

Ray H. Fuller DAV Chapter 17

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The commander sez:

When you receive this message our final fund-raising raffle will be behind us and we will be looking forward to Thanksgiving, hunting, and our Christmas party. We will report to our membership on the success of our raffle at our next meeting. Hope to see you there. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all.

SALVATION ARMY BELL RINGING

The ringing of the bells for the Salvaton Army will be December 10th and we still need some volunteers for 5 to 8 p.m. Please call Sonny Ramminger if you can help out. His phone number is 233-4908 or 420-9337. Thanks to all who already signed up.

CHAPTER/AUXILLIARY CHRISTMAS PARTY

We will have a sign-up sheet for whomever would like to come to the Chapter/Auxilliary Christmas party on December 8th. There will be door prizes and a lot of camaraderie. If unable to attend the meeting but would still like to go to the party contact George Gilles at 426-4152 or 379-0628, or Rosemarie Pitz at 235-3713 or 410-0035. Social hour is at 5:00 p.m. and dinner at 6:00 p.m. We need to know the total attending by December 1st. Cost will be \$15.00 per person and we will have Broasted Chicken and Baked Ham. Please send check when making reservations.

SICKNESS AND DISTRESS

We had one comrade by the name of John H. Randolph who passed away on October 8th, Rosemarie Pitz was hospitalized on November 3rd and had surgery on November 7th, hope she gets well soon. Sonny had his knee scoped on November 10th and we wish him well. Chris Reichard has completed her chemo and we hope that she is now well on her way to recovery.

BINGO AT WMHI

We are rescheduling bingo with the Veterans at WMHI to either January or February. At this time there are only five veterans that would have been able to participate.

COMMANDER NOTE

I would like to personally take this opportunity to thank all of the people who helped set-up and volunteered at our raffle that was held at the GOLDEN CORRAL. Next time you go there, thank the management and the wait staff for all they did for the DAV.

WELFARE

Again it is that time of the year when we need to check to see if we have some members in need of some assistance putting those little extras on the table for the holidays. Maybe you yourself may be the one in need. Contact the Commander, Chaplain or Adjutant prior to the first of December if you know of a member in need.

PEARL HARBOR DAY

Activites for Pearl Harbor Day will be December 7th at 7:55 p.m. at the EAA in the Hanger in the back of the building.

NO DECEMBER CHAPTER MEETING OR NEWSLETTER

NEWSLETTER DEADLINES

Newsletter articles need to be with the Adjutant or Commander on the day of the Executive board meeting. Articles that are finished can be emailed directly to Cindy at Poeschl Printing at ppc@ntd.net

AUXILIARY NOTES

We will be having our usual meeting at St. Andrews Church on E. Murdock Ave. on Tuesday, November 22, 2011 at 12:30 p.m.

-Marge Reinders, Commander

CHAPTER OFFICERS: Commander George Gilles 426-4152 Senior Vice Commander Tom Weber 859-0109 Junior Vice Commander Rod Kalata 235-2084 Treasurer Mark Pendergast 420-8131 Adjjutant/Newsletter Rosemarie Pitz 235-3713 Judge Advocate Lee Schuff 725-2780 Chaplain John Hoeft 376-0105 Assistant Chaplain Elmer Wokosin 235-5049 Sergeant-At-Arms/ Officer of Day Dave Mrstik 233-6059 Legislative Director/ Tom Skaug 233-3511 3rd Year Trustee Chris Reichard 685-2859 2nd Year Trustee Annette Reichard 685-2859 1st Year Trustee Fred Hamell 233-6538 Immediate Past Cmdr John Hoeft 685-0346 Store Receipts Tom Conley 233-7313 **AUXILIARY OFFICERS:**

Commander Marge Reinders 836-2253 Adjutant Audrey Roberts 688-3740

MEETINGS:

Chapter 4th Tuesday/month 7:00 p.m. Oshkosh Elks Club 175 W. Fernaue Ave. Auxiliary 4th Tuesday/month Executive Committee 2nd Thursday/month 10:45 a.m. County Coughlin Bldg.

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