



## Post Officers

- ◆ **Commander:** Paul D. Dougherty
- ◆ **Sr. Vice Commander:** Miguel Hernandez
- ◆ **Jr. Vice Commander:** Craig M. Wiley
- ◆ **Quartermaster:** Robert Broody
- ◆ **Chaplain:** Marvin Walton
- ◆ **Adjutant:** Tom Hrynkow
- ◆ **Judge Advocate:** Claude Frisbie
- ◆ **Service Officer:** Paul D. Dougherty
- ◆ **Post Surgeon:** Barry Molyneaux
- ◆ **Officer-of-the-Day:** Barry Molyneaux
- ◆ **1 Year Trustee:** Tom Wise
- ◆ **2 Year Trustee:** Tom Ames
- ◆ **3 Year Trustee:** Jerry Banks



## Auxiliary Officers

- ◆ **President:** Debbie Albright
- ◆ **Sr. Vice President:** Dot Swisher
- ◆ **Jr. Vice President:** Carol Osborne
- ◆ **Secretary:** Ginny Pringle
- ◆ **Treasurer:** Susan Hernandez
- ◆ **Chaplain:** Yolanda Walus
- ◆ **Guard:** Simone Luminello
- ◆ **Conductress:** Myrtle Butterman
- ◆ **1 Year Trustee:** Betty Alexander
- ◆ **2 Year Trustee:** Carol Gill
- ◆ **3 Year Trustee:** Jeanette Beam



## What's Happening?



Join us at the VFW  
**Second Annual Chili Cook-Off**  
 March 20th 11:30am - 2:00pm

# Cooks WANTED!

Proceeds Support the Soldier Relief Fund  
 Sign up at the post or email [webmaster@vfwpost845.org](mailto:webmaster@vfwpost845.org)

Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

**Last Year's Winner: Devon Terry. Who will take 1st place this year?**



# Lena's Catering - "News from the Kitchen"

*Visit the Post for a complete menu. Delicious food, unbeatable service and great prices!*

## Daily Specials:

**Sunday & Monday Football** - 50 cent Wings!

**Tuesday** - \$3.00 Hoagies (Italian, Ham & Cheese, Tuna)

**Wednesday** - 1/2 price appetizers

**Thursday** - \$5.00 ALL-U-CAN EAT Nachos

**Friday & Saturday** - Chefs Special

## Lunch Hours

Mon - Fri 11:30am to 2pm

Sat. & Sun. 12:00pm to 3pm

## Dinner Hours

Mon - Sat. 4:00pm to 9:00pm

Sunday 4:00pm to 8:00pm



Chef & Proprietor  
Michael Digiamberardino  
484-886-9448  
Please ask for our special catering menu!



## VFW & Ladies Auxiliary Business Directory

**Do you own a business or provide a service that you would like the members of the VFW to know about?**

Email your business contact information or a copy of your business card to [newsletter@VFWpost845.org](mailto:newsletter@VFWpost845.org)

Directory open to regular members, social members & Ladies Auxiliary



*Welcome HOME!*

**February 27th - Welcome Back Lunch for Bravo Company.**  
The Post is hosting a lunch for the returning Soldiers.



If you are at the Post on the 27th,  
please welcome them home!



Army Sgt. Jeremy Teela, a three-time Olympian, finished ninth in the men's 10-kilometer sprint on the first day of competition in the biathlon in Whistler, British Columbia, Canada.



***Check this out!***

- ◆ President Barack Obama recently signed the Veterans' Emergency Care Fairness Act of 2009. The new law will enable the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) to reimburse veterans enrolled in VA health care for the remaining cost of emergency treatment if the veteran has outside insurance that only covers part of the cost. Previously, VA could reimburse veterans or pay outside hospitals directly only if a veteran has no outside health insurance.
- ◆ Check out this FREE Military Buddy finder on [www.military.com](http://www.military.com) . Are you looking to connect with someone you served with but don't know where to find them. Try this free site!



## The Purpose of the Veterans of Foreign Wars

The purpose of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States is to preserve and support the patriotic and historical interests of our country, our communities and our veterans; to strengthen the common bonds of the men and women who have served and who are currently serving in our military; to assist them and their families to enhance their quality of life; to maintain true allegiance to the Constitution and laws of the United States of America and defend her from all enemies, whomsoever.

### We will accomplish our mission by:

- Perpetuating the memory and history of our dead through public and private acts of remembrance;
- Preserving and defending the honor, integrity and rights of all veterans and those currently serving in the military;
- Fostering patriotism through education and volunteerism within the community; Advocating a strong national defense.

*Post Elections coming up in April!*

## Home Loans & Real Estate News For Veterans

- ◆ The tax credit you are hearing about is not just for first time home buyers. If you have owned a home for 5 years and are planning to move, you can qualify for \$6,500 back from the government. Not a bad house warming present!
- ◆ If you are looking to purchase a home, there are programs for Veterans that allow you to purchase a home with NO money down, obtain lower interest rates, eliminate mortgage insurance and possibly save you hundreds of dollars a month.
- ◆ Are you curious what your home could sell for? Would you like a home pricing estimate? Contact me today for a FREE consultation. No obligation, just information!
- ◆ For more information about using Veterans benefits to purchase a home, you can contact Craig M. Wiley, REALTOR at 610-812-8691 or wileyrealestate@comcast.net.

### VA Loan Rates

As of 2/16/10

30 Year Fixed

0.000 points

5.00%

5.106% [APR](#)

15 Year Fixed

0.000 points

5.00%

5.183% [APR](#)





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