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AUGUST 2025

IMPORTANT UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Tues August 5th, Post 139 Meeting 7:30 PM**
- **Thurs August 28th, Color Guard at Lyndhurst HS Football 6:00 PM**
- **Fri August 29th, Annual SAL Golf Tourney, Farmstead Country Club**
- **Tues September 2nd, Post 139 Meeting 7:30 PM**
- **Mon September 8th, SAL 139 Meeting 7:30 PM**
- **Wed September 10th, Aux 139 Meeting 7:00 PM**
- **Thurs Sept 11th, 9/11 Ceremony at Town Hall 10:30**
- **Fri September 12th, Veteran's Alliance Meeting 10:00 AM**
- **Fri Sept 19th, POW/MIA Ceremony 4:00 PM**
- **Sun Sept 21st, Pancake Breakfast, at Post 139 9:00 – 11:30 AM**
- **Sat Oct 4th, Kenny Steven's Annual Clam Bake and BBQ, Post 139, 1 to 5 PM**

PLEASE NOTE

Membership Fees for 2025 are now due. Post 139 are \$40.00 and SAL-Squadron 139 are \$20, members 18 yrs. & younger \$10 to American Legion, Post 139. Please include your phone # and EMAIL when sending your dues either by mail or in person. THANK YOU!

BERGEN COUNTY – There is no August meeting. The Next B/C meeting will be on Sept 13, 2025 (9AM Continental Breakfast) 10AM Business and will be hosted by Post 57 Waldwick.

VETERANS ALLIANCE – The next Alliance meeting is Friday Sept 12th at Post 139. Jerry Sparta has stepped down as finance officer and Tom Graffam will be the new Veteran's Alliance finance officer.

SAL - Commander Mike Voza tells us that the next SAL meeting is on Mon. Sept. 8th, at 7:30pm. Membership cards are available. Hole Sponsorships for Golf Tournament are still being accepted.

MEMBERSHIP – Membership cards are available. Chmn. Danny Laviola reports that we currently have 55 paid members. 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.

AMERICANISM – Tom Witt thanks to all those that help with the coloring contest ceremony on June 30th. The Commander thanks all those that attended Manny Socarras' wake.

RENOVATIONS – The Commander stated the lift will be removed and replaced by a ramp. Other renovations are being discussed.

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

FUNDRAISING AND RAFFLE – You will be receiving information on upcoming events and fundraisers. The next raffle will be for New Year's Eve Fair Share Raffle. Will sent out this fall. Followed by another raffle for July 4th 2026. Other Fundraisers to be announced.

HOUSE & GRILL – We are open all summer. The Breakfast will resume this fall on Sunday September 21st and we plan on having at least two Pasta Dinners in the Fall.

SCOUTING – Frank De Bellis reported that troop 86 will have summer camp from July 27 to August 2nd and Camp Minsi, and thanked Commander Mike and Pres Linda C. for the presentation to Eagle Scout Antonio Velez on June 28th.

COLOR GUARD – Tom Witt thanks Color Guard that participated at the Town Fireworks event. The color guard next event is Lyndhurst HS Football home openers on Thurs August 28th at 6:00 PM; 9/11 Ceremony on Sept 11th at Town Hall 10:30; and POW/MIA Ceremony Friday Sept 19th, 4:00 PM

SCHOLARSHIP – All scholarship awardees have been awarded their scholarship.

GOOD of LEGION – Service Officer Jeremy stated that the non-profit Bergen Volunteers has a program called CHORE that helps seniors and those with disabilities with home repairs. To request CHORE help contact: Michele Ogden at 201-489-9456. Motion was made to replace Nick Garofolo as Vice Commander.

CORRESPONDENCE – Many thank you letters from Scholarship winners, Boys State and Girls State participants, and families of those recently deceased.

SICK CALL – Our thoughts and prayers go out to Michael Cassizzi, Sidney Denny, Nick Garofolo, and Past Cmdr. Jerry Sparta. We wish all a complete and speedy recovery.

COMMANDER'S MESSAGE – The Commander would like all officers, committee members, color guard members to attend the August meeting.

TAPS – The Post offers deepest condolences to the families of Patrick McDonald and Thomas Majeski. May they be granted eternal rest in Post Everlasting.

**For God and Country
Post Commander**

Mike Carroll

