



THE ROCKVILLE PATRIOT NEWSLETTER

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Bi-Monthly Updates
July - August 2018



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In the Spotlight: BINGO

BINGO is once again In the Spotlight, after we inherited the Friday night and Sunday afternoon BINGO games from VFW Post 9862 John M. Carter Post. This is an important fundraiser for our organization. We need volunteers: callers and floor walkers, and players. So, tell your friends and come down to play or volunteer.

We hold three BINGO games weekly.

Mondays

Doors Open at 6 PM
\$250.00 JACKPOT Game

Fridays

Doors open at 5 PM
\$600.00 JACKPOT Game

Sundays

Doors open at 12 PM
\$500.00 JACKPOT Game

COMMANDER'S REVIEW

Hello fellow Legionnaires: This is your Commander hoping all is well with everyone. Here we are starting a new membership year and I'm looking forward to it. I want to present our newly elected officers for the 2018-2019 year.

Commander, Randy L. Phillipp
First Vice Commander, Randy L. Phillipp
Second Vice Commander, Jerry Rosenbaum
Third Vice Commander, Dan Jorgenson
Sergeant-At-Arms, Jerry Rosenbaum
JAG, Dan Jorgenson
Service Officer, Roy Davis
Chaplin, Randy L. Phillipp
Historian, Open
Executive At Large, Mike Cifarelli
Executive At Large, T.C. Williams
Adjutant, Keshia Alfred



Post Commander, Randy L. Phillipp

Congratulations to the newly installed Post officers. Please thank and welcome them to our Post Family when you see them. I also congratulate all officers from the SAL and Auxiliary in being elected to their term for the upcoming year of 2018-2019.

So we have a full body of officers to operate accordingly, I am still looking for volunteers to serve as First Vice Commander, Sergeant-At-Arms, JAG, and Historian. If any of you are interested in the available positions, please call the Post or stop by and leave your name.

As commander, I am going to be more efficient in communications with my Post, S.A.L., and Auxiliary Officers. I am trying to be as efficient as I can be in sharing all communications. I encourage everyone to work as one team. If a crisis occurs, please try solving it first, and if you cannot, contact a Post officer and ask for help. With that said, any officer whether it's from the Post, SAL, or Auxiliary can help with any crisis that might occur. Let's do this and make our home a fun place to enjoy and relax.

For God and Country,

Randy L. Phillipp, Commander, Henderson-Smith-Edmonds Post 86

Post News



Membership

by Randy L. Phillipp, First Vice Commander

The new membership year has arrived. Thanks to those who renewed their membership. I am hoping that all of you will renew and help make our Post 100% like we were in 2016-2017. Below are membership stats for 2017-2018:

Registered online	68
Registered by mail	258
Total	326
Total	368
% of Goal	88.587%

We missed our goal by 42 members. Let's have a banner year for 2018-2019, and if you would, please verify your address, phone number, and email address. We need to make sure all information is correct. If you moved in the past or want to receive info via email please send us your current info when you renew.

Dues are \$45. You can pay by mail (drop a check in the mail), visit our website (PayPal), or stop by the Post. The new membership cards will be available after Convention in July.

Upcoming Events

by Jerry Rosenbaum, Second Vice Commander



The 100th Annual Convention of The American Legion, Department of Maryland will be held in Ocean City, MD, July 10 through July 14, 2018. There will be no Post Executive meeting or Post General Meeting in July. Squadron 86 will hold their meeting on July 3rd, 2018 at 1900 hours.



The Post will close at 1800 hours on July 4th, so join us Wednesday at Rockville's Independence Day Celebration at Mattie J.T. Stepanek Park, 1800 Piccard Drive Rockville, MD 20850. The Post 86 Color Guard will present the Stars and Stripes prior to the Fireworks which begin at 2115 hours.

Post News cont'd

The Crab Feast is scheduled for Saturday, August 18, 2018 from 1500 – 1900 hours. Tickets available at the Post. \$45 per person, \$15 kids 6-12, kids under 6 free. Look to our Facebook page, email, or call the Post, at 301-424-4486 for more info.



Although the SAL suspended breakfasts during the months of July and August, dinners will be served every Friday. Join us for food and fellowship.

Lefty's Shrimp	July 6 and August 3 1600 hours until sold out
Auxiliary Dinner	July 13 and August 10 1700 hours until sold out
Squadron Dinner	July 20 and August 17 1800 hours until sold out
Post Dinner	July 27 and August 24 1700 hours until sold out

Americanism

by Jerry Rosenbaum

We do welcome a new Third Vice Commander, Dan Jorgenson , who will coordinate Boys State and nominations for EMT, Firefighter, and Law Enforcement Officer of the Year. Each first responder who is awarded at the Post level is sent for review at the Department level with a possibility to be honored on the National level. If you are aware of any qualified first responders, please nominate them by sending their information to info@mdlegion86.org.



During the year 2000 Spring Meetings, the Legion's National Executive Committee (NEC) passed Resolution No. 20, which encourages Legion departments to establish Outstanding JROTC Cadet of the Year programs. Post 86 works in conjunction with Gaithersburg High School JROTC to promote and support this mandate from the NEC. This year on 21 April 2018, Post 86 awarded The American Legion Leadership Medal to Cadet LCDR Wilbur Hernandez of Gaithersburg High School; and The American Legion Scholastic Medal to Cadet Petty Officer Rachel Franklin of Gaithersburg High School. We salute these young people for their commitment to Patriotism, Citizenship, Community, and their High School.

Americanism cont'd



American Legion Post 86 has been sponsoring Boys State nominees from Gaithersburg NJROTC for over 30 years. This year we sponsored Cadet/Command Master Chief Petty Officer Brian Moreno from Gaithersburg HS and two other boys; Jalen Stubbs, Richard Montgomery HS, and Neill Seminario, Rockville HS. Boys State is held every year at McDaniel College over Father's Day weekend. Many thanks to Squadron 86 for sponsoring two young men. We're hopeful these young men valued their experience and look forward to hearing from them at our annual Americanism night.

Service to our Veterans

by Roy Davis, Service Officer



We welcome our new Service Officer, Roy Davis. Roy is an Army veteran who served from 1966 to 1968 and spent most of his enlistment at Fort Myer, Virginia. He achieved the rank of E-4 Specialist during his service. Since the military, Roy has spent 46 years working as a realtor helping people navigate real estate transactions. He currently works at Long and Foster Real Estate and is highly focused on relationship building with his clients by having their best interests at heart. Roy looks forward to helping assist veterans and their families as the Service Officer of Post 86 and giving back to the community he so dearly cares for.

Adjutant's Call

by Keshia Alfred, Adjutant

"My name is Keshia Alfred and I'm currently serving in the United States Army Reserve. I first enlisted in March of 2012 where I spent the first 5 years of my Army career as an active duty soldier. I was stationed with the 25th Infantry Division, 1st Support Battalion, and the 69th ADA. I currently hold an Automated Logistic Specialist Job but soon I will be reclassing to a Dental Technician. Along with my Reserve Duties, I work full time as a Medical Clerk at Walter Reed Military Medical Center and I'm a full-time student at University of Maryland University College studying Psychology. In the fall I'm hoping to transfer to University of Maryland Baltimore County to continue my studies as a Psychology student. In the future I'm hoping to work as a Child Psychologist and a Social Worker; I also want to start a Trauma Program for Veterans and Family Members who have experienced trauma in their lives. I'm looking forward to coming aboard and joining the staff at American Legion Post 86; I hope I can bring my knowledge and experience to make our post shine and excel."

Pastoral Words

by Randy L. Phillipp, Chaplain

I would like everyone to please call the Post at 301-424-4486, if someone in your family has passed away, is ill or injured, the Chaplain will support you. Let's have a blessed year,

Although, I love serving as Post 86 Chaplain, we are seeking an eligible Legionnaire to hold this position for the 2018 – 2019 membership year.

History

The Post Historian is charged with keeping the records of the Post, working closely with the Adjutant and Chaplain, and we are looking for someone to fill this position. If you're interested in becoming Post 86's Historian please let us know.

Notable US military events in July -

July 15, 1918 - During the Battle of the Marne in World War I, German General Erich Ludendorff launched Germany's fifth, and last, offensive to break through the Chateau-Thierry salient. However, the Germans were stopped by American, British and Italian divisions.

July 10, 1943 - The Allied invasion of Italy began in Sicily. General Dwight D. Eisenhower called the invasion "the first page in the liberation of the European Continent."



July 1, 1972 - Rear Adm. Samuel L. Gravely Jr. (left) becomes the first African-American to achieve flag rank in the U.S. Navy.

"THOSE WHO CANNOT LEARN FROM
HISTORY ARE DOOMED TO REPEAT IT."

GEORGE SANTAYANA

Color Guard

by Daniel Pounds, Captain

As we did last year we presented Colors prior to the concert Celebrate America: A Tribute to our Veterans at the Kennedy Center on May 26. Thanks to all the Post members who shared this day with us. We were proud to be asked again.

Join us July 4th when we present colors prior to fireworks at Mattie J.T. Stepanek Park in King Farm.



Squadron 86 Report

Henderson-Smith-Edmonds Squadron 86

Dues are \$25; \$10 (20 and younger)

Meeting First Tuesday of Every Month

Squadron 86 ended the 2017 – 2018 membership year at 101%. Officially we have 84 members, up two from last year, but there were some late payments that will put us well over that count. Now we get to start all over again. 2018-2019 dues are \$25; \$10 if you are under 21.

If you are a male descendant, adopted son or stepson of a member of The American Legion, or a male descendants of veterans who died in Service during World I, World War II, the Korean War, the Vietnam War, Lebanon, Grenada, Panama, the Persian Gulf War and the War on Terrorism, during the dates set forth in Article IV, Section 1, of the National Constitution of The American Legion, or who died subsequent to their honorable discharge from such service, shall be eligible for membership in the Sons of The American Legion. You can honor your ancestor by joining.

Breakfast will not be served by Squadron 86 during the months of July and August.

We will serve dinner from 1800 hours until sold out on 19 July and 16 August. (Please note the time change.)

Friends of The Soldiers Home, known as FOSH, held their 6th Annual Spring Fling on 5

May, and Squadron 86 was there. 3rd Vice Commander Collins Murphy, Commander Bill Bird, Jr., and Flo Bird were there to help, setting up tables and chairs; manning the ticket booth; helping the Vets get their food and beer and talking to them. It was a treat talking to the vets who came down and seeing FOSH and the community gather to hold this event.



Collins and Bill after moving picnic tables. Ready for more.



Flo Bird selling tickets with another volunteer.

Memorial Day found Squadron 86 hosting a table in front of the movie theater in Town Center. We raffled off a TV and grossed \$680. We talked to many folks who did not know who The American Legion or SAL was. The Squadron also helped at the beer tent, so thanks to Ken Pegher, Doug Campbell, Thom McCabe, Greg Dix, David and MaryAnn Holmes, Larry Chupella, Malcom and Robin Skiver for their support. The Post 86 Color Guard rendered honors once again at

Damascus Post 171, Parklawn Cemetery, and prior to the 74th Annual Memorial Day Parade. Many thanks to Squadron 86 members Danny Pounds, Larry Chupella, and Doug Bushnell for carrying on the great traditions of Post 86's National Champion Color Guard during Memorial Day Weekend.

Squadron 86 was once again an integral part of the Post 86 Color Guard. Supported by Squadron members, Roch O'Donovan, Doug Bushnell, Larry Chupella, Nic Wissinger, Bill Bird Jr., Jack Gruver, and Captain of the Guard, Danny Pounds, they once again rendered honors at various events around the community, funerals, and Post Everlasting ceremonies.



Flag Day 2018 L-R Doug Bushnell, Legionnaire Karl Dietz, Larry Chupella, Danny Pounds

A lot of space in this Squadron Report is spent thanking the members and officers of

Squadron 86, but how can we not be grateful when there were over 500 SAL volunteer hours over the membership year? I'm often reminded, by members that, "No thanks are needed." We would be remiss not to. I think all the Officers would like to salute Squadron member, Malcolm Skiver. He spent over 100 hours last Summer helping a local Veteran keep his yard up and in the Post kitchen during Sunday breakfasts. When you see Malcolm, make sure you pat him on the back in acknowledgement, even though he'll say, "It's unnecessary."

Let's wish Nic Wissinger, Squadron Historian 2017-2018, best wishes when he leaves in August to attend school and play football at Shepard University. Nic maintained a 4.22 grade point average at Richard Montgomery and we know good things are ahead for him. Congratulations to SAL member Dan Wissinger and Auxiliary member Melanie Wissinger on Nic's success. It is what all parents want for their kids.

Announcing Squadron 86's incoming officers:

Commander and Historian, Bill Bird, Jr.
First Vice Commander and
Finance Officer, Doug Campbell
Second Vice Commander, David Holmes
Third Vice Commander, Collins Murphy
Sargeant-at-Arms, Larry Chupella
Chaplain, Greg Dix, PC
Executive-at-Large, Ken Pegher, PC

Thanks to all the Officers of Squadron 86 for a great 2017-2018. We are looking forward to 2018 – 2019.



Auxiliary Unit 86 Corner

This entry in the Post 86 Newsletter is the last from Susan Sumner. Her family: daughter Tracy and son-in-law Dave, along with granddaughters, Hannah and Maia, are moving to Manassas, Virginia, in late July. Sue will continue as a Unit 86 Executive Board member for the foreseeable future, and the Auxiliary's Monday night BINGO concessions until she moves, so please stop by and play BINGO, so she may say, "Hello!" to you one more time before she leaves.

Sue would like us all to continue working with young women who continue to come forward to be selected for Girls State. The ALA website states, "The American Legion Auxiliary's marquee Girls State program, first presented in 1937, is one of the most respected and coveted experiential learning programs presented in the United States." More information regarding Maryland's Girls State program can be found here, <https://www.facebook.com/ALAMDGS/>.



On Saturday, June 16, 2018, the installation of Unit 86 officers took place. We do have a few spaces to fill so if any Auxiliary members would like to step up and fill those vacancies please let us know.

American Legion Auxiliary - Unit 86 2018-2019 Elected Officers	
PRESIDENT	Carolyn Davis
1st Vice Commander	Open
2nd Vice Commander	Electra Stathes
Secretary	Appointed by President
Sergeant at Arms	Delores Lightcap
Treasurer	Open
Chaplain	Open
Executive Committee	Sue Sumner
	Marilyn Rykoskey
	Electra Stathes

RENEW NOW!

The new 2018 – 2019 Membership year has begun. Dues are \$28 per year. Young ladies 18 and under are \$5. Are you a wife, mother, daughter, sister, grandmother, granddaughter or great-granddaughter of a veteran who served our great country during times of war? Then you are eligible to join. If you are a current member mail your dues to Electra Stathes at 1304 Crawford Drive, Rockville, MD, 20851. If you want to join, contact the Auxiliary at 301-424-4486, or via email at info@mdlegion86.org. (Years of eligibility are on the last page of the newsletter.)



Last year left us with many challenges. We met these; however, could have used the help and wisdom of our newer members. With the departure of our good friend and Past President, Sue Sumner, we are even more in need of some “fresh blood” to bring the Auxiliary back to the “glory years.” This requires every member, new and old, to participate. We are meeting on the third Sunday of every month at 2 PM. We will be holding these meetings every month barring extreme emergencies. Next meetings are July 15 and August 19.



One item we need to pick up from our departing President, is the Monday night BINGO concession. We will be moving the food concession to the bar area and serving hot dogs, hamburgers, and other foods. This only involves 2-3 hours a week from 6:00 to 9:00 PM. If you are willing to help, please let me know by emailing, carolyn914@hughes.net. Thanks in advance.



Please join us for dinner from 5:00 PM until sold out on July 13 and August 10. Please check the Post 86 Facebook page, <https://www.facebook.com/AmericanLegionPost86/>, or call Post 86 at 301-424-4486 for the menu.

American Legion Auxiliary

Service not self



From Our Friends



Post 86 opens our doors to many organizations. Below are upcoming meetings and events from some of those friends.

Disabled American Veterans, Rockville Memorial Chapter #12

Meetings are on the first Wednesday of every month at 1930 hours (7:30 PM).

The Disabled American Veterans, or DAV, is an organization chartered by the United States Congress for disabled military veterans of the United States Armed Forces that helps them and their families through various means. It currently has nearly 1.3 million members. - Wikipedia

Marine Corps League, Sgt. John 'Jack' Hettchen, Jr. Detachment

Meetings are on the second Wednesday of every month at 1930 hours (7:30 PM)

The Marine Corps League is the only congressionally chartered United States Marine Corps-related veterans organization in the United States. Its Congressional Charter was approved by the 75th U.S. Congress and signed by President Franklin D. Roosevelt on August 4, 1937. The organization credits its founding in 1923 to legendary Marine Corps Commandant John A. Lejeune. - Wikipedia

Fleet Reserve Association

Meetings are on the third Wednesday of every month at 1930 hours (7:30 PM)

The Fleet Reserve Association (FRA) is a congressionally chartered, non-profit organization that represents the interests of the Sea Service community before the U.S. Congress. – https://www.fra.org/fra/Web/About_FRA/Web/About_FRA.aspx

Sons of the Confederate Veterans

Tuesday, July 10, 2018 (Not 1st Tues) SCV member Randolph Linderholm, whose mother was a "real daughter" - her father being a Confederate Veteran - will speak on his mother, her life with her father, and his family's history.

Tuesday, August 07, 2018 - Joe Collins, author, historian and Civil War Musician, will speak on the "Battle of West Frederick" - as it related to the Battle of Monocacy.

Organized in 1896 by the sons of the Veterans themselves, the Sons of Confederate Veterans (SCV) serves as a historical, patriotic, and non-political organization dedicated to insuring that a true history of the 1860's is preserved for future generations. The SCV offers local, state, and national programs including historical preservation, marking and maintaining soldiers' graves, presentations and publications, all striving to maintain the integrity of American history.

Membership is open to male descendants of Confederate Soldiers, Sailors and Government Officials, regardless of race, color, creed or background. The SCV exists to honor American and Southern history and rejects and condemns the misuse of any modern or historical symbols for hate. Many of our members belong to other historic and patriotic groups such as the Sons of American Revolution and local Historical Societies. We would be honored to have members, guests, and friends of Post 86 attend any of our activities. - Bob Brewer, Past Commander

Fun and Games



Monday Night BINGO

This past year we've averaged 17 players, four volunteers to work it, two callers, and one Auxiliary member to serve refreshments. This year I would love to have more volunteers to work, call, and help serve refreshments, even if it is for 2 hours. I am looking for some to become callers. Everyone and anyone 16 years and older may volunteer to help. So please come down and have fun volunteering or playing on Mondays from 7 PM until 10 PM. Doors open at 5:00 PM for seating. Tell your friends and come down and play or help. See you there.



Washington Area Darts Association

Post 86 has been hosting two teams from Washington Area Darts Association (WADA) since last fall. They play Wednesday nights starting at 7:00 PM. There are three "seasons" a year, Jan-April, May-July, Sept-Dec. Sponsoring two teams costs \$144 per season. Two Squadron 86 members play, Larry Chupella (Sergeant-at-Arms) and Mark Vilkaitis. If anyone is interested in starting another team, or playing please come down and visit on a Wednesday night.

Wednesday Division Standings through Week 6

Division 8-C (MD) Wednesday	Won	Lost	I	R	P	%
American Legion Post 86 Dart Vader	109	35	1	0	0	75.69
American Legion Post 86 Hammerheads	82	62	2	2	2	56.94
Saphire Shots Co	25	119	3	0	0	17.36
Bye	0	0	4	0	0	0.00



Poker

Post 86 hosts a No Limit Texas Hold 'Em game every Thursday night from 7:00 PM to 11:00 PM. A \$5 donation to the Post is required. First come, first served. Max buy in \$100, .50 and 1.00 Blinds. No rake. One table. RSVP required.

Please contact Dan at 240-338-1170, for more information.

Fun and Games cont'd



Friday and Sunday BINGO

As posted on Facebook by Ken Pegher, Squadron 86,
Executive-at-Large

Post 86 has BINGO games every Friday night and Sunday afternoon as an important fundraiser for our organization. Adding this income source is important and we must staff it accordingly. We are looking for volunteers to help sell tickets to the BINGO players during the regular BINGO game (Floor Walkers).

The tickets sell for \$1 per ticket and are easy to sell since they payout better than most of the individual BINGO games. A Floor Walker shift for BINGO can be either 2 hours or 4 hours, and can be worked with a friend or partner, whatever will work best for you.

The 2-hour shifts for Friday Night BINGO are 6pm to 8pm and 8pm to 10pm.

The 2-hour shifts for Sunday Afternoon BINGO are 1pm to 3pm and 3pm to 5pm.

You are welcome to combine the shift and work a 4-hour shift if you choose, just let me know. Currently, 3 shifts for Friday and 4 shifts for Sunday are available for this weekend. If you can help for a couple of hours this weekend (or another weekend in the future), please let me know and I will place you on the schedule.

BINGO is fun, and by helping you are ensuring that Post 86 will continue to be a community asset for our Veterans and their families. I will continue to reach out to others in the area, such as JROTC and the local schools for teenagers 16 and older to assist us in this project. The more volunteers, the easier this will be to make the Post 86 BINGO a success.

Please call, text, DM or email me if you have any questions and would like to take a shift.

Thank you!

Ken Pegher
301-310-9753
peggers@verizon.net

Fun and Games cont'd

Post 86 Drink Prices

Join us in the Clubhouse for cheer and fellowship. The Clubhouse is open, Sunday from 1200 – 2200 hours (12 PM to 10 PM); Monday through Thursday, 1400 – 2200 hours (2 PM to 10 PM); Friday, 1400 – 2400 hours (2 PM to Midnight); and Saturday, 1400 – 2400 hours (2 PM to Midnight). Hours are dependent on number of patrons. Bartender has full authority in the clubhouse area.

	Normal hours	Happy Hour
Beer		
Draft	\$2.00	\$1.75
Domestic Bottle	\$3.00	\$2.50
Premium Bottle	\$4.00	\$3.50
Wine		
Merlot	\$4.00	\$3.50
White Zinfandel	\$4.00	\$3.50
Chardonnay	\$4.00	\$3.50
Cocktails		
Rail	\$4.25	\$3.75
Call	\$5.00	\$4.50
Top Shelf	\$6.00	\$5.50
1.5 oz. shots	\$4.25	\$3.75


Beer selection *varies:*

Draft: varies

Domestic bottles: Budweiser, Bud Light, Bud Light Lime, Coors Light, Miller High Life, Miller Light, Yuengling

Premium bottles: Heineken, Blue Moon, Corona, Goose Island IPA

July 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
BINGO 2-5 1	BINGO 7-10 2	3	 4	5	Lefty's Shrimp BINGO 7-10 6	7
BINGO 2-5 8	BINGO 7-10 9	Squadron 86 mtg SCV mtg Dept. Convention 10	Dept. Convention 11	NO Post Exec mtg Dept. Convention 12	AUX Dinner BINGO 7-10 Dept. Convention 13	14
AUX mtg 2 PM BINGO 2-5 15	BINGO 7-10 16	17	Marine Corp League mtg 1900 hours 18	NO Post General mtg 19	SAL Dinner 6 pm BINGO 7-10 20	21
BINGO 2-5 22	BINGO 7-10 23	24	Fleet Reserve mtg 1900 hours 25	26	Post 5 PM BINGO 7-10 27	28
BINGO 7-10 29	BINGO 7-10 30	31				

EVENTS

No Post meetings this month

The SAL and Auxiliary will hold their regularly scheduled meetings. The Post has cancelled theirs for the month due to the Legion Convention in Ocean City, July 10 – 13.


Squadron 86 and The Sons of Confederate Veterans

Both groups meet at 7:00 PM, with the SAL meeting in the Conference Room and SCV in the main hall.

4th of July

The Post is opening at 1400 hour and closing at 1800. Fireworks Mattie J.T. Stepanek Park in King Farm. Join the Color Guard at 1655 for the National Anthem and presentation of colors.

August 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	BINGO 7-10		1	2	3 Lefty's Shrimp BINGO 7-10	4
5 BINGO 2-5	6 BINGO 7-10	7 Squadron 86 mtg SCV mtg	8 Marine Corp League mtg 1900 hours	9 Post Exec mtg 1900 hours	10 AUX Dinner BINGO 7-10	11
12 BINGO 2-5	13 BINGO 7-10	14	15 Fleet Reserve mtg 1900 hours	16 Post General mtg 1900 hours	17 SAL Dinner 6 pm BINGO 7-10	18  CRAB FEAST
19 AUX mtg 2 PM BINGO 2-5	20 BINGO 7-10	21	22	23	24 Post 5 PM BINGO 7-10	25
26 BINGO 7-10	27 BINGO 7-10	28	29	30	31 Post 5 PM BINGO 7-10	

EVENTS

Annual Crab Feast

August 18
3 pm – 7 pm
\$45 per person; \$15 kids 6-12
Tickets available at the Post.

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AMERICAN LEGION ELIGIBILITY DATES

WWI

6 April 1917 – 11 November 1918

WWII

7 December 1941 – 31 December 1946

KOREA

25 June 1950 – 31 January 1955

LEBANON/GRENADA

24 August 1982 – 31 July 1984

PANAMA

20 December 1989 – 31 January 1990

PERSIAN GULF/WAR ON TERRORISM

2 August 1990 – present

All honorably charged veterans who were assigned to active duty sometime during the above periods are eligible for membership in The American Legion.

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Special editions are published when necessary

Individual ideas and viewpoints expressed are not necessarily those of Post 86.

Post 86 is in the Twinbrook neighborhood of Rockville, MD at 2013 Veirs Mill Road

Hours:

Posted hours below are subject to change for special occasions, which will be announced in advance.

Monday – Sunday: 2 PM to 10 PM

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Fax: 301-251-7024

Web: mdlegion86.org

Email: info@mdlegion86.org

As always, YOUR Donations are greatly appreciated to help keep the Post operating as well as support the American Legion programs! Remember, your donations are tax deductible!

Henderson-Smith-Edmunds Post 86 Charitable Donation Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

Enclosed is my donation of: _____

Make checks payable to:

David Collins Scholarship Fund, American Legion Boys State, American Legion Post 86, or Sons of The American Legion Sq. 86

All donations are tax exempt.

Please send donations to: American Legion Post 86, P.O. Box 5363, Rockville, MD, 20848-5363

