

### Leonard W. Kidd Memorial AMERICAN LEGION POST 2001 ASHBURN, VA 20146

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### AGENDA 13 December 2018

I. Open Meeting Commander
- Approval of Minutes Tabled to Jan meeting Adjutant

- Commander Chuck Loomis' comments

II. Welcome Guests / Potential New Members Commander/ALL

III. Report of Officers

Adjutant Tabled to Jan meeting Norman Larson
Finance Officer A year in review Richard Ryan
3<sup>rd</sup> Vice Commander Tabled to Jan meeting Scott Morse
2nd Vice Commander Tabled to Jan meeting Joe Scalione
1st Vice Commander Tabled to Jan meeting Bob O'Such

IV. Continuing Business & Reports Tabled to Jan meeting

- Loudoun Salute 2018 sum-up Frank Mullen

- Ashburn Knights Baseball end 2018/begin 2019 season report Scott Morse

- Poppies Distribution -- Veterans Day Dennis Kellen

**ALL** 

- Other Committee Chair reports

V. New Business

- Potential members give short service summary

VI. For the Good of The American Legion

VII. Final Announcements (See below and reverse)

VIII. Adjournment Commander

# Merry Christmas and happy Holidays!!

## **Dates to remember:**

Next Post Meeting: 10 January, 2019
AVFRD Station 6, 20688 Ashburn Road, Ashburn, VA 20147

Loudoun County Community Veterans Engagement Board (CVEB): 12 December; 19:30
Loudoun County Government Center, 1 Harrison Street, S.E., Leesburg, VA 20175

#### **Final Announcements**

- This holiday season, **identify and avoid veteran charity scams!** Watch this video on the FTC web site: <a href="https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/features/how-donate-wisely-and-avoid-charity-scams">https://www.consumer.ftc.gov/features/how-donate-wisely-and-avoid-charity-scams</a>.

  Beware of payment demands! If someone wants donations –cash, card, or wiring cash -- don't do it!
- Post 2001 is a charter member of the **Loudoun County Community Veterans Engagement Board (LCCVEB)**. Comrade Richard Ryan, treasurer. Next meetin in February, 1930-2100, Dulles Conference Room, Loudoun County Government Center (1 Harrison Street, S.E., Leesburg, VA 20175).
- The next **Loudoun County Veterans Collaborative** meeting will be in January, 2019. Watch for announcements. At Paul Davis Restoration, <u>44601 Guilford Drive</u>, <u>Suite 100</u>, <u>Ashburn</u>, <u>VA 20147</u>. Thanks to Comrade Scott Darwin and Paul Davis Restoration for hosting these meetings!
- Any **Vet who needs help**, please contact Comrade Tom Grant, Loudoun County Veterans Services Coordinator; phone (571) 258-3815; email: <a href="mailto:thomas.grant@loudoun.gov">thomas.grant@loudoun.gov</a>
- Vet Center (VETCEN) Community Access Center, 751 Miller Drive, Suite E, Leesburg: Certified counseling services for any mental health issue (PTSD, marriage/family counseling, etc) for Veterans and families. Call Martinsburg (304) 263-6776, ask for Leesburg office.
- The Loudoun office of Virginia Department of Veterans Services (VDVS), *Lakes at Ashbrook*, Building 2, 44345 Premier Plaza, Suite 200, Ashburn, **open 0830-1630, M-F** serves veterans and families. Veterans' services representative help Vets identify and apply for benefits.
- If you want to talk to a Veterans Service Officer in the Post, see Comrade Joe Scalione, Senior Service Officer or email him at <a href="mailto:scalione@comcast.net">scalione@comcast.net</a>.
- Be part of **Honor Flight greeting events**! Next year's schedule will begin in the spring. Watch for announcements. See website calendar www.ashburnlegion.org.
- The **Legion's 100th anniversary celebration (Mar 15-17, 2018 thru Nov 10-12, 2019)** is ongoing; watch for info on the AL website (<a href="www.legion.org/centennial">www.legion.org/centennial</a>).
- **Honor Flight Top of Virginia** (Bus trips for local Veterans). Help Comrade Josh Morimoto [(703) 967-8679; JMorimoto@weichert.com] to arrange a trip for local WWII vets (see web site at <a href="https://www.honorflight-tov.org">https://www.honorflight-tov.org</a>.)
- Comrade Sam Meyers passed this along: Check out the **Unclaimed Property in Virginia**-Site ( <u>Heir Search Results | Unclaimed Property | Virginia Department of the Treasury</u> )
- **Veteran Business Owners Networking monthly** meeting 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays; 7 pm, Weichert offices, Lakeview Ctr Plaza. Contact Comrade Josh Morimoto (703) 967-8679.