



Tinley Park Post 615

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Newsletter - July 2000

New Officers for 2000-2001

The newly elected officers of Post 615 that will take their seats in July are -

Commander - Virgil Smilgys
Sr. Vice Commander - Jim Johnson
Jr. Vice Commander - Norm Pestlin
Chaplain - Mike Widlak
Sgt.-at-Arms - Tom Cermak
Finance Officer - Jim Whalen
1st Asst. Finance Officer - Dave Deahl
2nd Asst. Finance Officer - Mike Gibbons
Adjutant - Terry Baker
Service Officer - Bob Strobel

100% Post

Post 615 has received a Citation of Recognition from the Department of Illinois for distinguished service by attaining 100% membership for the 2000 membership year. We have also been recognized by the 8th District for attaining this goal. Good Work, lets do it again in the coming year.

Hall Renovation

Bids are now being taken for a major hall renovation, contractors are submitting ideas and a final plan will soon be submitted. This much-needed remodeling project has been in the discussion stages for several months and is finally moving forward.

New Members

Post 615 would like to welcome the following new members to our post.

David Morris a WW2 Army vet
Harold Newbauer a Korean War era Army vet
David Willi a Korean War era Army vet
John Carrey Jr. a Korean War era Air Force vet
Richard Richardson a Viet Nam era Navy vet
Leonard Wright a Viet Nam era Air Force vet
Fred Brooks a Viet Nam era Air Force vet
Donald Majerus a Viet Nam era Marine vet
Thomas Bogdanic a Grenada/Lebanon era Air Force vet

TAPS

It is with deepest regrets that we inform you of our recently deceased members.
Albert E. Baggs - a WW2 vet passed away on 5/15/2000.

Upcoming Events

- **Sat. July 22nd** - Golf Outing, Cherry Hills, \$75.00 per person. See enclosed flyer.
- **Sat. Aug. 5th** - Installation Dinner
- **Sun. Sept. 3rd** – Annual Post Picnic - open to all members and their families. 12Noon till ?
- **Sat. Nov 18th** – Turkey Shoot
- **Sun. Dec. 17th** - Kids Christmas Party

The Tinley Park Veterans Commission will sponsor several functions this year honoring Korean War Veterans.

- July 4th – Ceremony honoring Korean War Vets at McCarthy Park.
- Date to be announced – Issue of commemorative Korean War stamps and flag ceremony at the post office.
- Octoberfest – Korean War display.

Post 615 Meeting Dates

Meetings begin at 8:00PM

July 18th - Social Meeting
Aug 1st - General Meeting
Aug 15th - Social Meeting
Sept. 5th - General Meeting
Sept. 19th - Social Meeting
Oct. 3rd - General Meeting
Oct. 17th - Social Meeting

2000 Dues Notice

If you have not paid your 2000 dues by the mailing date of the 2001 dues notices you will be dropped from our mailing list. Don't let your membership expire. If you have been putting off sending in your 2000 dues please do it now. We would hate to loose you as a member.