

# MILLARD AMERICAN LEGION NEWS

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#### **COMMANDER'S COMMENTS**

It's October...When did that happen? Seems like the months go by faster and faster.

The fourth annual Shoot the Minnow party is Saturday October 11 starting at 7:00. If you're brave enough, you can do a shot with a minnow in it. There will be food and live music. See more info inside the newsletter.

The kids Halloween party is Sunday October 19 from noon to two. It's always a good time with games and lots of treats. The adult Halloween party is Friday October 24 starting at 6:30. There will be a costume contest, drink specials and games.

SAL Bingo is Sunday November 9 starting at 1:00. The kitchen will open at 11:00.

Gary is serving good food each Wednesday and delicious broasted chicken on Friday Oct. 3. The Vietnam vets will serve on Friday Oct. 10. The AMVETS will serve on Friday Oct. 17 before the Huskers take on Minnesota at 7:00.

If you have a suggestion or question, there's comment cards and a box on the wall outside the office to put those in. However, remember, if you don't sign the card, the E-board won't read it.

The volunteers are the heart of this organization. Thank you so much!

A hui hou- Eric Peterson

## **SAL UPDATE**

Mark your calendar for Sunday November 9 as SAL will once again be hosting bingo starting at 1:00. The kitchen will open at 11:00 and is serving burgers & fries.

The SAL taco night is Monday October 20.

"If a window of opportunity appears, don't pull down the shade" Tom Peters

We look forward to seeing you at the Post! We ARE family!

John Polson, Commander and Randy Young, Vice Commander We look forward to seeing you at the Post! We ARE family!



# Kids Halloween Party

Sunday, Oct. 19

12 Noon to 2:00 PM



#### **AUXILIARY NEWS**

Hello everyone,

Thank you so much for your donations of school supplies for the kids. We can still use donations and monetary donations if you can get them to the post by Monday the 12<sup>th</sup>, then we can divide them up for the schools.

Millard Days will be here from Aug. 21<sup>st</sup> through the 25<sup>th</sup> so be sure to join in festivities! We can always use volunteers to help with the parade, carnival and beer garden, etc. so if you can help, let me know.

We have some raffle tickets for the \$500 Visa gift card for sale behind the bar at the post or you can also purchase them from Auxiliary members, so let us know need any.

They are \$5.00 each and we're only selling 500 tickets! We will be selling individual desserts on Monday, Aug. 5 from 5:30 7:00 during taco night. Please let me know if you can bring a dessert.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday, Aug. 13th at 7:00 p.m. See you there

Hello everyone, I hope you are enjoying the cooler temperatures for the fall and the Husker games!

The kids' Halloween party will be on Sunday, Oct.19th at noon. Bring the kids in their costumes and have some fun!

Don't forget to renew your membership for 2026 and sign someone else up too! Our next meeting is Tuesday, Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m.

We will serve desserts for Taco Night on Monday, Oct. 6 at 5:30 p.m. Let me know if you can bring a dessert.

We will cook tacos on Monday, Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> at 5:30 p.m. and we may even try something new.

Karen Brink, President 402-740-1455

#### **HOUSE COMMITTEE**

We continue to look for input on new projects. If you have suggestions please let us know, either at the Post, or by email: Darrel Swenson:.darrels3010@gmail.com Kim Peterson......lilkim9955@cox.net Marty Timberlake.trbolovr71@gmail.com Shane Bretey.....renbear25@yahoo.com Darrel Swenson. Chairman

## **2026 SAL**

Cards are here! You can renew by coming to the Post or by sending a check (payable to the Post) for \$30.00

to: Millard Post 374
Attn: Jim Wentz
PO Box 390698
Omaha, NE 68139



## AMERICAN LEGION RIDERS NEWS

We don't have a lot planned for October except our monthly meeting in which we will nominate for the positions of Director, Assistant Director, Treasure, Secretary, and Sgt at Arms. If anyone is interested in a position, please come to the meeting on Monday Oct 20th at 7:00 PM.

We will vote on Monday November 17<sup>th</sup> right before the meeting and swear in the Officers in January. Please make sure you are current with your membership.

This means not only your ALR membership but whatever Legion Family you belong to. If you are not current then you will not be able to vote. Stay safe and always be on the lookout for our brothers and sisters on 2 or 3 wheels.

Matt Schnabel, Director

## **AUXILIARY DUES**

Please renew your Auxiliary dues! If you haven't paid for 2025, now is the time to do so.

## Also, the 2026 cards are here!

The cost is \$35. Jr Auxiliary are \$10. We hope you will take the time to renew your membership and remain a part of our organization. Thank you!

Please send your check to

Millard Post 374 Attn: Patty Polson PO Box 390698 - Omaha NE 68139





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## **COLOR GUARD UPDATE**

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#### **PINOCHLE**

Played Every Tuesday at 11:00 am. For more info contact: Sandie Stagner 402-593-6887







## Joanne Swenson

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# Card Of Thanks

Millard American Legion,

Thank you for attending my husband's funeral service and providing the honors he deserved. It meant a lot to him and to our family. You made the day perfect by honoring my husband's wishes.

Sincerely, Martha Kowalewski

Dear Millard AL & VFW Honor Guard, Thank you for celebrating Dave's life and military service with us. The folding & presentation of our country's flag was such a special part of his service. We appreciate all you do! God bless, *The Goetzinger family* 

Thank you for the floral arrangement from the American Legion family and for all that attended services and supported in any other way for the passing of Eric's father. It means so much to us. *Eric and Kim Peterson* 

## ★ November Newsletter Articles Are Due NLT Friday October 17<sup>th</sup>

## \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$

There is one pot each for the SAL drawing (Sunday), Auxiliary drawing (Tuesday) and Legion drawing (Wednesday). You must register to win. Congrats to:

Rebecca Wesch – Aux winner
Rodney Saathoff – SAL winner
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#### **Members and Family Members:**

When doing your estate planning please remember American Legion Post 374. Those contributions help us in our Building Fund and other noted needs within the Legion and to help Military Families.

MILLARD POST #374 - DUES	2025
Legion	\$55 <u>.00</u>
SAĽ	\$30 <u>.00</u>
Jr. SAL	
Dual Legion/SAL	\$75 <u>.00</u>
Auxiliary	
Jr. Auxiliary (17 and under)	
ALR	

## Broasted Chicken Friday, Oct. 3 - 5:30 PM





## Chicken Fried Steak or Chicken Fried Chicken

Friday, Oct 17, 5:30 PM



## Taco's & Quesadillas Monday, Oct 20, 5:30 PM





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# **OCTOBER 2025**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 FOOD Tenderloin Sandwiches 5:30	2 Kitchen Closed Cribbage 7:00	Broasted Chicken 5:30	4 NE vs MI State 3:00
5	6 FOOD Legion serves tacos 5:30 	7	8 FOOD Tenderloin dinner 5:30 Vietnam Vets Mtg 6:30	9 Kitchen Closed Cribbage 7:00	10 FOOD Vietnam vets serve burgers 5:30	NE vs Maryland Shoot the Minnow 7:00
12	13 FOOD ALR serves tacos 5:30 	14 Auxiliary Mtg 7:00 PINOCHLE at 11:00 am.	15 FOOD Lasagna 5:30 E-Board Mtg 6:30 General Mtg 7:30	16 Kitchen Closed Cribbage 7:00	17 FOOD AMVETS serve CFS/CFC 5:30 NE vs Minnesota 7:00 NL articles due	18
19 Kids Halloween party 12- 2	20 FOOD SAL serves tacos & quesadillas 5:30 ALR Mtg 7:00	PINOCHLE at 11:00 am.	22 FOOD Burgers 5:30  Bunco 6:30	23 Kitchen Closed Cribbage 7:00	Adult Halloween party 6:30	25
26	27 FOOD Aux Serves Taco's	PINOCHLE at 11:00 am.	29 FOOD Kitchen 5:30	30 Cribbage 7:00	31	

## **UPCOMING EVENTS AT THE POST**

Sat Oct4	Football – NE vs MI State
Sat Oct. 11	Football – NE vs MI StateFootball – NE vs Maryland
SatOct. 11	Shoot the Minnow
Fri Oct.17	Football – NE vs Minnesota
Sun Oct. 19	Kids Halloween party
Fri Oct.24	Adult Halloween party
Sun Nov9	SAL Bingo
Sat Dec6	Aux Packing party

# We want YOU to help the Post save money!

Send us your email address so you can get the monthly newsletter via email. It will cut down on postage costs. Send your full name & email address to news@post374.org. You can call the Post and leave your full name and email address with the bartender. If you've already done this, thank you!