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Auxiliary Officers

President.....	Patty Gifford
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**FROM THE
COMMANDER
Cliff Stephens**

Good afternoon.

Hope everyone enjoyed their thanksgiving holiday and if you came to the post for the thanksgiving/Christmas dinner I hope you enjoyed it. Thank you to everyone that helped with the preparation of the fine holiday dinner. If you wish to donate a gift for the auction, we request it be a cleaned gift or new gift. The auction will start at 1:00 pm on Sunday, December 5th, in the bingo hall.

The kid's Christmas party will be Sunday, December 19th, doors open at noon. The clowns will be here from the Shriners at 1:00 and Santa Claus will arrive sometime later around 2:00 pm. There will be hot dogs, chips, and drinks for everyone.

Please remember if you have not signed up your child or children yet, you need to do this as soon as possible. The signup list is in the club room at the bar, ask the bartender if you do not see the list for the names. The age cut off is 13. I hope the membership will help support these 2 functions.

The SAL, Legion, and Auxiliary will have drawings for \$100.00 for each group your membership for 2022 has to be paid by December 31st, 2021, in order to be eligible for this drawing. The drawings will be New Year's Day.

Hope everyone has a wonderful and safe holiday and please help the team to get our membership

back the way it was we are starting to see some come back in.

Cliff Stephens
Commander

PAUL SNAVELY SR S.A.L. COMMANDER

We hope everyone will join us in the programs that we have set up for the month of December. Please come and enjoy the auction and the kids Christmas party. Also, if you want a chance to win \$100.00 get you 2022 dues paid by December 31st, 2021. We will draw a winner on New Year's Day.

I want to wish everyone safe and happy holidays.

Paul Snavely
Squadron 346 Commander

MEMBERSHIP: We are down to the wire on paying your 2022 membership dues. There are many reasons to continue your membership, most of which we've mentioned before. First and foremost is to help the American Legion continue its many veterans, youth, community programs, and legislative efforts. Additionally, your dues must be current to keep your free \$1,000 accidental death and dismemberment (AD&D) insurance. It is \$5,000 if the accident occurs going to, coming from, or during an American Legion related activity. All Legionnaires, Auxiliary, and SAL members are eligible for this benefit. If you haven't yet signed up for the insurance you should do so at www.thelit.com. Also, remember Legionnaires can renew your membership online at www.legion.org/renew.

MOVING? Please notify the post at 812-234-9570 or by email at waynewton346@hotmail.com. If you don't receive your newsletter for some reason in the future, it is always available on our post web site at www.legion346.org.

American Legion Programs/Scholarships
additional information also available on our post website at
www.legion346.org

The total program scholarships and academic gifts,
available annually in the State of Indiana and Nationally,
through the American Legion,
American Legion Auxiliary
and Sons of the American Legion (SAL), is . . .

\$459,475.00!!!

American Legion Department of Indiana program related information
is available online at www.indianalegion.org,
click on "PROGRAMS" and select the desired program.

Or, call the American Legion Department (State) Headquarters at (317) 630-1300.

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Club Room Activities for
Members and Guests Only

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Calendar

Phones
Bingo 812-234-9570
Clubroom 812-232-7315
Bingo License #00278

Club Room hours:
Sun. to Wed. - CLOSED
Thur., Fri., & Sat.: 5 pm – Close

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<i>Free Wi-Fi in Bingo Hall and Clubroom</i>			1 Bingo Early Birds Start @ 6:30 Regular Games @ 7:00	2 Live Music Open Jam Session 7-10 pm Food available 6-9 pm	3 Karaoke 7-10 pm	4 Bingo Games Start 1:00 Karaoke 7-10 pm
5	CHRISTMAS AUCTION Fundraiser for toys for Children – 1 pm	6 Bingo Early Birds Start @ 6:30 Regular Games @ 7:00	7 PEARL HARBOR DAY	8 Bingo Early Birds Start @ 6:30 Regular Games @ 7:00	9 Auxiliary Meeting 7pm Live Music Open Jam Session 7-10 pm Food available 6-9 pm	10 Karaoke 7-10 pm	11 Bingo Games Start 1:00 Karaoke 7-10 pm
12		13 Bingo Early Birds Start @ 6:30 Regular Games @ 7:00	14 Legion Meetings 6-8 pm Clubroom Open 5-8 pm	15 Bingo Early Birds Start @ 6:30 Regular Games @ 7:00	16 Live Music Open Jam Session 7-10 pm Food available 6-9 pm	17 Karaoke 7-10 pm	18 Bingo Games Start 1:00 Karaoke 7-10 pm
19	KID'S CHRISTMAS PARTY @ NOON	20 Bingo Early Birds Start @ 6:30 Regular Games @ 7:00	21 SAL meeting, 6:30 pm Clubroom Open 5-8 pm	22 Bingo Early Birds Start @ 6:30 Regular Games @ 7:00	23 Live Music Open Jam Session 7-10 pm Food available 6-9 pm	24 CHRISTMAS EVE POST CLOSED	25  CHRISTMAS DAY POST CLOSED NO BINGO
26		27 Bingo Early Birds Start @ 6:30 Regular Games @ 7:00	28	29 Bingo Early Birds Start @ 6:30 Regular Games @ 7:00	30 Live Music Open Jam Session 7-10 pm Food available 6-9 pm	31  NEW YEAR'S EVE POST CLOSED	

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**FROM THE
AUXILIARY
PRESIDENT
Patty Gifford**

Greetings to all Auxiliary Members.

I would like to Thank everyone who helped with the Thanksgiving dinner. Whatever you did, brought desserts or worked, everything is appreciated.

Please pay your dues. Remember after December 31st you are delinquent. Senior dues are \$25.00 and Juniors are \$8.00. You can pay at the bar or send to Dorothy Jackson. If you pay your dues before December 31st your name will be put in a drawing for \$100.00.

On December 5th is the auction

at the post at 1:00 pm. Money is to help pay for the Children's Christmas Party. Come down and maybe get some Christmas presents and help out the post. We had some really nice things the last time.

We are having Jam Sessions every Thursday night, 7 to 10 pm. The Auxiliary has the kitchen open. We have summer sausage, cheese and crackers. Also, some kind of sandwich and chips. Come on down and enjoy the music and buy some food. Help support your post and Auxiliary.

The Children's Christmas Party is December 19th at 1:00 pm. Be sure and have your children and your grandchildren signed up at the bar. If not signed up there may not be a gift for them. We will have clowns and Santa Claus. The

Auxiliary will be serving hot dogs, chips and pop.

Our next meeting is Thursday, December 9th, at 7:00 pm. Please come and join us.

Without our Veterans there would be no America.

Have a safe and Merry Christmas. And remember our Veterans.

Take care.
Patty Gifford
Unit 346 President