32	84.21%	-6	1009 BLOOMFIELD	3	25	15	60.00%	-10
6726 ESSEX	6	41	34	82.93%	-7						
10273 BRIDGEPORT	1	43	35	81.40%	-8						
9836 NEWINGTON	3	46	37	80.43%	-9						
10251 SOUTH WINDSOR	3	45	36	80.00%	-9						
6121 PORTLAND	6	44	35	79.55%	-9						
2212 TAFTVILLE	4	46	36	78.26%	-10						

COMPARATIVE FIGURES

	9/30/19	10/12/20	
LIFE	8271	8322	
NEW	170	116	
REINSTATES	396	47	
<u>CONTINUOUS</u>	<u>3566</u>	<u>1849</u>	
TOTALS	12403	10334	83.32%

DEPARTMENT AT LARGE					
15007	HARTFORD	99	1762	1484	84.22% -278

DISTRICT #	2019	2020	% NOW	+/-
DISTRICT 4	2616	2321	88.72%	-295
DISTRICT 5	1305	1127	86.36%	-178
DISTRICT 3	2117	1748	82.57%	-369
DISTRICT 6	778	639	82.13%	-139
DISTRICT 1	1686	1356	80.43%	-330
DISTRICT 2	2139	1670	78.07%	-469
<u>AT LARGE</u>	<u>1762</u>	<u>1484</u>	<u>84.22%</u>	<u>-278</u>
TOTALS	12403	10345	83.41%	-2058

DISTRICT COMMANDER OF THE MONTH

Sherry A Wozniak, Post 5446

DIVISION COMMANDER OF THE MONTH

DIV 1	PAUL WOZNAK	7330	OAKVILLE
DIV 2	CHRISTOPHER PAULHUS	1724	WILLIMANTIC
DIV 3	ROGER PEARL	6123	WINDSOR LOCKS
DIV 4	CHARLES STARRATT	189	NEW LONDON
DIV 5	ROBERT FARRIOR	5849	NIANTIC
DIV 6	DAVID GRISWOLD	1467	OLD LYME
DIV 7	KENNETH TRACY	4608	LEDYARD
DIV 8	CHRISTOPHER OHMEN	9243	LAKEVILLE