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Club Manager - Sheila Gonzales

Post 1461 Sept/Oct 2023 Newsletter

Post and Auxiliary Meetings
Sept 11th & Oct 9th 7pm

*Monday Sept 4th Labor Day
Club will be open normal hours*



Labor Day Potluck

Meat/Money Raffle & Meals
September & October

**1pm in the lounge
meat will be provided
Bring a dish to pass**

Friday Sept 8th & 22nd
Friday October 13th & 27th

Sept 14th VFW Post & Aux Blood Drive

Meat tickets 20 for \$10 over 100 items
Money tickets 1 or \$10 - \$5 paid back out,
\$2 toward a drink, \$3 to the scholarship

1-6 pm
Sign up in the lounge or go to
the Rock River Valley Blood
Center Website to sign up for
a time slot.

Sept 8th – Salisbury Steak
Sept 22nd – Stuffed Peppers
Oct 13th – Pork Loin
Oct 27th – Goulash

Meals served from 4:30-6:30

Halloween Lock In

Did you hear that the VFW is haunted? Come hang out with us on see if it's true. Sat Oct. 28th
More information will follow as details develop.
Information will be posted in the club.

Live in the Lounge

The Shufflers

Friday Sept 15th & Oct 20th
4:30-7:30 pm

Friday Sept 15th Back of the Closet Night- find the most random thing you have in the back of your closet and wear it.

Italian Beef Sandwiches \$5

Friday Oct 20th Happy Fall Ya'll – wear festive fall or Halloween apparel

Meatball sandwiches \$5



Indoor Bags League
Next Session of Wednesday Bags League will be starting Oct 11th.
If you are interested, please see the bartender or Sheila to sign up.

Trivia Night

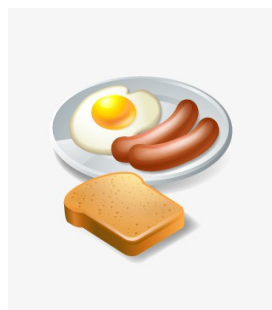
Wednesday Sept 20th
Wednesday Oct 18th
6:30pm

Game Night

SATURDAY SEPT 9TH
SATURDAY OCTOBER 7TH
6:30PM

Wednesdays in the Pavilion

Served 5-7 pm
Hamburger/Cheeseburger, Beef Hot Dog, or Brat \$3.00
Corn on the Cob (when available) \$1.00/ear
Make it a meal for add'l \$2
Potato/Macaroni/Pasta Salad & Chips
We are hoping to continue thru the end of October, weather permitting.



Sunday Breakfast
All you can eat \$8
Sun. Sept 24th &
Oct 22nd
8 am-11 am

Birthday/Anniversary Potlucks Are Back
Sunday October 8th
We Will Be Celebrating Everyone Who Has Had A Birthday or Anniversary From Jan – Oct.
Sign Up In The Lounge And Let's Have Some Fun.
Everyone That Signs Up With A Birthday/Anniversary From Jan – Oct Will Be Placed In A Drawing For Prizes.

VFW Fall Vendor & Craft Event

Saturday Oct 28th 11am-4pm
If you are interested in signing up to sell please see Sheila
Lunch items will also be available for purchase.

EVERY MONDAY

September & October Monday Lunches- \$5
served 11 am-2 pm

Sept 4th – NO lunch, potluck
Sept 11th Meatball Sandwiches
Sept 18th Tacos
Sept 25th Pulled Pork Sandwiches
Oct 2nd Italian Beef
Oct 9th Meatball Sandwiches
Oct 16th BLT sandwiches
Oct 23rd Pull Pork Sandwiches
Oct 30th Grilled cheese and soup

Saturday September 30th Post clean up

We are looking for volunteers for our first annual post clean up. All hands are useful. We have all sorts of things we will be doing that day from cleaning, rearranging, organizing, and some basic maintenance. Please let Sheila or Berni know if you are interested in helping out.

Wednesday October 25th Trick or Treat on State

the club will have a tent on State St for this years Trick or Treat on State bring the kids or grandkids by to see **who or what** may be in the tent!

September 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Every Sunday Bingo \$3.50 big beers & Seltzer Sundays	Every Monday Lunch served 11-2pm	Every Tuesday \$1.50 domestic beers & \$2.50 well drinks	Every WedBurgers, Brats, & Hots in the pavilion \$3.50 big beers	Every Thursday \$1.50 domestic beers & \$2.50 well drinks		
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3 Labor Day	4	5	6	7	8 MEAT RAFFLE	9
	Potluck in the lounge 1pm				Salisbury Steak Dinner served 4:30- 6:30	
10 Meetings 7pm	11	12	13	14 Italian Beef \$5	15	16 Game Night
	Meatball sandwiches				The Shufflers in the lounge- Back of the Closet Night	
17	18	19 Trivia Night	20	21 MEAT RAFFLE	22	23
	Tacos/Nachos				Stuffed Peppers served 4:30- 6:30	
BREAKFAST 24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	Pulled Pork					Post Clean Up

October 2023

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Birthday Anniversary Potluck	Meatball		First night of indoor bags league		Pork loin Dinner served 4:30- 6:30	
15	16	17	18	19	20 Meatball sandwich	21
	BLT		Trivia Night		The Shufflers in the lounge - Happy Fall Ya'll night	
BREAKFAST 22	23	24	25	26	27 Meat Raffle	28
	Pulled Pork		Trick or Treat on State		Goulash Dinner served 4:30- 6:30	Craft/Vendor show & Halloween lock in
29	30	31	Notes: Wednesday grilling will go until the end of October weather permitting			
	Grilled Cheese & soup					

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Attention members:

We are trying to do a census of families with children and grandchildren to help plan future family events. Please stop into the club, call or email vfwpost1461@gmail.com and give us your info so that we can start planning. We are looking to get total number of children or grandchildren under the age of 18 and then broken down even more within age groups. 0-5, 6-12, 13 and up. Please help out so we can offer some family friendly activities.

From the VFW Post 1461 Auxiliary President

This August we had a very good monthly meeting where, among other things, we discussed the importance of communications within and across our Post and out to the community. To that end, I want to take this opportunity to remind everyone that the VFW Post 1461 Auxiliary has its own Facebook page. This resource could be especially helpful in keeping our membership and the community apprised of our activities and accomplishments. We have assigned a new administrator to it and going forward will ensure it is revised monthly with achievements and events concerning our Auxiliary. If you have a Facebook account, please consider navigating to and "Following" our Auxiliary's page. Feel free to share posts from our page with anyone or any group that you think might be interested in our activities.

(www.facebook.com/vfwauxiliary1461/)

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