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IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Wed July 1st, Lyndhurst's celebration of America's 250th Birthday**
- **Sat July 4th, Legion's celebration America's 250th Birthday, Post 139, 1:00 PM with the BBQ to follow**
- **Tues July 7th, Post 139 Meeting 7:30 PM**
- **Sat July 11th Met's Game. Bus will leave post at 12:30 PM sharp**
- **Sat July 18th, B/C Meeting, Post 310 Little Ferry at 9:00 AM**
- **Fri Aug 28th, Annual SAL Golf Tourney, Farmstead Country Club ***
- **Mon Aug 31st, SAL 139 Meeting 7:00 PM**
- **Wed Sept 9th, Auxiliary 139 Meeting 7:00 PM**
- **Fri Sept 18th, Veterans Alliance meeting, Post 139, 10:00 AM**
- **Sun Sept 20th, Pancake Brunch 10:00AM-12:30 PM \$10 p/p**
- *** It is recommended to purchase tickets in advance, please call Post**

PLEASE NOTE

Post 139 dues are now \$45.00 and SAL-Squadron 139 are \$25, members 18 yrs. & younger \$15. Please send payment to American Legion, Post 139. Please include your phone # and EMAIL. THANK YOU!

BERGEN COUNTY –The Next B/C meeting will be on July 18th, Post 310 Little Ferry at 9:00 am for Food, 10:00 am for business.

VETERANS ALLIANCE – The next Alliance meeting is Friday Sept 18th at the Post 139. The meeting will discuss POW/MIA weekend and other Fall events. Next Veteran's Alliance events are the Lyndhurst celebration of American 250th Birthday with show of colors at Town Hall Park at 4:00 PM and then Little League field another show of colors at 8:00 PM prior to town fireworks display.

SAL – Adj Clint Colie tells us that the next SAL meeting is on Monday Aug 31st, at 7:00pm. The SAL is now at 176 paid members.

MEMBERSHIP –Chmn. Danny Laviola reports that we currently have 122 paid members. The membership campaign starts July 1st. If anyone is on active duty or in a nursing home, please let us know. Please mail your dues to the post at PO Box 382, Lyndhurst NJ 07071. You can pay your dues online at www.mylegion.org.

FINANCE REPORT – Finance Mgr. Linda Carroll states that all bills are current, and the Post is running well in the Black.

BOYS STATE –The Harry B informed us all 7 boys participated in this year's Boys State. One of which, Nicholas Rizzo, was elected Governor and will be attending Boys Nation.

RENOVATION – Commander states that next project is to fix the soffits around the building. We are selling blankets for the 250th Military Anniversary. The sales of the blankets will go to the Post's renovation projects. Please complete flyer and return with cash or check to post as per instruction on flyer. Flyer is available at the Post, Town hall, or use following link

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1ueob60re1sL0BQIkL6lXg20XT5fCcJ7O/view?usp=drivesdk>

HOUSE & GRILL – Our next event is the July 4th Open House and celebration of America's 250th Birthday, starts at 1:00 PM.

AMERICANISM – The Americanism Awards dinner was held on June 20th. The Commander thanks all those that helped and congratulated the award winners.

SCOUTING – The Commander thanks Frank DeBellis for representing Post 139 on June 14th at Adam Malasits' Eagle Scout ceremony. Christiano Garofalo and Alyssa Malasits have Eagle projects underway. Scouting events include a BBQ overnight at the UPC on Jul 18 and 19. The Troop will have summer camp on July 26th to Aug 1st.

COLOR GUARD – Tom Witt stated next scheduled event the Lyndhurst celebration of American 250th Birthday with show of colors at Town Hall Park at 4:00 PM and then Little League field another show of colors at 8:00 PM prior to town fireworks display.

GOOD of LEGION – All Legion Family Members the Post will be open 4th of July at 1:00 PM with the BBQ to follow.

DID YOU KNOW – The world's first nuclear explosion took place on **July 16, 1945**, with the experimental Atomic bomb "Fat Boy" was set off at 5:30 a.m. in the desert of New Mexico desert, creating a mushroom cloud rising 41,000 ft.

SICK CALL – Our thoughts and prayers go out to Harry Brechtbill, Sidney Denny, Mike Foglio, Shira Hallel and George Von Rapacki. We wish all a full and fast recovery.

COMMANDER'S MESSAGE – We pray to keep our troops safe and out of harm's way. The Legion will be celebrating our country's 250 Birthday at both the Town ceremony on July 1st and the Post 139 on July 4th. The Post will be open all summer. If you see or know a veteran please ask them go to our Post to join Legion family.

**For God and Country
Post Commander**

Mike Carroll