

Legion Officers

Commander
 Bill Nash
1st Vice Cmdr
 Tim Reger
2nd Vice Cmdr
 Dan Martin
Adjutant
 C. Joe Marschall
Judge Advocate
 John Crotts
Finance Officer
 Bill Wright
Sgt. at Arms
 Steve Swam
Chaplain
 Jim Maness
Historian
 Harry "Jim" Smith
Service Officer
 John Bowersox
At Large
 Rick Rote
 Cid Reyes
 Marv Frush
 Jim Brown
 Bob Schestag
Membership
 John Nash
Dept Exec Cmte
 John Sharp
House Committee
 Denny Cullison

Auxiliary Officers

President
 Patty Sater
1st Vice Pres
 Beverly Martin
2nd Vice Pres
 Paula Scherer
Secretary
 Liz Armacost
Treasurer
 Stacey Nash
Chaplain
 Mary Maness
Historian
 Vacant
Sgt. at Arms
 Josie Bowersox
Membership
 Bev Martin
Exec. Committee
 Jackie Baughman
 Cathy Martin
 Mary Coleman
 Sharon Prajzner
 Lynn Utz
 Mary Jane Wickline

SAL Officers

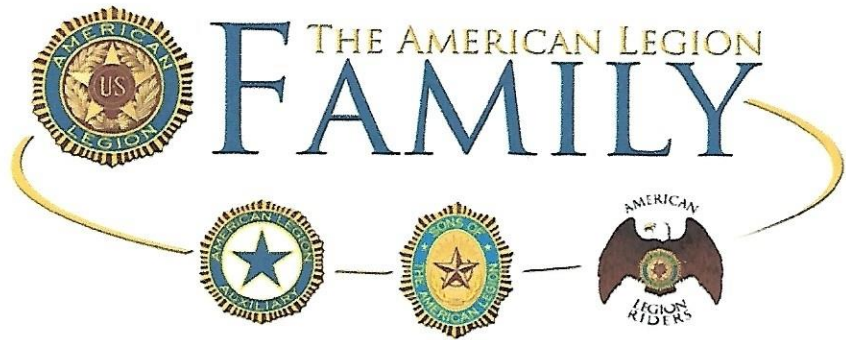
Commander
 Steve Unkard
1st Vice Cmdr
 Tommy Clavell
2nd Vice Cmdr
 John Armacost
Adjutant
 Greg Nott
Finance Officer
 Eric Cellitto
Historian
 Scott McBrien
Chaplain
 Joe Prajzner
Sgt. at Arms
 Robert Utz
Membership
 Bryan Jones
Dept Exec Cmte
 Tom Clavell
Exec Committee
 Charles Bevard
 Roger Mazzone
 Darwin Sater
 Steve Unkard
 John Armacost
SAL WMD
Commander
 Tommy Clavell

Riders Officers

Director
 Jimmy Maddrey
Asst Director
 Ron Burton
Recording Officer
 Shelby Schestag
Treasurer
 Michele Burton
Membership
 Michelle Burton
Sgt. at Arms
 Vacant
Historian
 Kathy Barbagalo
Chaplain
 Vacant
Public Info Officer
 John Sharp
Ride Coordinator
 Geno Antonelli

MEETINGS:

Legion, SAL and Auxiliary:
 1st Monday 7 pm
Riders:
 2nd Wed. 7 pm



Hampstead American Legion Post 200
 4600 Legion Lane
 Hampstead, Maryland 21074
 443-508-2119 www.alpost200.org

From the Commander:

St. Patrick's Day, Annual Car Show and Memorial Day are within weeks of being here. Please attend our celebrations on these days.

Mary & Christine have taken our kitchen fare to a new high level. Don't miss out on their Friday night specials. Monday night ½ price burgers have been hugely successful. Thanks for your participation.

Nominations for 2020-2021 Officers will be open starting in March. Anyone interested, please contact the nominating committee.

The Hall and Pavilion rental continue to be our largest source of revenue. Our sincere thanks to Elinore & Marvin Frush for their tireless management of the rentals.

Thanks again to our Staff and Volunteers for making our Post, Post 200, the best in the State.

For God and Country,
 Bill

Membership

Our Post remains fourth in Carroll County renewals. None of our County Posts achieved 100% by December - Our Post is at 86.5%. Please help us reach 100% by the April deadline for this year's membership goal by renewing as soon as you can. If you need help, please call me at 410-833-1600. Your membership is important to our Post and the American Legion mission to help veterans and their families. Thanks, Bill

**Greetings Everyone
Auxiliary Unit 200 update:**

Note: Members: we need your delicious baked goods for our Good Friday Bake Sale. If you can help, please bring them on Thursday to the Legion or very early on Friday. Thank you!

Wintertime, snow, keeping warm by the fire, birdfeeders, hats and gloves will lead us soon into the warmth of Spring. Celebrating our *Centennial Year*, we continuously celebrate together as the *American Legion Family*. All members are encouraged to sign the Centennial Banner located in the Post Lounge, be sure to visit and sign your name. This Fall, the Banner along with other memorabilia will be placed into a *Time capsule*. Our *History* awaits to our future members.

We have some exciting activities coming up, so be sure to check the attached newsletter calendar, it is full of information, save the dates. The Hampstead/Manchester Business Expo, St. Patrick's Day, Legion Oyster Feed, Good Friday/Easter Bake sale, and Egg Hunt, Hampstead Poppy Day, and the Auxiliary Car Show.

CARE packages for our Military, let us know of someone that is serving. We'll ship out a special care package to them.

Let's help with our Veteran Hospitals by collecting new clothing, all adult sizes, pajamas, socks, sweatshirts, sweatpants and *Reader Glasses*, also collecting new clothing for the Casey Cares Foundation; socks and pajamas of all sizes. Located in the entrance to the lounge there is a collection basket for your donations.

**Have you paid your membership dues? Do you have a family or friend that would like to join?
Join in at our meetings, and see what you can help out with, there is something for everyone!**

Stop by the Legion Post for some lunch or dinner, there are daily specials and delicious desserts. Check out the weekend *Entertainment* schedule, it is all there waiting for you.

HELPING VETERANS, MILITARY, THEIR FAMILIES, COMMUNITY, CHILDREN & YOUTH.

100 YEARS OF SERVICE NOT SELF,
For God and Country, Patty Sater, Unit 200 President, WMD Poppy Representative



Be sure to come to our Bake Sale, Lunch and Egg Hunt on Good Friday, April 10th beginning at 9 am.

We will have delicious baked items and some Easter and Spring crafts for sale. We will be serving a delicious lunch and we also have carry-outs. So either join us in the hall or take it home and enjoy it.

Then at 1 pm, be sure to round up the kiddies, ages up to 12 years old and enjoy our annual egg hunt where there are lots of eggs and prizes to find.

At 2 pm enjoy a bit of magical entertainment that is sure to amaze the youngsters and adults alike by Dave Thomen of D's Magic.

So you don't have to bake, cook or entertain the children. Let us do it for you!

**It is in our darkest moments that we must focus to see the light.
.....Aristotle**

Welcome New Members to the Auxiliary Unit 200

Jamie Craig; Deborah Gibson; Denise Hansbrough;
Rebecca McDaniels; Genevieve Sedlacer;
Marlene Shaneybrook; Sharon Warfield; Mary Westerfield;
Lorraine Wiley; Megan Wiley; Melissa Saboury;
Dianna Marlow; Hailey Baughman

Our Kitchen Girls!

Have you met our girls in the kitchen yet? Meet Mary and Christine who are doing a fantastic job. Specials are back, but occasionally there might be a surprise or two! Come out to see what is cooking!

Note: During Lent, February 26th to April 9th, the kitchen will also feature a Battered Fish Basket and in addition on Fridays, a Salmon Cake Sandwich.

The Banner Program for the banners in the town of Hampstead is ending. We will hold it open until March 7th is anyone is still interested in obtaining one for themselves or a loved one. Contact Elinore 410-374-4466

Greetings to SAL members....

From the Sons of the American Legion.

As the winter months are slowly getting behind us. We look forward to seeing the green grass and spring flowers. We are also looking to get started on the pavilion project. One plague for those that helped on the post and rail building fund, that put the white post and rails you see going around the pavilion. Stay tuned in on the other projects that will be posted later.

On membership, we have 19 renewals and some new members. That gives us 247 members at 75%. Please put your phone number on your membership application. The queen of hearts is going well bring a friend along, we have the drawing every Wednesday at 7:30 unless otherwise noted. The more people that play the jackpot will grow! I just got back from the O.C draw down and all the training classes and meetings at Post 166. Perryville post 135, will have their draw down February 29th 6 p.m-11p.m. both proceeds benefit detachment commanders project.

May God Continue to bless America
Your commander Steve Unkart



Welcome New Members to the Sons of the American Legion Squadron #200

Randall D. Neal; Timothy L. Hannan; Eugene R. Lamdin;
Robert Miller; David B. Wasserman; William R. Hagan

Eagle Scout Project

We were recently approached and asked if we had anything that needed to be done around the post. An Eagle Scout was looking for a project and he wanted to do something to help veterans. We knew that our ramp to the hall would soon need replacing. We took that project to him and he said that he wanted to do it. If you have a chance, please go look at the great job that he and his troop did.

Eagle Scout's Name is:
Brandon Scott Woolf
His Troop is from Monkton
Troop #1908

We have been so fortunate to have Brandon do his Eagle project with us. As some of you know who are or have been Eagle Scouts, this will follow him throughout his life. Being an Eagle Scout teaches leadership as well as many skills that will be beneficial in the lives of those who have made that rank. Thank you, Brandon and Troop #1908. Well Done!

Greetings from the Legion Riders

We are sponsoring a Spring Fling at Perry Point on April 25th. We will be leaving the Post at 10:30 am. We are still working out the details and are always interested in volunteers. Our meetings are the 2nd Wednesday of the month.

Annual Crab Feasts

August 22nd & 23rd 1:00 – 5:00

POW/MIA Pavilion

Saturday, August 22nd – SAL

Sunday, August 23rd – Legion

Tickets will go on sale June 1st

More Information to come

Contact Darwin Sater 410-493-8164

MOTOR COACH BUS TRIP

Saturday, June 20th

HEROES HAVEN CRAB FEAST

LAYTON'S CHANCE VINEYARD

More information soon-

Interested? Contact

Patty Sater 443-789-1183

Place your name on the Sign-Up List.

Hampstead American Legion Auxiliary

11th Annual Car Show



Saturday May 9, 2020

Registration from 9 – Noon

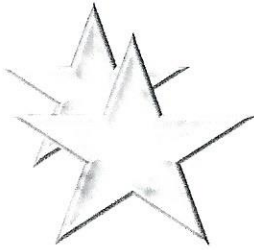
Awards Presented at 2:00

Judging by Registrant Votes

Awards for TOP 15 CARS

Trophies for

Commander's Choice, Auxiliary President's Choice & People's Choice



\$10.00 Advance Registration

(received by May 8th)

\$15.00 Day of Event Registration

(goody bag including lunch voucher to first 50 registered)



Breakfast/Lunch available for purchase

American Legion Post 200

4600 Legion Lane, Hampstead, MD 21074

Hampstead American Legion & Auxiliary are not responsible for vandalism, theft or other damages. No alcoholic beverages permitted on premises.

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Name:		Phone:
Address:		Email:
City/State/Zip:		
Year:	Make:	Model:

Make Checks Payable to: **H.A.L.A. Unit 200**

Send to: Hampstead American Legion Aux. Unit 200, 4600 Legion Lane, Hampstead, MD 21074 Attn: Car Show

Additional information call Liz at 410-239-4203 or email staceynash1@gmail.com

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March 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 Burger Night Regular Mtgs 7pm	3 Taco Tuesday	4 Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm	5 Wing Night	6 Country Fried Steak Dinner w/ 2 sides	7
8	9 Burger Night	10 Taco Tuesday Bar Bingo in the lounge	11 Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm Riders Mtg 7pm	12 Wing Night	13 Baked Pork Chop Dinner w/ 2 sides	14 Manchester Hampstead Business Expo Doug Abbott DJ in the lounge 7-11
15	16 Burger Night	17 St. Patrick's Day Corned Beef or Ham Dinner, Ruebens too Noon until ?	18 Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm Exec. Mtg 7pm	19 Wing Night	20 Italian Casserole garden salad garlic toast	21 Never Too Late Band in lounge 7-11
22 Creative Arts in Bowie, Md	23 Burger Night	24 Taco Tuesday	25 Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm Maryland Day	26 Wing Night	27 Creamed Chicken over biscuits w/2 sides	28 "Countrymen" in the lounge 7-11 Post 200 Oyster Feed 1-4 pm
29 ALA WMD Mtg in Boonsboro #10 Vietnam Veterans Day	30 Burger Night	31 Taco Tuesday			Meat Raffles Every Friday Night	

April 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Meat Raffles Every Friday Night			1 April Fool's Day Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm	2 Wing Night	3 Pot Roast w/ 2 sides	4 The Country Boyz in the lounge 7-11
5	6 Burger Night Regular Mtgs 7pm	7 Taco Tuesday	8 Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm Riders Mtg 7pm	9 Wing Night	10 Good Friday Bake Sale and Lunch open 9am Egg Hunt 1 pm Baked Salmon w/ 2 sides	11 WMD Reception at FSK Post #11
12 Easter Post Closed. Enjoy your families	13 Burger Night	14 Taco Tuesday Bar Bingo in the lounge	15 Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm	16 Wing Night	17 Chicken Cordon Bleu w/ 2 sides	18 Think Tank in the lounge 7-11 classic rock trio, acoustic guitars
19	20 Burger Night	21 Taco Tuesday	22 Earth Day Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm Exec. Mtg 7pm	23 Wing Night	24 Shepherd's Pie w 1 vegetable	25 Doug Abbott DJ in the lounge Kidney Found. Coach Bingo in Upstairs Hall
26	27 Burger Night	28 Taco Tuesday	29	30 Wings Night	Meat Raffles Every Friday Night	Page 5 of 7

May 2020

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1 Sweet & Sour Chicken over Spanish Rice w/ 1 side	2 Poppy Day in Hampstead Never Too Late in the lounge 7-11
3 AL WMD Mtg at Hampstead Post 200 ALA DEC Mtg at Mt Airy #191	4 Regular Mtgs 7pm Nominations Burger Night	5 Taco Tuesday Newsletter Information Due for June, July, August	6 Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm	7 Wing Night	8 Breaded Veal Parmesan, salad, garlic toast	9 ALA Car Show on Post Grounds See p4 for application
10 Mother's Day	11 Burger Night	12 Taco Tuesday Bar bingo in the lounge	13 Riders Mtg. 7pm Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm	14 Wing Night	15 Baked Ham with glaze w/ 2 sides	16 Reggie's Karaoke 7-11 in the lounge
17 ALA WMD Mtg at Carroll Post #31	18 Burger Night	19 Taco Tuesday	20 Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm Exec. Mtg. 7 pm	21 Wing Night	22 Mark Jacob in the lounge Chicken Alfredo over noodles Nat'l Poppy Day	23 Hampstead Day at Arcadia Fire Grounds. 8-4 Help from all groups.
24	25 Memorial Day Memorial Service 9 am War Memorial Post Picnic 1 -3	26 Taco Tuesday	27 Queen of Hearts 7:30 pm	28 Wing Night	29 Meat Loaf with gravy w/ 2 sides	30
31					Meat Raffles Every Friday Night	

Pray for our sick....may they be healed.

Diane Harroll
Joe Taymans
Linda Allen
Joe Prajzner
Liz Watson
Phil Wilson
Louise Angley
Angie Cassetta
Carolyn Evans
Gert Noel
Janet Kreit

All those who are suffering whose names are
not on this list.

*Strengthen them in their struggles; bring them
deep and lasting peace and make them
well again.*

Post Everlasting

Jackie Russo
Mark Main
Edgar Schaeffer
Donald W. Martin
Richard Lee Leister
Geraldine Ruby
Audrey Eslinger
Althea Jane Zepp
Donald W. Martin
Leonard R. Hinton
Keith "Buddy" Gill
Robert Robertson, Sr.

They have touched our lives in so many
ways and we will forever remember
them.

May they and their families know
everlasting peace.

Help Needed Around the Post:

Cut down and haul away a dead pine tree along the upper side of the parking lot. See Marvin if you can help.
410-374-4466

**Veterans: Take Advantage of the
benefits you have earned!**
VETERANS CLAIMS CLINIC AND RESOURCE FAIR
Thursday, March 19, 2020
10 am to 2 pm
Carroll Community College

Multiple opportunities for Veterans under one roof:

- File od follow-up on a VA compensation and pension claim*
- Apply for VA health care*
- Learn about VA health care programs and services
- Tour the Mobile Vet Center
- Learn about Veterans burial benefits
- Find community resources and obtain a Veteran ID

*To file a claim or apply for VA health care, please bring copies of your pertinent medical records, military discharge paperwork (DD214) and photo ID.

To RSVP or for additional information, call the Maryland Department of Veterans Affairs at 410-230-4444, ext.6450.

Sponsored by the Chesapeake Veterans Alliance and the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, in partnership with the Carroll County Government and Carroll Community College.

Carroll Community College, Building A, 1601 Washington Rd, Westminster, Md.

Get Out The Vote! (from American Legion website)

In 1920, during the American Legion National Convention in Cleveland, the organization went on record urging all American Legion men to become qualified voters. Since then the organization has passed countless similar resolutions advocating Legionnaires to not only exercise their constitutional responsibility to vote, but to also encourage others to do the same.

As citizens of this great nation, it is our duty and responsibility to exercise this right of franchise by casting our ballots on Election Day. It was on this premise that The American Legion's "Get Out the Vote" program was initiated shortly after the organization's inception. Today it is as important as it was to elections past.

All Legionnaires are encouraged to renew their commitment for continued service to this country by being politically active individuals. By working together as an organization we can make a difference by promoting an informed populace, participation in our government, and involvement in its electoral process. We cannot forget that in this country, our government is "of the people, by the people and for the people". It cannot survive as a democratic republic unless the people participate. That is our task. So Legion Members, Auxiliary Members, SAL Members and friends alike, let's remember to vote when Election Time rolls around.

Visit the Legion's Legislative Action Center at: <http://legion.capwiz.com/election/home>

Dates to Remember: June 7th, Day For God and Country at Camp WestMar 2pm;
June 14th, Flag Day (remember to fly it proudly)
June 18th Installation of Officers in Upstairs Hall
July 14-17th, AL/ALA Department Convention in Ocean City, Md.
August 1, 16th annual Post 200 Golf Tournament
August 22nd, SAL Annual Crab Feast, Tickets on sale June 1st
August 23rd, Post 200 Annual Crab Feast, Tickets on sale June 1st

It is never too late
to become what
you might have
been....

George Elliott