

# Post 55

## Post Officers for 2008-2009

Commander	Jud Lamphear
Adjutant	Charles Evans
Finance Officer	Bill Werner
1st Vice	Larry Starling
2nd Vice	Don Anderson
Judge Advocate	Lewis Pleasants
Post Historian	Dewey Holt
Chaplain	Willie Craven
Service Officer	James Barkley
Sergeant At Arms	Wayne Reid
Exec Officer 3 yr	Bill Temples
Exec Officer 2 yr	Sam Dillard
Exec Officer 1 yr	Phil Blackburn
Public Rel. Officer	Ernie Kelly

### Commanders Corner

By Jud Lamphear

MARCH 2009

The Super Bowl and Sweetheart Dinner were a lot of fun and I believe a success. Thanks so much to all involved and to all of you for your continued support to our post.

We had our first, (of many I hope), Spaghetti Dinner here at the post on Feb. 24. The turnout was tremendous, the spaghetti was excellent and all had an enjoyable time. Once again Larry Starling excelled with his fantastic spaghetti sauce. We had planned on doing this on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month, but Bike Night will kick off some time in April, we might have to reschedule a different night. Thanks also for the help in the kitchen, you know who you are.

Mark your calendars, March 28 the 2<sup>nd</sup> CHANCE BAND will be here at the post. \$5.00 per person. More info to come.

Our hall rentals will be coming upon us again. As of now we have 1 in March, I will send out dates. We need volunteers to help monitor these rentals. Hope to see some new volunteers.

I had the honor to witness the POW-MIA EMPTY CHAIR CEREMONY at the ALR'S Appreciation dinner, Feb 28. This was by far one of the most moving events that I have ever been to. Rolling Thunder was instrumental in teaching the ALR the fundamentals, apparently the teaching worked. Great job guys.

**“The main thing is to make history, not to write it.”**

Otto Von Bismarck

We have a great web site: Check it out at [nclegion.org/post55.htm](http://nclegion.org/post55.htm)

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**Chaplain's Message** **By WILLIE CRAVEN**

Please remember our veterans in the hospital and those at home. Remember all POW's and pray for their safe return. Be sure to remember our sick shut-in members and those in the hospital.

Keep all our veterans and active duty personal, near and far in your prayers.

**Post 55 Hall Rentals**

Post 55 hall(s) are available for renting for your special event. Our large hall has a capacity of 250 persons and our small hall will seat 75. See Kathy Graves, Jud Lamphear or Bill Werner for details at our Post home or call them at 724-0660.

**VA HOME - SALISBURY**

Come join us, the 3rd Thursday at the VA home is bingo with the vets. It is a lot of fun and these folks look forward to it each week. Sign up in the canteen – transportation is available

**F.Y.I.**

Make a note: Reverse drawing May 23 at post. \$25.00 per couple, chance to win \$1000.00. Music/Dance provided by Ron Neely, The Mobile Jukebox and dinner again from Whole Foods. Tickets will be available for sale in the coming week.

**SICK CALL: Polly Parrish, Rick Hall**  
**Let's keep them in our thoughts and prayers.**

**BUY A BRICK**

**We are selling bricks. Honor your self, or your loved ones. We are selling bricks in the hallway \$50.00 each. You can honor anyone with an inscription commemorating his or her time in service etc. See example in canteen.**

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
POST OPEN 1300	OPEN 1300	HOT DOGS \$1.00 OPEN 1300	DANCE 2000 POST OPEN 1300	BEER & HOT DOGS \$1.00 OPEN 1300	CHICKEN/ FISH  OPEN 1300	POST OPEN 1500
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
ROLLING THUNDER	40/8 1800	DARTS	DANCE	BOARD MEETING 1830	CHICKEN/ FISH	
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
ALR 1600		STEAK ROAST	DANCE		CHICKEN/ FISH	
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	JOINT DINNER MTG 1900	FRA 1900  DARTS	DANCE	BINGO  VA HOME	CHICKEN FISH /	
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
SAL 1600	MCL 1900	DARTS SPAGHETTI NIGHT \$5.00	DANCE		CHICKEN/ FISH	2 <sup>ND</sup> CHANCE BAND
29	30	31				
		DARTS				