VFW Department of Wyoming News – October 2016



Post Charter Anniversaries

Moorcroft Post 8473, 10/24/1946

Casper Memorial Post 9439, 10/06/1962

Casper Mustang Post 10677, 10/17/1982

The 2017 VFW Podium Editions are available now at the VFW Store!

900 Club – We've sold 64 tickets, but we need to sell a total of 108 to break even. So get out there and sell those tickets! If you need tickets, contact Dept HQ at 307-514-5087 or email tlapples@yahoo.com. We have 3 weeks to get those sold!

As you probably have seen, there have been some challenges with the VFW Dept of WY e-mail. Both vfwhq2@charter.net and womingvfw@outlook.com are history. The new Dept e-mail is tlapples@yahoo.com.

Camp Guernsey will conduct its annual military ammunition amnesty day October 13th, from 10:00 to 2:00 pm. The Department of the Army program is provided for members of the public to anonymously turn in military ammunition they may have found. Unexploded ordnance can be dangerous and should not be stored at a private residence. If you have military ammunition you wish to dispose of with no questions asked, please bring it to the turn-in site located at eh Camp Guernsey south pistol range on S. Wyoming Highway, approximately ¾ of a mile south of the Platte River Bridge. If the ammunition is too dangerous to move, please call the Camp Guernsey Fire Desk at 307-836-7810, to arrange for proper handling and removal. You can find more news like this at the Wyoming Military Department's website, *wyomilitary.wyo.gov*.

The annual Homeless Veterans Standdown will take place at American Legion Post 6 in Cheyenne on October 27th. Our VFW Service Office will have a table at the Standdown. VFW Post and Auxiliary members historically take part in donating and distributing items to the homeless at this event. For more information, contact Cheryl Shannon at 307-778-7340, cheryl.shannon@va.gov.

Important October dates

October 13, 2016 - Navy Birthday

October 26, 2016 - National Day of the Deployed

Reminder: District 4 meeting – Saturday, October 8, Post 4801, Pinedale – 10:00 am

Reminder: District 5 meeting – Saturday, October 15, Post 1881, Chevenne – 10:00 am

Reminder: District 2 meeting – Saturday, November 5, Post 7756, Gillette – 10:00 am

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