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A MESSAGE FROM THE COMMANDER

It is a great honor and a privilege to have been elected and installed as the 104th Commander of American Legion Post 38, and I want to sincerely thank our membership for this opportunity to serve you.

A special thank you to our immediate Past Commander, Jarrod Coulter, for his dedicated leadership and well-placed decisions during his tenure. His insight and experience has gone great lengths to guide the Post and the Club into a much broader spectrum of public awareness, and further fiscal resilience, by shifting our focus toward long-term community impact and sustainability. Great thanks are also due for our Club Manager Jill Nagel, for continuing her journey through the challenges of coordinating all the many things for which she is responsible, and with great aplomb.

It goes without saying that other past Commanders in addition, like Ed Domek and Jan Hoffman, who carried great weight respectively in buoying our Post so much closer to the surface, are responsible for bringing the state of Post 38 where we are solidly positioned for success. There are more, of course, but the list grows long and I have heard of them as legends in their own time. It has been said that the greatest way to honor sacrifice, is to live well; and so, we will continue to build and grow as a reflection of their selfless contributions, and the selfless contributions of all our Membership.

In recognition of the newly elected officers of Post 38 and those that have elected to continue their service, a heart-felt thanks for the professionalism, the willingness, and in some cases tirelessness, to go further and do great things:

- 1st Vice Commander: Wayne Senneke
- 2nd Vice Commander: Stephanie Zinser
- 3rd Vice Commander: Vernon Noel
- Adjutant: Dave Baumann
- Finance Officer: Wade VanRyzin
- Chaplain: Michelle Madden
- Sergeant-at-Arms: Frank Billings

I have personally witnessed that this Team is fully and actively engaged, and I have full confidence that we are good hands. No thanks are heavy enough to balance the scales of their contributions.

In the coming year I will be focusing on straightening edges and sharpening corners of all the good that has been accomplished so far by creating a clearer path to membership; working directly with the Leadership to forge clarity of the process and help ensure that we can get help and support to as many of our Brothers and Sisters as possible who may not know where we are and are unaware of all of the benefits that can be gained by joining our Family.

Additionally, I'll be streamlining our current communication paths, and taking inventory of the processes that we have in our purview; cleaning them up and shaking them out so that they are clear and accessible to all of us. In order to do that I may occasionally need your help, and may call upon you, the membership, in some capacity which involves active participation and allows pride of ownership. I believe that collectively we have more than enough skill, expertise and strength to expand our reach and accomplish goals that will bring us even further into success as an Organization.

Thank you for your selfless service. I look forward to working together and again, my sincere gratitude for this opportunity to serve you.
Let us together go forth and do great things!

Jonathan Reid
Commander, Appleton American Legion Post 38

Scholarship Winners

Alaina Haase-Appleton East HS, Addison Walt-Appleton North HS, Ariel Xiong-Appleton West HS, Thomas Needham-FVL HS, and Aubrey Reed-Xavier HS. Legacy Scholarship – Camdyn Marx-Kimberly HS (Granddaughter of Robert Marx.

COMMUNICATION: Catherine is looking for Veterans who may be interested in being highlighted in a veterans corner she would like to launch. You are the heart and soul of our Post, and she would like to highlight you! If you have any content you'd like to share, or any articles of interest, please contact Catherine Kutzleb at catherineusnr@live.com.

Did you know our Facebook page and website are being talked about? That's right we are getting noticed on many levels including at the District and State level. Our content is setting the bar for others to emulate, and that is because of your sharing and liking our content. Keep it up! Check out our Facebook page (https://www.facebook.com/appletonpost38) and our website (Johnston-Blessman Post 38 (appleton38.org) for information about happenings at Post 38 and Post 38 Bar & Grill. As always, thank you for your support.

AUXILIARY FACEBOOK PAGE NEWS:

In 2023 Unit 38 began a new Facebook page entitled American Legion Auxiliary Unit 38-Appleton WI (American Legion Auxiliary Unit 38-Appleton WI Facebook).

This platform will serve to create awareness and communicate our events and achievements to members and the general public. This page will share posts from other organizations that we follow such as WI Veterans Village, Blue Star Mothers, Legion Post 38, ALA Ninth District, and other Units throughout NE WI.

Here are a few ways you can help us with this page: Like the page and posts, Share the page & posts to help create awareness, Share your own post ideas at least 1 week in advance of an event. Email your post ideas or news/upcoming events to AppletonALAUnit38@yahoo.com. *Please include links, pictures, and specific message verbiage.

Page administrator is Tammie Domek.

Thank you for your support.

POST MEMBERSHIP MESSAGE

From the Adjutant and Membership Committee

Post 38 members, it is time to renew your membership for 2027. Our dues increased to $60 due to an increase in National dues. You have many options for renewing your membership; you can mail your dues to Post 38; you can stop in at Club 38 bar/restaurant and drop off your dues; you can attend a meeting and pay your dues; or you can renew online as well. If you renew online, you have an option to renew your membership for up to three years, this is the only option for a multi-year renewal.

Don't let your benefits expire or lose your consecutive years membership.

If you have any questions or need assistance, please contact Dave Baumann (davebaumann80@outlook.com), Jonathan Reid (pager3000@outlook.com), Wayne Senneke (wsenneke@aol.com) or call 920-809-8126.

To renew online go to https://mylegion.org. Also, **we approved covering the renewal cost for members with over 50 years continuous service and 5 years of continuous membership at Post 38. If you fall under that category, please do not send in your renewal if you get a notice. We also are paying for anyone 90 years old or older with at least 5 years with Post 38.** If you have renewed already, you are paid in the system so you shouldn't get another notice. The new website is a little slow to process the memberships, **so if you get a renewal in the mail please check to make sure you haven't already paid before sending in another check.** You can call or email the 1st Vice or Adjutant if you aren't sure.

A benefit of American Legion membership is a FREE $5000 accidental death insurance policy through the Legionnaire Insurance Trust (LIT). If membership expires, so does this benefit. Once you pay your dues you would need to re-sign up to receive this insurance. So please don't let this happen to you. If you have questions or need help, please contact the Commander, 1st Vice, or Adjutant.

A reminder to members, THE LIT (Legionnaire Insurance Trust) is a membership benefit, but it is not automatic. THE LIT is $5000 of Accidental Death insurance at no cost to the member and $1000 if not on Legion business. Members need to apply to be eligible. Go to WI Legion and scroll down to the bottom of the page, hit the button and follow the prompt. If there was a break in your continuous years of service in the Legion, you will need to re-register.

If a member takes advantage of THE LIT, be forewarned the insurance company will send out information periodically about insurance available for purchase. You are not under any obligation to purchase. Likely you will receive another renewal notice from National in the meantime.

Eliminate the yearly hassle of remembering to renew your American Legion membership by taking advantage of the new muti-year membership available to current and potential members. Legionnaires needing to renew for 2026 or veterans joining the organization for the first time can lock-in a three-year membership by visiting Renew Membership | The American Legion or Join | The American Legion.

--Multi-year membership sign-up is only available on the national American Legion website.

--Payment for the three-year membership will be upfront.

--There is not a discounted rate with the three-year membership.

If you have an active email address, we would appreciate it if you made note of this as we are trying to save costs and email you the newsletter and meeting minutes. Also please note any changes to your contact information, especially your address. If you are a PUFL, National and Department will list you as inactive if they receive undeliverable mail sent to you. This is NOT the Post doing this! If you have any questions, please let us know.

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AUXILIARY PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Unit 38 has had a successful spring!

In April, the group received a 100% Membership Award for 2026. That number has since increased to 103.67%. At our monthly meeting, we had a Member Appreciation Party and an Initiation Ceremony for nine inductees. The unit also had a memorial service for two recently deceased members. The annual report to the state, crediting people for their donations of time and money, was done using the new online system.

At our May meeting, the five 2026 American Legion Auxiliary Americanism Essay Contest award winners from Appleton Unit 38 read their entries. Fourth grade winners were Kate Chevremont, 1st place, and Nora Brandenburg, 2nd place, from Neenah Lutheran School. Eighth grade winners were Elise Mallmann, 1st place, and Paige DeBraal, 2nd place, from Immanuel Lutheran School, and Erayne Roberson, 3rd place, from Neenah Lutheran School. Kate and Elise also each won second place in their categories in the state essay competition. Congratulations to them all!

That month, Unit 38 members showed their patriotism by participating in Poppy Day, the Moment of Remembrance Cemetery Salutes, the Memorial Day Parade, and the Riverside Cemetery ceremonies. A free lunch after the parade was served to about 80-100 people at the club.

ALA members visited Aunt Esther's Attic Boutique to present retiring owner Colleen Flanagan a Certificate of Appreciation, for having used the store to raise funds for our unit.

On June 13, members plan to participate in the Appleton Flag Day Parade.

From June 21-26, Unit 38 is sending eight students to Badger Girl's State.

On July 3, ALA members will celebrate the 250th birthday of the United States of America by working at the Appleton Fireworks Celebration. From July 15-19, the ALA state convention will take place in Appleton. People are encouraged to make raffle baskets for our fundraiser at the event.

Happy Fourth of July!

Leigh Splitt
President, Unit 38

Auxiliary Bake Sale

Cookie/sweet sale is fast approaching for the Legion brat fry starting April 1st! If interested in baking, please contact me for the date you would like. Debra Ragen 920-716-3801. The profit helps fund our Auxiliary programs.

Thank you,
Debra Ragen

AUXILIARY MEMBERSHIP:

In July we start collecting the 2027 dues! The cost is $36.00 for a Senior and $10.00 for a Junior. You will get a renewal notice from National in fall and if you can pay them at your earliest convenience, that would be greatly appreciated. You can pay this by sending it to the address below, dropping it off at the Post, mailing it to the Post and mark it Auxiliary Membership, or giving it to me directly, and any other means that gets it to me to activate or renew your membership. You can call National directly and pay with a credit or debit card at (317) 569-4570 by letting them know your name and that you are in Wisconsin, and Unit 38 Appleton, or have your Auxiliary Membership number.

Legion members please submit your spouse, daughters, granddaughters and this includes your stepdaughters, and step granddaughters are eligible to join the Auxiliary.

Your dues allow us to continue supporting and enriching the lives of our veteran's, their families and our community. If you help out with events or just pay your dues YOU are an important part of our Auxiliary.

In July the Department (State) Convention will be held in Appleton at the Hilton Paper Valley, if you have a chance, just go down to the hotel and look around. If you can help in anyway, raffle baskets, help out with registration or other areas that need some help, please let an officer from the Auxiliary know. The officers information is always printed on the back of the reporter.

Since last reporter we have 2 new members. Emma Eldridge, Clarice Kraft and a rejoin member Celeste

DeShasier. We would like to welcome them to Unit 38.

We are thankful we have no membership deaths to report this quarter.

Remember Unit 38 meets on the 3rd Monday of every month at 4:30 p.m. for a social at the Post and the meeting at 5pm. Please join us for the social and meeting. Guests are welcome. **The Unit *WILL NOT* be holding a meeting the month of JULY this year**, so please mark your calendars. Next meeting will be August 17th at the Post.

Send Membership to: Marian Brown 1312 South Casaloma Drive Appleton, WI 54914 Phone 920-810-0737.

Marian Brown
Membership Chairman, Unit 38 Appleton

POPPY MESSAGE

Happy Easter Legion Family!

*Thank You, Legion Family. We would like to thank everyone who was able to contribute to our Poppy Days. We appreciate your help whether it was to volunteer some of your time from your schedule or by making a donation. With your support and the support of our community we were able to raise so far **$8,773.17**. Way to Go!*

After paying a percentage to Department, purchasing more poppies for the upcoming year, we will be able to use the extra funds through out the year towards Veteran Programs. Some of the programs we support from these fund include Fox Valley Tech Scholarship for a Veteran, VA Home Recreation Treats, Homeless Female Veterans, Surgical Pillows for Veterans, Christmas Gift Shop, Veteran's Creative Arts Festival, Camp American Legion, Fox Valley Veterans Council, Fox Valley Veterans Village, Old Glory Honor Flight, Vets and Friends, Fischer House, and many more. These funds get used locally as well as other places within the state.

*We had over **130 Volunteer hours** donated!!!! That's super and shows how much we care about our veterans, military and their families. **It doesn't matter how much you give, it all adds up to help our veterans.** Thanks again and watch for the dates for 2027 in Spring.*

Remember, we can take poppy donations anytime, not just during Poppy Days.

If you want to contribute and are unable to volunteer, please cut and mail your Poppy donation to:

Poppy Fund, ALA Unit #38
3220 W. College Ave.
Appleton WI 54914
POPPY DONATION:

$_____

Thank you for your donation
to help our veterans and
their families.

***Marian Brown** – Poppy Chairman Phone # 920-810-0737*

COMMUNITY SERVICE/EDUCATION

Our Auxiliary members have been donating items for the Appleton School District grades 4-12 for quite a few years. This is an ongoing project for our community. We are in need of composition books, wide and narrow ruled notebooks, pencils, dry erase markers, highlighters, sharpies, colored pencils, pens, zipper pouches, large backpacks, sticky notes (3x3) preferred, index cards, glue bottles and sticks, big pink erasers. Folders with pockets, red, yellow, green, blue and orange are preferred. They are also looking for folders with pockets and prongs. If you would like to donate any of these items, please drop them off at the Legion Post during regular business hours in the cloak room. You don't need to be a member, so mention to your other family members and friends, maybe they can donate also. This year you can also donate by check. The Community Engagement Team will do the shopping. Make your donation payable to: AASD, Attn: Julie Bargholtz, 2701 N. Oneida St., Suite C-1, Appleton WI 54911. We are also collecting empty printer cartridges for the Catholic School in Chilton.

Rose Heinz & Debra Ragen

AUNT ESTHERS BOUTIQUE

On May 29, 2026 President Leigh Splitt and Poppy Chairman Marian Brown along with 6 Auxiliary members presented Colleen Flanagan, owner of Aunt Esther's Boutique with a certificate of appreciation. She was given this because she had the idea to have clothing style show. In November 2024 some members tried on different outfits and modeled around the store while we talked to customers. If they made a donation to King Veterans Home the customers were given a discount. The Auxiliary hosted a style show in August 2025 at the Legion Post. All monies collected were donated to our veterans.

We collected a total of $1478.82 after expenses. $200 of which was donated to Camp American Legion for the new

window blinds of the sponsored cabin we share with the Post of Seymour.

As an Auxiliary member herself, she helped the Auxiliary collect items for King at her shop. These items were collected, counted by Marian Brown and then delivered to King by Lee Schumacher, one of the Legionnaires from Post 38.

A few other Auxiliary members had a modeling spot on WFRV-TV-Local 5 live with Lisa Mallek and Melaine Wells. Colleen was again promoting a collection of items for King Veterans Home at her shop.

We certainly hope Colleen enjoys retirement. We all wish her well as she closes her shop. Stop in her shop before June 30th.

Rose Heinz, Unit 38 Secretary

APPLETON LEGION BASEBALL

We enjoyed March, April, and May! (even though it was unseasonably cold and a bit wet) The new infield took the rain well and no game was cancelled due to an unplayable surface.

Xavier had a good season and claimed the Division 2 Regional Championship with some big wins! We wish them luck in Sectionals taking place in Chilton on June 9th.

Our Legion season began on the road June 3rd. We have two teams: a 17U team and a 16U team. The boys are all Freshmen and Sophomores. Tournaments on the road (17U) include Wisconsin Rapids and Milton. We hope to host the 16U Regional Tournament during Department Convention time. You can find our schedule on our website.

We thank you for your continued support of Appleton Legion Baseball.

Appleton Legion's baseball program began in 1926 and is one of the oldest continuing programs in the nation.

Make sure you check out our website at www.appletonlegionbaseball.org, where you'll find our schedule and more, and follow us on Facebook.

We hope to see you at the Ballpark in 2026, our 100th year!

AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS, DISTRICT 9

Riding season is here!

We made two social rides “up north” to the Crivitz area to discuss and then receive a donation raised by The Flowage Pub & Grub over the Memorial Day weekend. We'll be delivering a $1,285 check to Camp American Legion soon! Our first parades of the season were Memorial Day in Mountain, Appleton, Oconto Falls, and De Pere. Next on our schedule is the “Let's Honor” Parade in Wabeno on June 13th. It's a parade made up entirely of LEO, Fire/EMS, Veterans and the Riders.

Just a reminder, the Riders are once again having a Statewide fundraising motorcycle ride. Cruise for a Cause, 'Family First-26' is June 26-28, 2026 from Kenosha to Medford, and is expected to raise around $65,000.

The purpose is threefold: Operation A.L.F. ($3,000), WI Auxiliary Badger Girls State (20%), Veterans & Children Foundation (VCF) (balance).

This event is open to the public - it's not just for Legion Riders!

Donations will be accepted at stops along the way, online, and by mail. Details are at http://alrawis.org/C4C.

Membership in the American Legion Riders is open to anyone in the Legion Family with a motorcycle of 500cc and larger. Check us out at www.alrawis.org and on Facebook.

Our event schedule can be found at 2026 D9 Events.pdf
Come and join us!

Paul Heit
American Legion Riders Association of Wisconsin District 9 Director
paul.heit@att.net

SCARLET GUARD and HONOR GUARD

Both the Scarlet Guard American Legion Color Guard and the Post 38 Honor Guard are looking for new members.

The Post 38 Honor Guard is the unit that has the privilege to render military honors (rifle volleys, the playing of “Taps”, and the presentation of the Flag and/or shell casings to the families) for our fallen comrades. To join this unit contact Joe Jackson at jackson.j4511@gmail.com or 920.574.8833. Members of the American Legion, Auxiliary, and/or Sons of the American Legion are welcome to join.

Roles of the Scarlet Guard American Legion Color Guard include presenting the colors for high school, semi-pro, and professional sporting events, posting, and retrieving the colors at various veteran service organization and civilian meetings, conventions/conferences, municipal events, and marching in parades. We understand that not everyone can march long distances. Members of varying abilities are welcomed to join and participate when able.

The ***Scarlet Guard American Legion Color Guard*** is a premiere color guard unit representing the American Legion's family of organizations.

- This fall, we will present the colors at various local high school varsity football games. These are phenomenal outreach opportunities to make a positive impression on local youth and their families while gaining exposure for the American Legion family of organizations. Consider joining the Scarlet Guard to join us on these missions.
- Our unit’s mission is "To Honor the Colors" and to promote patriotism throughout the community. Missions we support include presenting the colors at local high school varsity football and basketball games, and other sporting events. We also march in parades, and post and retrieve the colors for meetings and conventions.
- Our roster consists of members from Appleton, Kaukauna, Kimberly, Little Chute, Mountain, Fremont, Wrightstown, Greenville, Freedom, Neenah, and Menasha. People of various abilities are welcome to join. You do not have to march in parades to be a member. Uniforms are provided, except for footwear and a jacket. Membership is open to members of any American Legion Post, American Legion Auxiliary Unit, or Sons of the American Legion Squadron. Contact Eric Stadler (920.450.6907 or eric.stadler1@gmail.com) for more information about joining.
- Thank you to our sponsors: Boyle Auto Sales, Maritime Tavern, SDS Painting Company, Verkuilen-Van Deurzen/Valley Funeral Homes, and our honorary sponsor Hank & Karen's Pub & Grill.
- We will appear twice during the Appleton City Band's patriotic concert on Tuesday, June 30, 2026, at 7:00 p.m., in Appleton's Pierce Park on Prospect Avenue. We hope to see you there.
- We will also be part of the ceremony at Appleton's Veterans Memorial Park on Friday, July 3rd, 2026, recognizing our nation's 250th birthday.
- Save the Date: The 2026 Downtown Appleton Christmas Parade will be on Tuesday, November 24, 2026. All American Legion, Auxiliary, and SAL members will be welcome to march with us in that parade. More details will be available closer to the date of the event.
- Our Quarterly meetings will be July 22nd, and Oct. 28th @ 6:00pm at Post 38.
- Follow and Like the Scarlet Guard Color Guard page on Facebook. Scarlet Guard

Membership in the Scarlet Guard American Legion Color Guard is open to members of any American Legion Post, Auxiliary Unit, or Sons of the American Legion Squadron. The uniform is provided. Contact Eric Stadler (920.450.6907 or eric.stadler1@gmail.com) for more information.

Eric Stadler, Chairperson & Field Commander
Scarlet Guard American Legion Color Guard
920.450.6907 | eric.stadler1@gmail.com

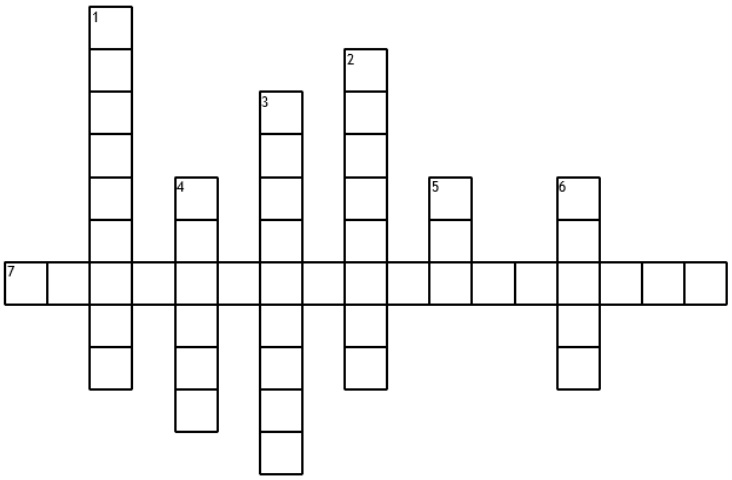
FUNDRAISING:

Sweatshirts & T-Shirts are for sale again this year.

We look forward to continuing our mission of supporting our community, but mostly, our veterans who are the backbone of everything we do.

CHAPLAIN'S CORNER:

Where is the strength and power for everything found?



Across

7. What year was "In God We Trust" added to American currency?

Down

1. Name a vegetable that is good for muscle-building.

2. How many people signed the United States Declaration of Independence?

3. Where can man find power and strength? Exodus 15:2 **4.** What is stronger than words?

5. How many branches of service does America have?

6. How many stars are on the American flag?

(Answers below)

Lori J. Bishop
Auxiliary Unit 38 Chaplain

POST 38 CHAPLAIN'S REPORT

POST EVERLASTING

5-6-2026 Guy Martinek
5-20-2026 Redlin Beyer

Visiting and Volunteers:
Need Volunteers
Recuperating at home or in a Nursing Care Facility/Hospital:

PLEASE NOTIFY ME IF ANY ONE IS RECOVERING FROM SURGERY OR ANY OTHER ILLNESS'S SO I CAN GET THEM IN THE NEWSLETTER THANK YOU

Bob Johnson, Chaplain Post 38
E-mail: rjohnson4116@gmail.com
Phone # 1-920-454-0842

Thank You Veterans!

More is achieved through prayer than this world dreams of.
I will be happy to prayer with you, for you, or for what is on your mind.
920-419-0235 Chaplain Lori J. Bishop

CEMETERY PLOTS

Some of you may not know that we have dedicated plots for American Legion Post 38 members at Riverside Cemetery (6 plots) and St. Joe's Cemetery (39 plots). It is next to a much larger GAR (Grand Army of the Republic) section that is for all veterans. Cost for the plot is $250, and that goes back to the post.

It was discussed that maybe we needed to reach out to our members and inform them that we have these, and if you want one maybe start thinking about preplanning and reserving a spot. You can call Debbie Debruin at Riverside (920-733-5629) or Tina LeFebre at St. Joe's (920-733-1631).

If you want more information, you can also email Bob Johnson at rjohnson4116@gmail.com and he can give you some more particulars.

SQUADRON 38 NEWS & NOTES:

As we come to the end of the "Administrative Year", first and foremost thank you to all the efforts to support the Legion Mission and 4 Pillars. The Squadron's summary, based upon the feedback provided, is time and donations of over 7000 hours and $10,000. Thank you to everyone for what you are doing to support the Legion Mission.

Even though this is the end of the "Administrative Year" this is definitely not the slow time of the year. There are so many activities and Community Events which the Post 38 Legion Family is a part of over the summer. Memorial Day Ceremonies, Flag Day Parade, July 4th Events, Legion Baseball, Legion Riders activities are just the start of everything going on. And do not forget Appleton is the site of the State Convention again this year. The meetings for the SAL are the afternoon of July 17th and all day on July 18th. Everyone is invited to attend/participate in the meetings, there are also many volunteer opportunities to help make sure the Convention is a great one!!!

Again, thank you for all you are doing to support our Veterans, Active Military, their Families, and our Communities. We are needed and we are making a difference in the lives of those around us.

Al Watry
Sons of The American Legion
Adjutant Squadron 38
awatry@mindspring.com

FASTSIGNS APPLETON

A special thank you to Fast Signs for their generous donation of the banner that faces College Ave., and for banners & car magnet signs for the Scarlet Guard.

CLUB 38 MANAGER'S MESSAGE:

We have a full month in June. Bingo will not be available on July 2nd. To make up for that, we will be hosting a purse bingo on 6/27, beginning at 1pm. It will consist of you receiving 6 games of 2 each for bingo. The prize is a designer purse. In case of a tie, cards will be drawn, highest card wins and the other winner will get a consolation prize.

Rolling into July we have 1 available Saturday for the hall on 7/18 which is Department Convention weekend. The weekend of 8/1 is Mile of Music and we have a punk band in the hall. They are providing their own security and cover charge.

If you haven't all seen the hall lately, it is almost 100% remodeled thanks to the people that helped make that possible. Summer is a slow time of the year, so please if you can support the club as much as possible!

(Not much going on this summer) Oh Please! Add Jimmy Buffet annual party on 8/22 with free cheeseburgers. No cover, but a donation or dish to pass is awesome. Time is 2-5 outside, bring lawn chairs

Check the American Legion website and Facebook for updates (https://www.facebook.com/appletonpost38, (Johnston-Blessman Post 38 (appleton38.org).

Jill Nagel, Manager
Club 38 Bar and Grill
club38@AppletonPost38.org
920-733-9840

Gift Cards Available

Bar open Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday.
Kitchen open Sunday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday

Club 38 Bar & Grill
920 733-9840

Answers: Fifty-Six, Asparagus, In the Lord, Action, Six, Fifty, Eighteen Sixty-Four.

Hours

	Bar	Kitchen
Sunday	11am-6pm	11am-6pm
Monday	Closed	Closed
Tuesday	11am-8pm	11am-7pm
Wednesday	11am-8pm	11am-7pm
Thursday	11am-8pm	11am-7pm (Select Sandwiches)
Friday	11am-10pm	11am-8pm
Saturday	11am-8pm*	11am-8pm

*We do host activities and special events that may extend the hours of the bar.
Our banquet hall is available for rent.
A Banquet Hall menu is available to help you plan your next function. Call 920.733.9840

We are Veterans helping Veterans and their families through the Club's activities and service.
PLEASE SUPPORT US!

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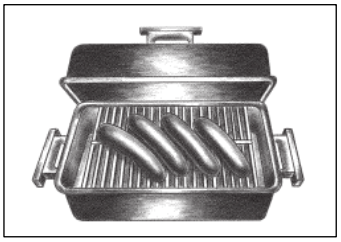

THE WEDNESDAY BRAT FRY 11AM - 2PM STARTED APRIL 1st .

Great turnouts! Great sales! So we need your help!
Come for the day or a few hours. Wednesday, we start at 8:30, finish 3 ish
About 1-2 hour. Pickles, Onion, and Sauerkraut into 1oz cups
Set up: Wednesday morning 8:30. Done before 11am
Grilling: 8:30 Back-up / Break
Brat Fry staff: 11am - 2pm
Wrapping food, taking orders, Bagging orders, Restocking / Runner, All around relief/break
Breakdown and cleanup: Inside or outside, grills, kitchen 1:30 pm, done by 3:00
Prebuy/shop: Wade would be happy to have someone who can lift 25 lbs. go with him to shop for the soda and food.
Excellent start... excellent volunteers...Thank you all so much! P.S. We do have fun!
Contact Ed 920-707-3286 or Wade 920-540-0924

July 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4
			Brat Fry 11-2 Bar Open 11-8, Kitchen Open 2:00-7:00	Bar Open 11-8 Sandwich Specials 11-7 Bingo 4-6	Fish Fry 11-8 Bar Open 11-10	Independence Day Manawa Rodeo Bar Open 11-8, Kitchen 11-7
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
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Bar Open 11-6 Broasted Chicken 11-6	Executive Meeting 6:30pm	Bar Open 11-8 Kitchen 11-7	Brat Fry 11-2 Bar Open 11-8, Kitchen Open 11:00-7:00			

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