



# VFW POST 10066 FEBRUARY 2020 NEWSLETTER

## Commander's Corner:

February is always a busy month at VFW Post 10066 with several special events, including a Feb. 2 Super Bowl party at the Tiki Hut, the Auxiliary flea market in the Hall on Feb. 8 and the VFW Golf Tournament at Shores of North River Golf Club on Feb. 22 with lunch and awards to follow at the VFW.

On Feb. 20, the VFW is sponsoring a nationally touring Comedy Show in the Post's Veterans Memorial Hall by the Laughter Saves Lives Foundation, a 501(c)3 charitable organization which supports families of first responders. Performing will be 4 nationally known comedians, including the organization's founder, a retired NYFD firefighter whose department lost several members on Sept. 11. The cost is \$25 per person in advance (\$30 at the door) and includes a full Italian buffet dinner. The doors open at 5 pm for cocktails and dinner and the show begins at 7 pm. Get your tickets at the canteen. A limited number will be sold.

The VFW will host a Feb. 14 Valentine's Day Dinner/Dance with music by Southern Blend Band. Don't miss this great evening of music, dancing and fish & chips dinner.

I want to thank everyone who has been working on upgrades to the Tiki Hut and landscaping. Our Post is looking good and will be in great shape for the annual BBQ benefit for Southeast Florida Honor Flight on March 21. Mark your calendars for this day, when we raise money to send World War II, Korean and Vietnam veterans free of charge on Honor Flights to Washington DC to visit the national memorials built in their honor. The Road to Victory Military Museum will display vintage military vehicles at the VFW and will perform vintage weapons demonstrations. Jensen Beach High School's Air Force JROTC will conduct a flag presentation.

Our Post and Auxiliary mailed 16 boxes of Girl Scout Cookies and other goodies last month to the US Army's Alpha Battery 4-3 Air Defense Artillery Regiment serving in Southwest Asia as part of the Global War on Terrorism. Girls from the Post's sponsored Girl Scout troop included notes with the cookies thanking the troops for their service. SPC Tracy Farrow sent pictures of the troops getting their packages and sent their thanks to the VFW.



VFW Post 10066  
and District 11  
VOD winner  
Alexandra Horton

Congratulations are in order again for Alexandra Horton, daughter of VFW trustee Steve Horton, who won the Post's Voice of Democracy audio/essay contest in November. Alexandra also won the District 11. She was honored at the State VFW Mid-Winter Conference in Orlando on Feb. 1.

Please remember to renew your Post dues before they expire in the upcoming months. The next Post General Meeting is Monday, Feb 10. I encourage all VFW members to attend.

In comradery,  
Ron Ansara, Commander



Commander  
Ron Ansara



Army SPC Tracy Farrow thanks VFW Post 10066 and Auxiliary for the care packages sent to the Alpha Battery 4-3 Air Defense Artillery Regiment in Southwest Asia.

## VFW Auxiliary News:



Beverly Brier  
Auxiliary  
President

The VFW Auxiliary is gathering items for our February 8th Flea Market. We are planning another great year of items new and old, bake sale raffles and fun. Please join us in the VFW Veterans Memorial Hall on the 8th from 8AM until 2PM. There's still a week left to rent a \$10 table. See Sandy.

March's big event will be the Honor Flight Fund raiser, held here at the post on the 21st of March. All proceeds that day go to Honor Flight! More to come on that in our March Newsletter. Next Auxiliary meeting will be on February 13th at 6PM. See you all there.

Sending prayers to our Auxiliary Secretary Barney, who has been ill. Hoping for a speedy recovery and seeing you back at the post soon!

Beverly Brier  
Auxiliary President

