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# AMERICAN LEGION NEWSLETTER



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## JUNE 2021

This will be my last newsletter as your Commander. Let me say it has been an honor and very enjoyable to have served you.

Please give your new Commander Joe Rudebeck the support and help that you all have given me these last few years. I will be helping as the Adjutant until someone is found to take this job in the very near future.

Since the Department of Illinois is raising it's per capita we needed to raise our dues starting July 1, 2021 to 40.00 dollars a year. That is still very inexpensive to belong to the best post in the State of Illinois.

We have weathered the Pandemic and business is beginning to pick up. We will have State and National Conventions this year.

Please continue to support your American Legion and help with it's many programs supporting our community and our youth. We also support, listen, and talk to our veterans. That's our main goal, "Veterans serving Veterans" always.

**Commander;  
Bob Zimbelman**

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We will be giving away three \$500 scholarships. To enter you must be related to a member of American Legion Post 979. Send a letter to the post stating who & how you are related, your name, address, phone number, what you have done in school & what you plan to do. Also please include a copy of your grades, S A T scores, and a copy of your college letter of acceptance. We will need to receive this by June 1st.

**SAL President - Garrett Slevin**

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## LOUNGE 979 NEWS

Please continue to support your American Legion Post 979.

Come on out for the Wednesday night drawing ~ the pot is over \$30,000!!!

Remember to keep us in mind for your dinner plans Wednesday through Saturday. You can find a full menu on the legion website: [www.limestoneamericanlegion979.com](http://www.limestoneamericanlegion979.com)

Come on out on Friday nights to enjoy great music and friends. You can view our live entertainment line up on the calendar or on the legion website under activities.

**Building Manager - Monica Jordan**

## From the Women's Auxiliary

Our Wednesday night raffle bake sale is on again. Thanks to Odie and Christine. They are doing very well.

The department state convention is July in Springfield. If you are interested in going please contact me for more info.

The 16th District meeting is June 19th at 8:00 AM at the Post. The 3rd Division meeting is June 26th at the Post at 8:00 am.

The Post is having Installation of Officers at the June meeting. Our Auxiliary officers are not changing, so we will not do install. Our Department officers are rolling over too.

We are in need of volunteers to help with Auxiliary events, etc. If interested contact me at (309) 231-3988. It takes ALL of us to keep running this Auxiliary. Our year runs from August 1st to August 1st. If your dues for 2021 are not paid you will not be able to enter the bar. You will need the current key card. You also need your dues paid for the raffle drawing. Dues for 2022 are due on August 1st.

Meetings are the 2nd Tuesday of the month at 7 pm in hall. Please plan on attending.

**Janice Gruber - Auxiliary President**

## From Post 979 Riders

### **Fellow Riders,**

We are anxiously awaiting warm, dry weather so we can get back on the road and enjoy the breeze and enjoy the rides. Please be on the lookout for us, so we can arrive alive. We will soon begin our Ride-N-Dine rides again, so keep on the lookout for emails and notifications soon. Congrats to Jim Miller who won our 1st raffle of 2021. We still have two active raffles for a Taurus G2C 9mm, and hope to be doing more in the near future. Entries will be available on Wednesday nights during the 50/50 Raffles, so stop by for a chance to win and support our great cause. Our next meeting will be on June 10th at 6:00 PM in the Hall, come join us if you can.

**Adam "Ace" Smith - Director, 979 ALR**

## **J & J KITCHENS**

NIGHTLY SPECIALS &  
REGULAR MENU ITEMS  
(menu on legion website)

Thursday - Saturday  
4:30 - 8:00 pm

<u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>FRIDAY</u>	<u>SATURDAY</u>
Cooks Choice: \$8.00  <i>Check Calendar Below</i>	Walleye Dinner  1/2 Chicken Dinner	Catfish Dinner  12 oz. Ribeye Dinner  16 oz. Ribeye Dinner	12 oz. Prime Rib Dinner  16 oz. Prime Rib Dinner  1/2 Rack BBQ Baby Back Rib Dinner

\*All Dinners Served with Two Sides, Roll & Butter

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 LUNCH 11:30-1 6" SUB SANDWICH PASTA SEAFOOD SALAD & CHIPS  <b>SAL MTG 6:30</b>	2 <b>JACKPOT RAFFLE</b>  CATFISH FILLET BAKED POTATO & COLE SLAW	3  <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b> Open to the Public	4 <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b>  MUSIC @ BAR <b>FLAT TOP</b> 7:00 PM	5 LUNCH 11:30-1 FISH & FRIES ONION RINGS  <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b>
6	7 <b>EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING 6:30 PM</b>	8 BBQ PULLED PORK SANDWICH, POTATO SALAD, BAKED BEANS  <b>MEMBERSHIP &amp; AUX MTG 7 PM</b>	9 <b>JACKPOT RAFFLE</b>  CHICKEN & NOODLES MASHED POTATOES VEGETABLE	10 <b>A.L. RIDERS MTG 6 PM</b>  <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b>	11 <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b>  MUSIC @ BAR BRIAN VICARY & CRAIG ELAM 7:00 PM	12 LUNCH 11:30-1 BBQ PORK CHOP BAKED POTATO  <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b>
13	14	15 LUNCH 11:30-1 FISH SANDWICH, FRIES & SLAW	16 <b>JACKPOT RAFFLE</b>  SALISBURY STEAK MASHED POTATOES & VEGETABLE	17  <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b> Open to the Public	18 <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b>  MUSIC @ BAR <b>BLACK VELVET</b> 7:00 PM	19 LUNCH 11:30-1 SPAGHETTI & GARLIC BREAD  <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b>
20 <b>FATHER'S DAY</b>	21	22 LUNCH 11:30-1 TACO SALAD BOWL	23 <b>JACKPOT RAFFLE</b>  COUNTRY FRIED STEAK MASHED POTATOES & VEGETABLE	24  <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b> Open to the Public	25 <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b>  MUSIC @ BAR <b>BILLY WASHBURN</b> 7:00 PM	26 LUNCH 11:30-1 TENDERLOIN FRIES & ONION RINGS  <b>FOOD 4:30-8</b>
27	28	29 LUNCH 11:30-1  CHEESE BURGER, SLAW & TOTS	30 <b>JACKPOT RAFFLE</b>  SPAGHETTI SALAD & GARLIC BREAD			